

The BA in Art, with an emphasis in Fine Art (Studio)

The BA in Art, with an emphasis in fine art, art education, or art history, requires successful completion of 120 hours, including (1) the UCA Core: complete 38 hours to meet lower-division UCA Core requirements (see [UCA Core requirements](#) and note that ART 2325, 2335, or 2336—required for Art majors and minors—fulfills the LD UCA Core requirement in Critical Analysis, Fine Arts/Humanities) and complete upper-division UCA Core requirements using designated courses (again, see [UCA Core requirements](#)); (2) sophomore-level foreign-language course (see Related Course Requirement, below); (3) an approved degree program in art; and (4) a minor approved by the student's minor advisor.

Students are strongly encouraged to follow the semester-by-semester structure in the published BA Academic Map. As such, this document is to be used as a checklist to evaluate the student's progress through the degree in a course-by-course manner.

Art Core Courses (a total of 18 hours required)

ART 1210, 1220, and 1230 are to be taken concurrently and are only offered in the fall

- ART 1210 Foundations Seminar I: Introduction To Professional Studio Practice, Theory, And Workshop
- ART 1220 Foundations Studio A: Visual Analysis, Ideation, And Process
- ART 1230 Foundations Studio B: Research, Experimentation, And Iteration

ART 1270, 1280, and 1290 are to be taken concurrently and are only offered in the spring

- ART 1270 Foundations Seminar II: Introduction To Contemporary Art Media, Processes, And Meaning
- ART 1280 Foundations Studio C: Structure, Meaning, And Craft
- ART 1290 Foundations Studio D: Time, Motion, And Collaboration

6 hours of Lower Division Art History

- ART 2335 Art History, Prehistoric to Medieval
- ART 2336 Art History, Renaissance to Modern

Art Area Studies (a total of 20 hours required)

- ART 2140 Portfolio I (fall only)
- ART 3140 Portfolio II (spring only)
- Upper Division Advance Drawing Requirement: ART 3324 Drawing III

Category A (select one)

- ART 3361 Sculpture I
- ART 3379 Ceramics I
- ART 3350 Fibers
- ART 3315 Contemporary Media in 3-D (Prerequisite: 3 hours 3000-level studio) [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3355 3D Animation
- ART 3V92 Special Topics in Studio Art (Topics are emailed to students when available)

Category B (select one)

- ART 3318 Photography I
- ART 3330 Illustration I
- ART 3332 Painting I
- ART 3334 Mixed Media in 2D
- ART 3343 Printmaking I
- ART 3353 Design Theory and Process
- ART 3356 Time-Based Media
- ART 3V92 Special Topics in Studio Art (Topics are emailed to students when available)

Category C (select one)

- ART 3321 Digital Photography
- ART 3353 Design Theory and Process
- ART 3354 Composition in Design [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3355 3D Animation
- ART 3356 Time-Based Media
- ART 3357 Emergent Art [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3358 Interactivity [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3V92 Special Topics in Studio Art (Topics are emailed to students when available)
- ART 4328 Design Reasoning and Research
- ART 4335 Conceptual Design and Symbolism

Select one additional course from this list

(write the course chosen next to the category)

- Category A _____
- Category B _____
- Category C _____
- ART 3304 Introduction to Art Education

3 hours of Upper Division Art History (Category D or E)

Category D

- ART 3307 Arts of Africa [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3311 Ancient South American Art [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3329 Ancient Mesoamerican Art [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3385 Art of India
- ART 3395 Art of Japan

Category E

- ART 3301 Modern Art [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3302 History of American Art [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3303 Nineteenth Century Art History [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 3335 Art Museum Studies
- ART 3363 History of Graphic Design
- ART 3365 Women in Art [UD UCA Core: Diversity]
- ART 4372 Senior Seminar (fall only)

BA Area Studies - Level II (a total of 6 hours required)

(Note – If one or more of the courses below have been checked off on the front of this sheet under Category A or B or C, then select an alternate studio elective at Level II.)

Select two of the following

- ART 3315 Contemporary Media in 3-D [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3320 Photography II [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3325 Color
- ART 3331 Advanced Illustration [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3333 Painting II [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3339 Advanced Mixed Media in 2D
- ART 3344 Printmaking II [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3345 Printmaking III [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3346 Printmaking IV [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3354 Composition in Design [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3357 Emergent Art [UD UCA Core: C, I]

- ART 3358 Interactivity [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3362 Sculpture II [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3380 Slip Casting and Glaze Formulation [UD UCA Core: C, I]
- ART 3390 Ceramics II
- ART 4325 Experimental Drawing
- ART 4328 Design Reasoning and Research
- ART 4335 Conceptual Design and Symbolism
- ART 4V71 Directed Studio Problem
- ART 4V75 Art Internship
- ART 4388 Advanced Studio

Studio Art Upper Division Elective (a total of 3 hours required)
(write the course chosen next to the category)

- ART 4388 Advanced Studio
- or***
- UD Studio _____

BA Capstone (a total of 1 hour required)

- ART 4140 Portfolio Assessment III [UD UCA Core: Z]

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