

## Template ISP: Modern History

### Description of Dissertation Project:

*(In the actual ISP, elaborate on the individual points and specify them as much as possible. Specific ISPs may have a different dissertation project structure across the years if it is justified and explained in light of the dissertation topic.)*

During the **first year of study**, I will read relevant scholarly literature, identify the academic debate(s) to which my dissertation will contribute, define the relevant research gap, and formulate the research questions and conceptual framework of my project. At the same time, I will conduct an initial survey of relevant primary sources, such as archival materials. I will write up all these elements into a preliminary draft of the first part of the dissertation.

During my **second year**, I will continue studying relevant scholarly literature and begin conducting archival or other empirical research. Based on this research, I will develop the methodological section of the dissertation, which will include defining the overall research design and methods for working with primary sources. I will draft the corresponding chapter of the dissertation in preliminary form and present my progress at the IMS doctoral conference. I will also identify a relevant topic for an article and start preparing it.

During the **third year**, I will continue my empirical research, as well as my analysis and interpretation of archival materials and other primary sources. During this period, I will conduct research abroad. Based on empirical research, I will draft one to two dissertation chapters. I will participate in an international conference where I will present the initial version of the article or my dissertation research. I will submit the final version of the article for publication.

During my **fourth year**, I will conduct empirical research, draft the introduction and conclusion of my dissertation, and submit the final version for internal (minor) defence, followed by the official defence.

### Fulfilment of Study Requirements

Semester of Study	Mandatory Study Requirements for All Students	Study Requirements Mandatory for Full-Time Students and Optional for Students in the Combined Mode of Study
Year 1, Winter	JTD101, JTD104	
Year 1, Summer	JTD105, JTD115	JTD126, JTD130, JTD134, JTD138
Year 2, Winter	JTD102, JTD106	
Year 2, Summer	JTD107, JTD116, JTD124	JTD127, JTD131, JTD135
Year 3, Winter	JTD113	
Year 3, Summer	JTD114, JTD117, JTDP01	JTD128, JTD132, JTD136, JTD139, JTD140
Year 4, Winter	JTD112	
Year 4, Summer	JTD118	JTD129, JTD133, JTD137