ART AND DESIGN

The Bachelor of Arts in Art and Design is a four-year degree program with two options: Art and Culture or Visual Culture Studies. Both options require students to complement their studio art or visual culture studies coursework with study in a second area, within or outside of the College of Design. This can include a second major or minor, or an alternative program of study approved by your academic advisor.

Flexibility is a key feature of the BA in Art and Design. Many students, working with an advisor, design a course of study that allows them to pursue the BA degree in conjunction with a second major or minor such as journalism, advertising, business, history, or psychology.

The BA in Art and Design can serve as a springboard into a wide array of exciting graduate school and career opportunities, including art criticism, art history, art sales, conservation, corporate art collections, gallery/museum studies, and art therapy.

Art and Culture Option

In the Art and Culture option, students combine coursework in studio art with another area of interest. Working with an advisor, students design their own programs of study, which may include another major or minor in addition to the concentration emphasizing studio art.

Visual Culture Studies Option

The Visual Culture Studies option is for students seeking a concentrated course of study in art and design history, theory, and criticism. For students interested in museum studies, courses may include up to nine (9) credits of museum or gallery internship. Working with an advisor, students design their own programs of study, which may include another major or minor in addition to the concentration in visual culture studies.

Required courses include six (6) history courses at the 300/400 level and a museum or gallery internship.

This curriculum offers two concentrations: Art and Culture and Visual Culture Studies. Both concentrations are combined with an approved program of study, which may consist of a second major or a minor.

Art and Culture Concentration

The curriculum in Art and Design: Art and Culture Concentration leads to a 121 credit undergraduate Bachelor of Arts degree.

Total Degree Requirements: 121 credits

Only 65 credits from a two-year institution can apply, and may include up to 16 technical credits; 9 P-NP credits of free electives; 2.00 minimum GPA.

International Perspectives: 3 credits
U.S. Diversity: 3 credits
Communication: 10 credits
(C or better grade in ENGL 150 and ENGL 250)

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Humanities: 6 credits
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

Social Sciences: 6 credits
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

Math/Physics/Biol. Sciences: 6 credits
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

General Education Courses: 9 credits
6 credits at level 300-400 from College of Design General Education Approved Course List
3 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

Total Credits 9

College of Design Core: 12 credits

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Art History and Theory: 15 credits

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Art and Culture Concentration: 12 credits
12 credits from 200-level or above in College of Design studio courses.
Program of Study: 30 credits
30 credits from an approved program of study, including 6 credits at 300-400 level.

Electives: 15 credits

Visual Culture Studies Concentration
Total Degree Requirements: 119 credits
Only 65 credits from a two-year institution can apply and may include up to 16 technical credits; 9 P-NP credits of free electives; 2.00 minimum GPA.

International Perspectives: 3 credits
U.S. Diversity: 3 credits
Communication: 10 credits
(C or better grade)

**ENGL 150** Critical Thinking and Communication 3
**ENGL 250** Written, Oral, Visual, and Electronic Composition 3
**LIB 160** Information Literacy 1

One course from the following:
- **COMST 101** Introduction to Communication Studies
- **COMST 211** Interpersonal Communication
- **CMDIS 286** Communicating with the Deaf
- **SP CM 110** Listening
- **SP CM 212** Fundamentals of Public Speaking

**Total Credits** 10

**Humanities: 6 credits**
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

**Social Sciences: 6 credits**
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

**Math/Physics/Biol. Sciences: 6 credits**
6 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

**General Education Courses: 9 credits**
6 credits at level 300-400 from College of Design General Education Approved Course List
3 credits from College of Design General Education Approved Course List

**Total Credits** 9

Visual Culture Studies Core: 9 credits

**ART H 280** History of Art I 3
**ART H 281** History of Art II 3

Choose ONE from the following
- **DSN S 183** Design in Context 3
- or **ART H 292** Introduction to Visual Culture Studies

**Total Credits** 9

Visual Culture Studies Concentration: 34 credits
6 credits foreign language. 24 credits in approved History/Theory/Criticism courses from departments in the College of Design. May include up to 9 credits Museum/Gallery Internship. 12 credits must be at 300 level or above. 4 credits ART H 499 Visual Culture Studies Writing and Methods Seminar.

Program of Study: 24 credits
24 credits from an approved program of study, including 6 credits at 300-400 level.

Electives: 15 credits

Art and Design, BA, Art and Culture Concentration

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Art and Design, BA, Visual Culture Studies Concentration

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| ART H 499 Visual Culture Studies Writing and Methods Seminar | 4 | Visual Culture Studies | 3 |
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