

## **B.A. IN ART HISTORY DEGREE**

The B.A. in Art History major offers students with a course of study that will provide depth and breadth in the history of art. Students will develop a broad understanding of world art, study the art of western and other global cultures in-depth, and explore the historiography and professional practices related to the field. Closely linked to the Museum Studies minor curriculum, the B.A. in Art History has a strong vocational application. This degree provides preparation for entry into graduate school or for students who want to enter the work force after their undergraduate education. Students will have the experience and training to enter into the cultural sector (arts or archival management, non-profit work in the arts and humanities, etc.).

### ***Degree Requirements***

Requirements of the degree include:

- 121 hours, including 51 hours within the major
- All Art courses must be passed with a letter grade of C or better
- 2.50 GPA within major required
- 2.50 or above overall UW total institutional GPA
- UW Transfer Art Residency Requirement for transfer of 12 or more art credit hours into department: 26 upper division hours of UW Art courses

### **Minimum Course Requirements for B.A. in Art History**

#### **Foundation Core (6 Hrs.)**

*6 credits chosen from the below*

- ART 1005 Drawing I (3)
- ART 1110 Foundation: Two Dimensional (3)
- ART 1120 Foundation: Three Dimensional (3)
- ART 1130 Foundation: Color Theory (3)

#### **Studio Core (3 Hrs.)**

*3 credits chosen from the below.*

- ART 2005 Drawing II (3)
- ART 2210 Painting I (3)
- ART 2112 Graphic Design I (3)
- ART 2255 or 2265 Photo (3)
- ART 3510 Printmaking I (3)
- ART 2310 Sculptural Practices I (3)
- ART 2350 Metalsmithing I (3)
- ART 2410 or 2420 Ceramics I or II (3)

#### **Art History Core (6 Hrs.)**

- Art 2010 Survey I (3)
- Art 2020 Survey II (3)

#### **Art History Core Electives (3 Hrs.)**

*3 units chosen from the below*

- ART 2700 Introduction to Museology (3)
- ART 2030 History of Graphic Design (3)

#### **Upper Division Art History Electives (18 Hrs.)**

*18 units chose from the below – with the following stipulations:*

- 6-9 hours 3000 or 4000 level Art History Courses\**
- 6-9 hours of ART 4790, Art Seminar – required (fulfills USP COM 3 requirement)*

*3-9 hours Other Historical Traditions (Examples include but are not limited to: Medieval Islamic, Japanese Art and Culture, Meso-American) – required*

*\*6 hours of upper division art history may be taken in other departments with cross listed courses (that may have pre-requisites other than Art History).*

*\* Cross-listed and applicable courses: Intro to Museology, HIST/ANTH/ART 2700; Victorian Women's Lives, ART/ENGL/WMST 3710, Gender & Humanities (fulfills the USP COM 2 requirement), ART/ENGL/WMST 4830; History of Women Artists (fulfills the G requirement for the A&S Core), ART/WMST 4780; History of Architecture, ARE 3030; The Harlem Renaissance, AMST 4250; Art and Ecology, AMST/ART 4640; Special Topics in American Studies including travel courses (as appropriate); Special topics in Classical and Modern Languages-including travel courses (as appropriate); History of the Book, HIST 4070, 75, 76, 77*

**Foreign Language (16 Hrs.)**

LANG 1010 (4)  
LANG 1020 (4)  
LANG 2030 (4)  
LANG 2040 (4)

**University Studies Program (USP)**

Freshman Seminar (3)  
Com I (3)  
Com II (3)  
Com III (3)  
Human Culture (6)  
WYO History and Constitutions (3)  
Q Math (3)  
PN (6)

**USP Upper Division Requirement**

*42 Overall Upper Division total credits required (3000-4000 level anywhere)*

**Arts and Sciences Core**

*60 Outside Major credits required total*  
Diversity (3)  
Global (3)