

BA-Studio Art

Printed Name: _____ IDN: _____

Major Code: 2560

This degree is available in a guaranteed 8-semester plan for qualified freshmen. **See your advisor to declare your major and sign an official degree plan.**

The prerequisites and corequisites of the degree requirements are subject to change.

A portfolio is required for admission into the B.A. in Studio Art program. This portfolio will contain examples of work from the required foundations curriculum and will demonstrate proficiency in all classes. Contact the Chair of the Art Department for specifics concerning this requirement.

FRESHMAN YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 16 hours				FRESHMAN YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 16 hours			
Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade	Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade
3	English composition requirement	1		3	English composition requirement	1	
3	SPCH 1203 Intro to Speech Communication			3	Mathematics requirement	1	
4	Lab Science requirement	1		3	Art foundations	2	
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				1	ART 1101 Studio Art Admission Portfolio	2	
SOPHOMORE YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 15 hours				SOPHOMORE YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 16 hours			
Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade	Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade
3	Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	1		3	ART 2873 Survey of Art History II	2	
3	Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	1		3	Upper-level studio art course	2 & 3	
3	ART 2863 Survey of Art History I	2		3	Upper-level studio art course	2 & 3	
3	Lower-level studio art course	2 & 3		4	World language requirement	4	
3	Lower-level studio art course	2 & 3		3	Additional degree requirement	5	
JUNIOR YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 16 hours				JUNIOR YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 16 hours			
Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade	Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade
3	Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	1		4	Lab Science requirement	1	
3	Upper-level art history course	2 & 3		3	Upper-level studio art course	2 & 3	
3	Upper-level studio art course	2 & 3		3	World language requirement	4	
4	World language requirement	4		3	Additional degree requirement	5	
3	Additional degree requirement	5		3	Additional degree requirement	5	
SENIOR YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 15 hours				SENIOR YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 15 hours			
Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade	Hrs	Courses	Notes	Grade
3	Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	1		3	History/Government requirement	1	
3	Upper-level art history course	2 & 3		3	ART 4953 Studio Art Capstone	2	
3	Upper-level studio art requirement	2 & 3		3	Additional degree requirement	5	
3	Additional degree requirement	5		3	Additional degree requirement	5	
3	PHIL 3103 Reasoning Across the Disciplines or PHIL3203 Ethics Across the Disciplines			3	Additional degree requirement	5	

Total Hours: 124 At least 45 hours must be upper level

NOTES
1: General Education Core Requirements, see Graduation Requirements section of this catalog. Follow requirements with following stipulations: fine arts-may not use ART 2863 or 2873; social sciences-PSYC 1163 is required and select one other course.
2: These courses are used to determine major courses in residency, see Graduation Requirements section of this catalog. The art foundation courses are: ART 1203 Color; ART 1213 2-D Design; ART 1303 Figure Drawing; ART 1313 Drawing; and ART 1403 3-D Design. A grade of C or better is required in all foundations, studio art classes and any GRDS course selected (see note #3) that count toward the B.A. in Studio Art. A cumulative 2.75 GPA is required in these courses to meet graduation requirements. Students must pass ART 1101 to be admitted into the Studio Art program.
3: Art requirements 27 hours. Lower-level studio courses: select six hours from ART 2773, 2793, or GRDS 2213. Upper-level art history: ART 3523 and 4203 are required. Upper-level studio courses: select 15 hours from ART 3303, 3313, ART 3323, 3753, 3763, 3773, 3783, 3793, 3813, 391V, any other upper-level studio art course, or GRDS 3223.
4: World language requirement 11 hours. Must complete through Intermediate I of a world language.
5: Additional degree requirement: A minor must be completed for this degree. Consult with faculty advisor. Select courses to ensure completion of 45 upper-level hours for graduation.

Transfer Course Information

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits and the equitable treatment of the application of credits for the admissions and degree requirements. Courses transferability is not guaranteed for courses listed in ACTS as "No Comparable Courses." ACTS-Arkansas Course Transfer System <http://acts.adhe.edu> -select Course Transfer. Students may also view the UA Fort Smith Transfer Credit Guide at www.uafortsmith.edu/Transfer/TransferCreditGuide.

See Acceptance of Transfer Credits section of the 2011-2012 academic catalog for a complete list of transfer provisions.

Student Degree Program Requirements

A student's degree program requirements are those specified in the catalog in effect at the time of declaration of program major. If not on the Guaranteed 8-semester degree plan, students may choose to meet the program requirements specified in the catalog for a later year from when they began their program of study. Students must meet the above program requirements and the graduation requirements as indicated by institutional and college policy. The program can be changed only with the approval of the official advisor.

If original courses are eliminated, students may be required to meet new curriculum requirements in the degree program. If students are not enrolled for two or more consecutive terms (excluding summer terms), they must re-enter under the program requirements of the current catalog. Students are responsible for understanding program requirements and changes.

Guaranteed 8-Semester Degree Completion Program Pursuant to Act 1014 of 2005, qualified first-time freshmen with a declared major may elect to participate in the guaranteed 8-semester degree completion program. Students must follow the above degree plan and meet all requirements as outlined in the Guaranteed 8-semester Degree Completion Program contract. The contract and this degree plan must be signed and filed with the advisor before the first day of classes for the student's first term of attendance. The official copy of the contract and degree plan are filed in the Records Office.

Approved by Dr. Ray Wallace, March 1, 2011-Catalog Year 2011-2012. This document is not official until signed and dated by both the student and an authorized university representative.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor Signature _____ Date _____