

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ART**  
**WEITZENHOFER FAMILY COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**  
 THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education  
**Summer 2014 through Spring 2015**

<b>CREDIT HOURS AND GRADE AVERAGES REQUIRED</b>	
Total Credit Hours . . . . .	125-135
Minimum Overall Grade Point Average . . . . .	2.50
Minimum Grade Point Average in OU Work . . . . .	2.50
<b>A grade of C or better is required in all courses taken within the School of Art and Art History.</b>	
<b>Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 40 hours of upper-division (3000-4000) coursework.</b>	

Art  
**B050**  
 Bachelor of Arts  
 in Art

**OU encourages students to complete at least 32 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in four years.**

General Education & Other Requirements (34-44 hours)	Hours	Art and Art History Courses (54-55 hours)	Hours
<b>Core I: Symbolic and Oral Communication</b>		<b>Core Curriculum (12 hours)</b>	
ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition	3	<b>Core Courses:</b>	
ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition, or	3	ART 1033, Core I Surface	3
EXPO 1213, Expository Writing		ART 1043, Core II, Space and Time	3
Foreign Language— this requirement is not mandatory if the student successfully completed 2 years of the same foreign language in high school. 2 courses (Core I)	0-10	ART 1133, Core III, Technology	3
		ART 1143, Core IV, Integrated Studio	3
		<b>Area of Specialization (30 hours)</b>	
		<b>Core Studio Courses:</b> May select from courses in ART, ATC, ARTC, and DES. At least 12 hours must be upper-division.	
		_____	30
Mathematics—(Core I) (1473 is recommended)	3	_____	
		_____	
<b>Core II: Natural Science - 2 courses.</b> The two courses must be from different disciplines; one must include a laboratory.		_____	
	3-4	_____	
	4	ART 4983, Senior Capstone (see Gen. Ed. requirements)	0
		<b>Art History Requirements:</b> 12-13 hours. Choose two from the following lower division:	
	3	A HI 2014, Introduction to Art History, or	6-7
	3	A HI 2213, Global Art I (Core IV), or	
		A HI 2223, Global Art II (Core IV)	
<b>Core III: Social Science - 2 courses</b>		Upper-Division A HI	3
P SC 1113, American Federal Government		Upper-Division A HI*	3
		*A HI must be General Educ. approved selected from Core IV.	
<b>Core IV: Humanities</b>			
Understanding Artistic Forms: (will be satisfied in Art History Requirements)	0		
Western Civilization & Culture: (6 hours)			
HIST 1483, United States, 1492-1865, or	3		
1493, United States, 1865 to Present			
	3		
Non-Western Culture; upper-division, outside major, may not be A HI, ARTC, or crosslisted equivalent course:			
	3		
<b>Senior Capstone</b> — ART 4983, Senior Capstone Experience	3		
Other Gen Ed (will be satisfied in Art History Requirements)	0		

**University-Wide General Education Requirements (minimum 40 hours)**

Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or Capstone are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list, including at least one upper-division Gen. Ed. course outside of the student's major. Courses graded S/U or P/NP will not apply.

<b>Core I</b>	<b>Symbolic and Oral Communication (9–19 hours, 3–5 courses)</b> • English Composition—6 hours, 2 courses • Mathematics—3 hours, 1 course • Foreign Language—0–10 hours, 2 courses in the same language, (which can be met by successfully completing two years of the same foreign language in high school) • Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)
<b>Core II</b>	<b>Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses)</b> • Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical sciences; one of which must include a laboratory
<b>Core III</b>	<b>Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses)</b> • One course must be P SC 1113, “American Federal Government”
<b>Core IV</b>	<b>Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses)</b> • Understanding Artistic Forms—3 hours, 1 course • Western Civilization and Culture—6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 or HIST 1493 • Non-Western Cultures—3 hours, 1 course
<b>Senior Capstone Experience (3 hours, 1 course)</b>	

## Suggested Semester Advisement Plan

### Art

Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours
<b>FRESHMAN</b>	ART 1033, Core I: Surface	3	ART 1133, Core III: Technology	3
	ART 1043, Core II: Space and Time	3	ART 1143, Core IV: Integrative Studio	3
	AHI 2014, Introduction to Art History, <b>or</b> 2213, Global Art I, <b>or</b> 2223 Global Art II	3-4	ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition (Core I), <b>or</b> EXPO 1213, Expository Writing (Core I)	3
	ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition (Core I)	3	MATH (Core I) (1473 is recommended)	3
	Beginning Foreign Language (Core I)	0-5	Beginning Foreign Language continued (Core I)	0-5
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>12-18</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>12-17</b>
<b>SOPHOMORE</b>	Core Studio	3	Core Studio	3
	Core Studio	3	Core Studio	3
	Secondary Emphasis	3	Secondary Emphasis	3
	Natural Science with lab (Core II)	4	A HI 2014, Introduction to Art History, <b>or</b> 2213, Global Art I, <b>or</b> 2223 Global Art II	3-4
	HIST 1483, U. S. 1492-1865, <b>or</b> HIST 1493, U. S. 1865-Present (Core IV)	3	P SC 1113, American Federal Government (Core III)	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>18-19</b>
<b>JUNIOR</b>	Core Studio	3	Core Studio, upper-division	3
	Core Studio	3	A HI Elective, upper-division	3
	Secondary Emphasis	3	Secondary Emphasis	3
	Secondary Emphasis	3	Secondary Emphasis	3
	Natural Science without lab (Core II)	2-3	Non-Western Culture, (Core IV) <sup>#</sup>	3
Western Civilization & Culture <sup>#</sup>	3-4	Social Science (Core III)	3	
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17-19</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>SENIOR</b>	Core Studio, upper-division	3	ART 4983, Senior Capstone (Capstone)	3
	Core Studio, upper-division	3	Core Studio, upper-division	3
	A HI Elective, upper-division*	3	Secondary Emphasis	3
	Secondary Emphasis	3	Secondary Emphasis	3
	Secondary Emphasis	3	Free Elective, lower- or upper-division	4
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>

<sup>#</sup>The course taken to fulfill the upper-division General Education outside the major requirement may not be chosen from A HI, ARTC, or the crosslisted equivalent.

\*A HI must be General Education approved selected from Core IV.

Variable allowances in this semester plan allow for student choice in course selection; students must complete a minimum of 125 hours for degree completion.

At least **30 hours of upper-division Art** credit must be earned in residence as a declared major; must include the Senior Capstone.

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This plan of study should not be used in lieu of academic advisement.

*Unless otherwise stated on the degree sheet, the College of Fine Arts does **not** permit coursework to fulfill more than one degree requirement.*