

## Art

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The Department of Art program is devoted to the development of concepts, attitudes and skills in the visual arts within a broad university curriculum of liberal arts orientation. There are four objectives: professional training of artists and scholars in chosen areas of specialization, preparation of art educators, elective study for students in all areas of the university, and service to the local communities as a source of cultural enrichment. The Department of Art is accredited by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design.

**Admission to Major** is granted by the department. Minimum University admission requirements are:

- a minimum of 32 earned semester credit hours;
- a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 ("C").

In addition to minimum University admission requirements students requesting admission to the art and art education majors must complete the following:

- ART 101 (3) (Preferred) or ART 100 (3)
- ART 260 or ART 261

Students for all majors may be admitted provisionally while these requirements are being satisfied.

Contact the department for application procedures.

### POLICIES/INFORMATION

A program planning guide for each major is available in the Department of Art office. Students should obtain one to aid in the planning of their program. Advisory services are available.

Drawing and design courses in the art core should be taken during the freshman year.

**P/N Grading Policy.** A student majoring in art may take a maximum of one-fourth of the art credits for P/N grades and must comply with the university P/N requirements.

**GPA Policy.** A 2.0 GPA is required. For admission to and graduation from the BFA program students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5. Students on academic probation should refer to the College of Arts and Humanities policy regarding required advising.

Studio courses require two scheduled hours of class meeting time under the direct guidance of the instructor and a minimum of one additional hour of work at the discretion of the student for each credit hour earned.

The frequency of course offerings should be verified with your art advisor or the art department office, since some changes caused by unanticipated circumstances may occur.

Art majors and minors must meet with the Art Department chairperson two semesters prior to their anticipated graduation date so that their graduation credits can be evaluated.

All students should check with the central art office concerning the future availability of courses needed for graduation. ART 421 Art Methods Elementary School, should be taken no sooner than the junior year and is required by state licensure before student teaching. The prerequisite for ART 421 is ART 100 or ART 101.

The total number of transfer credits accepted for each major/minor is as follows: BFA 24, BS 18, BA 15, and Minor 6.

The Department of Art may request the retention of student work for its permanent instructional and exhibition collection. It reserves the right to photograph students and their work. In addition, the department cannot insure student work, material and equipment or take responsibility for its loss or damage.

Art students with junior or senior standing are encouraged to seek internship opportunities in career-related settings that may include museums, production studios, design firms, and other approved venues. Arrangements are made on an individualized basis. A maximum of 6 credits may be applied toward specializations within BA, BS, or BFA degree programs.

Notations showing the costs of individual courses are included in the schedule of classes. In some cases, student fees are charged for materials used. Verifying such information with the individual instructor is suggested. See the SECONDARY EDUCATION section for admission requirements to Professional Education and a list of required Professional Education courses. The Bachelor of Science in Art Education major must pass all content area coursework with a grade of "C" or higher.

### ART BA

The Bachelor of Arts degree in art is a broad-based liberal arts degree that provides a cultural perspective with a strong foundation in studio training.

#### Required for Major

ART	100	Elements and Principles of Art (3) <b>OR</b>
ART	101	Design Foundations (3)
ART	103	Three Dimensional Design (3)
ART	110	Drawing Foundations (3)
ART	260	Art History Survey I (3)
ART	261	Art History Survey II (3)

Choose 6 courses from at least 5 different areas:

#### AREA 1:

ART	202	Introduction to Digital Media (3)
ART	204	Digital Imaging (3)
ART	220	Graphic Design I (3)

#### AREA 2:

ART	210	Drawing (3)
ART	212	Life Drawing (3)

#### AREA 3:

ART	230	Fibers (3)
ART	231	Mixed Media (3)

#### AREA 4:

ART	240	Painting (3)
ART	245	Watercolor (3)

#### AREA 5:

ART	250	Ceramics: Beginning Wheel (3)
ART	251	Ceramics: Beginning Handbuilding (3)

#### AREA 6:

ART	270	Printmaking: Beginning Relief/SilkScreen (3)
ART	271	Printmaking: Beginning Intaglio/Lithography (3)

#### AREA 7:

ART	275	Photography (3)
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#### AREA 8:

ART	280	Sculpture (3)
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### Required Support Courses (Art History, 6 credits)

Choose a minimum of 6 credits from the following:

ART 413 ART 416 ART 419 ART 460 ART 462  
ART 463 ART 466 ART 468 ART 469

### Required Support Courses (Studio, 9 credits)

Choose a minimum of 9 credits at the 300/400 level in your specialization area in consultation with the art advisor.

ART xxx 300/400 Course Elective  
ART xxx 300/400 Course Elective  
ART xxx 300/400 Course Elective

### Required Capstone Experience (1 credit)

Choose one of the following:

ART 495 Senior Exhibit (1)  
ART 496 Art History Senior Thesis (1)

### Required for Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree ONLY - Language (8 credits)

**Required Minor: Yes. Any.**

#### ART BFA

For admission to the BFA programs students must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 and pass ART 391 Portfolio Review. The Bachelor of Fine Arts degree is a program for those students with professional art aspirations.

### Required for Major (33 credits)

ART 100 Elements and Principles of Art (3) **OR**  
ART 101 Design Foundations (3)  
ART 103 Three Dimensional Design (3)  
ART 110 Drawing Foundations (3)  
ART 260 Art History Survey I (3)  
ART 261 Art History Survey II (3)

Choose 6 courses from at least 5 different areas:

#### AREA 1:

ART 202 Introduction to Digital Media (3)  
ART 204 Digital Imaging (3)  
ART 220 Graphic Design I (3)

#### AREA 2:

ART 210 Drawing (3)  
ART 212 Life Drawing (3)

#### AREA 3:

ART 230 Fibers (3)  
ART 231 Mixed Media (3)

#### AREA 4:

ART 240 Painting (3)  
ART 245 Watercolor (3)

#### AREA 5:

ART 250 Ceramics: Beginning Wheel (3)  
ART 251 Ceramics: Beginning Handbuilding (3)

#### AREA 6:

ART 270 Printmaking: Beginning Relief/Silkscreen (3)  
ART 271 Printmaking: Beginning Intaglio/Lithography (3)

#### AREA 7:

ART 275 Photography (3)

#### AREA 8:

ART 280 Sculpture (3)

### Required Support Courses (Specialization, 53 credits)

*Choose Advanced Art History and Drawing Courses (18 credits)*

Advanced Art History Courses (9-12 credits)

ART 417 Medieval Art (3) **OR**  
ART 467 Art of the Islamic World (3) **AND**  
ART 466 Realism to Postmodernism (3)

Choose 3 or 6 additional credits from:

ART 413 ART 416 ART 417 ART 419 ART 460  
ART 462 ART 463 ART 467 ART 468 ART 469  
ART 492 ART 494

Advanced Drawing: (6-9 credits)

ART 210 (if not taken as Studio Elective) **OR**  
ART 310 **OR**  
ART 410\* (3-6)  
ART 212 (if not taken as Studio Elective) **OR**  
ART 412\* (3)

\* ART 410 and ART 412 may be repeated

### Choose Intermediate Studio Specialization (12 credits)

Two specializations are required of 6 credits each. Specializations are selected from the 8 areas listed under Studio Electives in the foundation core. The department specializations are: ceramics, drawing, fibers, graphic design, painting, photography, printmaking, and sculpture. The courses taken in Specializations 1 and 2 are 300 level.

### Required

ART 391 Portfolio Review (1)

Take with second 3xx course in the intended advanced studio specialization; P/N grade only. Students must pass the Portfolio Review for admission to the BFA degree program and before beginning 4XX advanced studio specialization.

### Choose Advanced Studio Specialization (18 credits)

Choose 4xx level courses for the advanced studio specializations:

### Required

ART 4xx Studio Elective (3)  
ART 495 Senior Exhibit (1)

**Required Minor: None.**

#### ART STUDIO MINOR

### Required for Minor

ART 100 Elements and Principles of Art (3) **OR**  
ART 101 Design Foundations (3) **AND**  
ART 110 Drawing Foundations (3)

Select 12 credits of art studio electives in consultation with an art advisor:

ART xxx ART xxx ART xxx ART xxx

#### ART HISTORY BA

The Bachelor of Arts degree in Art History is a thorough liberal arts degree that provides the students with a general knowledge of major artists, styles, and monuments of both Western and non-Western art. Writing and reading assignments within the courses and the Art History Senior Thesis will further critical thinking, analysis, and knowledge of theory and methods. Knowledge of at least one foreign language will enable students to use primary source materials in their further career. The core requirements in studio will give students insights into the creative process.

### Required for Major (15 credits)

ART 101 Design Foundations (preferred) (3) **OR**  
ART 100 Elements and Principles of Art (3)  
ART 260 Art History Survey I (3)  
ART 261 Art History Survey II (3)

Choose 2 courses from the following:

ART 103 Three Dimensional Design (3)  
ART 110 Drawing Foundations (3)  
ART 202 Introduction to Digital Media (3)  
ART 204 Digital Imaging (3)  
ART 210 Drawing (3)  
ART 212 Life Drawing (3)  
ART 220 Graphic Design I (3)  
ART 230 Fibers (3)  
ART 231 Mixed Media (3)

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ART 240	Painting (3)
ART 245	Watercolor (3)
ART 250	Ceramics: Beginning Wheel (3)
ART 251	Ceramics: Beginning Handbuilding (3)
ART 270	Printmaking: Beginning Relief/Silkscreen (3)
ART 271	Printmaking: Beginning Intaglio/Lithography (3)
ART 275	Photography (3)
ART 280	Sculpture (3)

### Major Restricted Electives

Choose 1 course from each of the following areas

#### AREA 1: ANCIENT

ART 460	Ancient Art (3)
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#### AREA 2: MEDIEVAL

ART 417	Medieval Art and Architecture (3)
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#### AREA 3: RENAISSANCE AND BAROQUE

ART 462	Renaissance Art (3)
ART 463	Mannerism to Romanticism (3)

#### AREA 4: MODERN

ART 466	Realism to Postmodernism (3)
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#### AREA 5: NON-WESTERN

ART 416	Art of Africa, the Americas, and the South Pacific (3)
ART 467	Art of the Islamic World (3)
ART 469	Asian Art (3)

### Major Unrestricted Electives - Art History

Choose 3 additional art history courses. Select from the ones not taken as core and/or from the following

ART 413	Scandinavian Art (3)
ART 416	Art of Africa, the Americas, and the South Pacific (3)
ART 419	Gender in Art (3)
ART 462	Renaissance Art (3)
ART 463	Mannerism to Romanticism (3)
ART 467	Art of the Islamic World (3)
ART 468	Design: History and Theory (3)
ART 469	Asian Art (3)
ART 492	Art History Seminar (1-6)
ART 494	Topics (3)

### Other Graduation Requirements

*Take preferably with third core course*

#### Portfolio & Thesis (2 credits)

ART 391	Portfolio Review (1)
ART 496	Art History Senior Thesis (1)

**Required for Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree:** Language (8 credits)

**Required Minor: Yes, Any**

#### ART HISTORY MINOR

NOTE: Students who declare a major in art may choose to minor in art history; however only 50% of the art history courses selected to count toward the major in art may also count toward the minor in art history.

### Required for Minor (6 credits)

ART 260	Art History Survey I (3)
ART 261	Art History Survey II (3)

### Required Minor Electives

Choose 4 courses from the following:

ART 413	Scandinavian Art (3)
ART 416	Art of Africa, the Americas, and the South Pacific (3)
ART 419	Gender in Art (3)
ART 460	Ancient Art (3)
ART 462	Renaissance Art (3)
ART 463	Mannerism to Romanticism (3)
ART 466	Realism to Postmodernism (3)
ART 468	Design: History and Theory (3)
ART 469	Asian Art (3)
ART 492	Art History Seminar (1-6)
ART 494	Topics (3)

## ART BS, TEACHING

The Bachelor of Science degree in Art Education prepares students for careers as art educators teaching at the elementary and secondary levels.

### Required for Major (33 credits)

ART 101	Design Foundations (3)
ART 103	Three Dimensional Design (3)
ART 110	Drawing Foundations (3)
ART 260	Art History Survey I (3)
ART 261	Art History Survey II (3)

Choose 6 courses from at least 5 different areas

#### AREA 1:

ART 202	Introduction to Digital Media (3)
ART 204	Digital Imaging (3)
ART 220	Graphic Design I (3)

#### AREA 2:

ART 210	Drawing (3)
ART 212	Life Drawing (3)

#### AREA 3:

ART 230	Fibers (3)
ART 231	Mixed Media (3)

#### AREA 4:

ART 240	Painting (3)
ART 245	Watercolor (3)

#### AREA 5:

ART 250	Ceramics: Beginning Wheel (3)*
ART 251	Ceramics: Beginning Handbuilding (3)

#### AREA 6:

ART 270	Printmaking: Beginning Relief/Silkscreen (3)*
ART 271	Printmaking: Beginning Intaglio/Lithography (3)

#### AREA 7:

ART 275	Photography (3)
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#### AREA 8:

ART 280	Sculpture (3)
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\* required for BS in Art Education

### Required Support Courses (Specialization, 25 credits)

ART 466	Realism to Postmodernism (3)
ART 495	Senior Exhibit (1)
ART 421	Art Methods Elementary School (2)
ART 426	Art Methods Secondary School (3)
(this should be taken concurrently with KSP 420)	
ART 429	Art Education Seminar (1)

Choose one (as offered):

ART 424	Art Education for the Exceptional Child (3)
ART 428	Teaching Art: Historical and Contemporary Topics (3)

Select a minimum of 12 studio credits in your specialization area at the 300/400 level in consultation with the art advisor:

ART xxx	300/400 level elective
ART xxx	300/400 level elective
ART xxx	300/400 level elective
ART xxx	300/400 level elective

### Required for Major (Professional Education, 30 credits)

See the SECONDARY EDUCATION section for admission requirements to Professional Education and a list of required Professional Education courses. The Bachelor of Science in Art Education major must pass all content area coursework with a grade of "C" or higher.

**Required Minor: None.**

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## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

### **ART 100 (3) Elements and Principles of Art**

2-D visual problem solving and art-making strategies using the elements and principles of design. For elementary education majors and general education. Fall, Spring  
GE-6

### **ART 101 (3) Design Foundations**

For art, art history and art education majors.  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 103 (3) Three-Dimensional Design**

An introduction to concepts and processes related to the visual and physical organization of three-dimensional form and space.  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 110 (3) Drawing Foundations**

Introduction to traditional drawing techniques and concepts.  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 160 (3) Introduction to Visual Culture**

Introduction to Western and non-Western visual arts and the variety of methods by which art is understood. These may include art appreciation, art criticism, the history of art, popular culture, and aesthetic awareness.  
Fall, Spring  
GE-6, GE-8

### **ART 202 (3) Introduction to Digital Media**

This course is an introduction to the Macintosh and the various ways in which it is used as a creative tool. Primary goals are to learn basic design conceiving, typography, and print production, along with other fundamental digital skills to initiate the creative process utilizing the computer and various digital media.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 110

### **ART 204 (3) Digital Imaging**

This course is a further exploration into the meaning and power of imagery developed on the computer. It covers creation and manipulation of various image forms with current computer software. Students should have some Macintosh experience. This course will present image and vector manipulation, software for painting, collage, photo manipulation, and layering.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 103, ART 110 and ART 202

### **ART 210 (3) Drawing**

Continued exploration of drawing techniques and concepts.  
Pre: ART 110  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 212 (3) Life Drawing**

Experience in drawing from the human figure.  
Pre: ART 110  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 220 (3) Graphic Design I**

An exploration into the creative process behind communication design. The focus is on visual thinking, exploring the relationship between word and image, and the problem solving process. Varied methods of investigation aid in the understanding of the role and value of the design process in visual communication.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 103, ART 110 and ART 202  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 230 (3) Fibers**

Experience with various introductory fiber techniques.  
Pre: ART 100, ART 101, or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 231 (3) Mixed Media**

Multimedia art exploration is a problem solving art studio experience involving the use of a variety of traditional and non-traditional art materials.  
Fall, Spring  
GE-6

### **ART 240 (3) Painting**

Beginning experience with oil and/or acrylic paint. Emphasis upon technical and conceptual development.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 110 or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 245 (3) Watercolor**

Introduction to basic techniques in watercolor.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 110 or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 250 (3) Ceramics: Beginning Wheel**

An introduction to basic wheel throwing techniques exploring the potential of clay as a creative and expressive material.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 103 or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 251 (3) Ceramics: Beginning Handbuilding**

An introduction to basic sculptural hand building techniques exploring the nature of clay as a creative-expressive medium.  
Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, ART 103 or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 260 (3) Art History Survey I**

Introduction to art history from prehistoric and ancient cultures through the Middle Ages. Includes representative examples and styles of art and architecture of Western (Europe and the Near East) and non-Western cultures (China, India, Japan, Southeast Asia, Africa, Mesoamerica, South America, North America, Australia).  
Fall  
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GE-6, GE-8

### **ART 261 (3) Art History Survey II**

Lecture-based survey of the Art and Architecture of both Western and non-Western countries from the thirteenth through twentieth centuries.  
Spring  
GE-6, GE-8

### **ART 270 (3) Printmaking: Beginning Relief/Silkscreen**

Introduction to relief and silk-screen printmaking processes.  
Pre: ART 101, ART 110 or consent  
Fall

### **ART 271 (3) Printmaking: Beginning Intaglio/Lithography**

Introduction to intaglio and lithographic printmaking processes.  
Pre: ART 101, ART 110 or consent  
Spring

### **ART 275 (3) Photography**

Introduction to the techniques and expressive potential of B/W photography.  
Fall, Spring  
GE-6

### **ART 280 (3) Sculpture**

Exploration of the visual and physical organization of three-dimensional form and space through problems employing various media and processes.  
Pre: ART 103 or consent  
Fall, Spring

### **ART 300 (3) Graphic Design: Form**

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### **ART 302 (3) Interactive Design Survey**

This course is an exploration of technical, format, and conceptual components of interactivity in Web and Flash design. Course covers the use of html, information architecture, navigation, preparation of test and graphics for the Web, production, usability, motion, sound and user interaction.

Pre: ART 202, ART 204 and ART 220

### **ART 303 (3) Illustration**

Techniques, skills and concepts to create visual images that clarify or elaborate on text.

Pre: ART 300

Variable

### **ART 304 (3) Typography I**

First in a sequence of two typography courses. Typography I examines both the micro (typographic form) and macro (typographic formats) design problems. Course topics will include terminology, typographic history, and technical issues related to typography. Class projects are both applied and theoretical.

Pre: ART 204 and ART 220

### **ART 310 (3) Drawing**

This course encourages experimental approaches that build on drawing skills developed in ART 110 and ART 210. Formal and conceptual issues will be addressed as students pursue individualized subject matter. Course may be repeated.

Pre: ART 210

### **ART 320 (3) Graphic Design II**

This course is an advanced exploration of conceptualization and development of type-and-image messages. Students refine their problem solving capabilities based on the design process, as well as synthesis and refinement of the construction of the visual message.

Pre: ART 202, ART 204 and ART 220

### **ART 330 (3) Fibers**

Fabrication of textiles using four or multi-harness floor looms and off-loom techniques. Must be taken two times before advancing to ART 430.

Pre: ART 230 or consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 340 (3) Painting**

Intermediate painting. Emphasizing individual creative development. Must be taken twice before advancing to ART 440.

Pre: ART 240 or consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 345 (3) Watercolor**

Experience in advanced watercolor techniques and concepts. Must be taken twice before advancing to ART 445.

Pre: ART 245 or consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 350 (3) Intermediate Ceramics**

An intermediate course emphasizing personal exploration and creative research relating to hand building, molding processes and/or the potters wheel. Must be taken twice before advancing to ART 450.

Pre: ART 250 or ART 251

Fall, Spring

### **ART 370 (3) Printmaking: Intermediate Studio**

Continued exploration of intaglio, lithographic, relief and silk-screen processes. Must be taken twice before advancing to ART 470.

Pre: ART 270 or ART 271

Fall, Spring

### **ART 372 (3) Digital Printmaking**

This is an intermediate course focusing exclusively on materials, technique, process, equipment, and safety in contemporary digital printmaking processes.

Pre: ART 202, ART 271

### **ART 375 (3) Black and White Photography**

Intermediate level material on camera work, processing, and calibration. In rotation with ART 377.

Pre: ART 275

Variable

### **ART 376 (3) Color Photography**

Processing, color theory, color correction, and other considerations in color photography.

Pre: ART 275

Variable

### **ART 377 (3) Digital Photography**

Covers the making, manipulation and use of electronically produced photographic images. Topics include Kodak Photo CD, digital camera use, electronic photo retouching, computer image enhancement and combination, and incorporation of traditional techniques for creative solutions of fine and commercial art problems. In rotation with ART 375.

Pre: ART 275

Variable

### **ART 380 (3) Sculpture**

Investigation of three-dimensional form, space and media in search of a personal aesthetic statement. Must be taken twice before advancing to ART 480.

Pre: ART 280

Fall, Spring

### **ART 391 (1) Portfolio Review**

Required of all B.F.A. majors before taking 4XX advanced studio specialization sequence to continue in program.

Fall, Spring

### **ART 400 (3-6) Graphic Design Special Topics**

This seminar will address different specialties within the practice of graphic and interactive design. Individual research and group contributions to the seminar group on advanced, in-depth topics are required.

Pre: ART 302 and ART 320

### **ART 402 (3-6) Motion Graphics**

This course is an advanced study of motion, sound, and interactivity in design. The study and exploration of digital narrative and non-linear storytelling are key components. Students build on existing skills in Macromedia Flash to create conceptually and technically advanced works of digital communication.

Pre: ART 302 and ART 320

### **ART 403 (3) Illustration**

Expansion of individual techniques, skills and concepts to create visual images that clarify or elaborate on text. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 303

Variable

### **ART 404 (3) Typography II**

An advanced course requiring solid typographic study and design background, with emphasis on producing graphic solutions using a combination of display and text type as primary design elements. Fundamentals of hierarchy, typographic composition and contrast for the basis of class projects. Special emphasis will be placed on the conceptual/descriptive properties of typography and typography as an important element of visual communication.

Pre: ART 304 and ART 320

### **ART 406 (3) Web Design**

This course is an advanced study focusing on the Web, new media and design problem solving that is unique to the Web. Students continue to develop technical skills while investigating the potential for visual communication using the Web.

Pre: ART 302 and ART 320

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### **ART 410 (3-6) Drawing Workshop**

Continued in-depth exploration of drawing techniques and concepts. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 310

Fall, Spring

### **ART 412 (3) Life Drawing**

Advanced experience in drawing from the human figure. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 212 or ART 310

Fall, Spring

### **ART 413 (3) Scandinavian Art**

Overview of representative examples of the history of Scandinavian art from pre-Viking to modern times, concentrating on elements typical of each country or period and on developments that were particularly influential in the broader history of Western art.

Pre: ART 260, ART 261 or consent

Variable

### **ART 416 (3) Art of Africa, the Americas, and the South Pacific**

Introduction to the art and architecture of indigenous peoples. Examination of representative works of art and major styles and cultures of preliterate societies in Africa, the Americas, Oceania, and of Pre-Columbian civilizations in the Americas.

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### **ART 417 (3) Medieval Art and Architecture**

Introduction to art and architecture of Western Europe, the Byzantine Empire, and the Islamic world, from the second to the fifteenth centuries. Examination of representative works of art and major styles of Christian, Jewish, and Islamic cultures, including the Romanesque and Gothic periods.

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Pre: ART 260 or consent

### **ART 419 (3) Gender in Art**

Historical survey of the representation of gender with comparison of the artistic efforts of males and females and examination of art used to present gender-based issues including homosexuality, feminism, censorship and pornography.

Pre: ART 261 or consent

Variable

### **ART 420 (3-6) Graphic Design III**

This course will help prepare the student for entry into the profession of visual communication. Topics include portfolio preparation, written communication, interview and job search skills. A variety of guest speakers will provide career insights. Each student will produce a web-based or Flash-based portfolio presentation along with a traditional print portfolio. Goals include demonstrating and understanding of advanced design principles and creative problem-solving abilities in visual communication.

Pre: ART 304 and ART 320

### **ART 421 (2) Art Methods Elementary School**

Art expression related to child growth, development and teaching strategies. (Required for student teaching and certification.)

Pre: ART 100 or ART 101, Jr. status or consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 424 (3) Art Education for the Exceptional Child**

Current theory and practice of teaching art to students with physical, emotional, and developmental exceptionalities. Includes experiences in elementary classrooms.

Pre: ART 421

Variable

### **ART 426 (3) Art Methods Secondary School**

The characteristics of art expression and evaluation at the junior and senior high level: the status, curricula and strategies of teaching. (Required for student teaching) Should be taken concurrently with KSP 420.

Pre: ART 421

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### **ART 428 (3) Teaching Art: Historical and Contemporary Topics**

Application of instruction in art history as well as contemporary art to elementary and secondary schools. Includes experiences in elementary classrooms.

Pre: ART 260, ART 261, ART 421 or consent

Variable

### **ART 429 (1) Art Education Seminar**

Capstone experience for students preparing to teach art. Explores and emphasizes information and skills appropriate for teaching art.

Variable

### **ART 430 (3-6) Fibers**

Advanced fabrication of textiles using loom and off loom techniques. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 330

Fall, Spring

### **ART 440 (3-6) Painting**

Advanced painting. Continued development of a focused individual expression. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 340

Fall, Spring

### **ART 445 (3-6) Watercolor**

Advanced experience in watercolor. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 345

Fall, Spring

### **ART 450 (3-6) Advanced Ceramics**

An advanced course which emphasizes individual research in technical, aesthetic and conceptual considerations. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 350

Fall, Spring

### **ART 460 (3) Ancient Art**

Introduction to the art and architecture of the ancient era in its historical and cultural frameworks. Examination of representative works of art and major styles of ancient Mesopotamian, Egyptian, Aegean, Greek, Etruscan, and Roman cultures.

Pre: ART 260 or consent

Variable

### **ART 462 (3) Renaissance Art**

Origins and development of Northern and Italian Renaissance art and architecture as an expression of historical, cultural and religious issues.

Pre: ART 261 or consent

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### **ART 463 (3) Mannerism to Romanticism**

Historical survey of art, architecture and urban planning in Europe and America from the late sixteenth to mid-nineteenth century: Mannerism, Baroque, Rococo, Neoclassicism and Romanticism.

Pre: ART 261 or consent

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### **ART 466 (3) Realism to Postmodernism**

Historical survey of art, architecture and urban planning in Europe and America from the mid-nineteenth century to the present: Realism, Impressionism, Expressionism, Surrealism, Abstract Expressionism, Minimalism, Op Art, Pop Art, and Post-modern issues and trends.

Pre: ART 261 or consent

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### **ART 467 (3) Art of the Islamic World**

Historical survey of art and architectural developments from Islam's origins through the twentieth century. Course focuses on contextualizing monuments, paintings, and other arts from various regions around the world.

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### **ART 468 (3) Design: History and Theory**

Survey of Graphic Design, Industrial Design and Architecture from historical and theoretical perspectives. Design issues examined from formal and contextual points of view, using analysis strategies that consider style, composition, historical context, functional/propagandistic significance and communicative ability.

Variable

### **ART 469 (3) Asian Art**

Historical survey of the art and architecture of China, India, Korea and Japan from pre-history to the 20th century.

Pre: ART 260, ART 261 or consent

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Variable

### **ART 470 (3-6) Printmaking: Advanced Studio**

Continued investigation of advanced print making techniques and concepts. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 370

Fall, Spring

### **ART 475 (3-6) Photography**

Expanding technical knowledge and visual awareness while building a portfolio in selected areas. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 375, ART 376 or consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 480 (3-6) Sculpture**

Continuing development of a strongly personal means of aesthetic expression in three dimensions. May be repeated.

Pre: ART 380

Fall, Spring

### **ART 490 (1-6) Workshop**

### **ART 491 (1-4) In-Service**

### **ART 492 (1-6) Art History Seminar**

Specific problems in art emphasizing both individual research and contributions to the seminar group on advanced, in-depth topics.

Pre: Consent

Variable

### **ART 494 (3) Topics**

Lecture/discussion/studio course on a selected area of discourse relating to the study of Art History, Art Criticism, Art Education or Art Studio. May focus on a specific artist, style period, cultural group or technical or methodological problem.

Variable

### **ART 495 (1) Senior Exhibit**

A required course in all art major degree programs. Students plan and present art work in an exhibition. Can not be taken same semester as student teaching.

Pre: Consent

Fall, Spring

### **ART 496 (1) Art History Senior Thesis**

Capstone writing project. Advanced study and research required. Topic of the senior thesis determined jointly by the student and the faculty advisor. Required for art history specialization and art history major. A less expansive project is required for the art history minor.

Pre: Consent of advisor

Fall, Spring

### **ART 497 (1-6) Internship**

Field experience in professional settings relating to the specialization: graphic design, museum or arts administration, etc.

Pre: Jr. standing with consent of advisor and department chair.

Fall, Spring

### **ART 499 (1-6) Individual Study**

Advanced level pursuit of special projects of research on an independent basis.

Requires contractual agreement in art office for registration.

Pre: Consent

Fall, Spring