

## Bachelor of Arts

Candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree must meet the following requirements:

1. Completion of a minimum of 128 total semester hours; 42 hours must be advanced; 24 advanced hours must be completed at UNT.
2. Major of 36 hours in art in a prescribed field; 18 hours (including 12 advanced) must be completed at UNT.
3. Minor of 18 hours, of which 6 must be advanced, from a field outside the School of Visual Arts. Minors are chosen with faculty advisers for selected majors. For some majors, the minor is specified.
4. Completion of requirements for the bachelor's degree listed in the Academics section of this catalog, including University Core Curriculum requirements outlined in this section. Two hours (maximum) of wellness will count toward the degree.
5. A 2.5 grade point average must be maintained in all art courses; only grades of C or better in art courses will count toward degree requirements.
6. Transfer course work to be substituted for required art courses must be approved by a student's faculty adviser during the degree plan process.
7. Completion of 6 hours of foreign language at the sophomore level.

## Major in Art History

*Following is **one** suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their adviser each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment.*

### BA with a Major in Art History

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

FALL	HOURS
ART 1200, Art Appreciation <sup>1</sup>	3
ECON 1110, Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ENGL 1310, College Writing I	3
PSCI 1040, American Government	3
Minor: French or German <sup>8</sup>	<u>4</u>
Total	16

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

SPRING	HOURS
ENGL 1320, College Writing II	3
MATH 1100, College Algebra	3
PSCI 1050, American Government	3
Art Studio <sup>27</sup>	3
Minor: French or German <sup>8</sup>	<u>4</u>
Total	16

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR

FALL	HOURS
ART 2350, Art History Survey I <sup>2</sup>	3
ENGL 2210, World Literature I	3
HIST 2610, United States History to 1865 <sup>31</sup>	3
Art Studio <sup>27</sup>	3
Minor: French or German <sup>8</sup>	3
Wellness <sup>5</sup>	<u>2</u>
Total	17

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR

SPRING	HOURS
ART 2360, Art History Survey II <sup>3</sup>	3
ENGL 2220, World Literature II	3
HIST 2620, United States History Since 1865 <sup>31</sup>	3
Free Elective or Oral Communication Requirement <sup>7</sup>	3
Minor: French or German <sup>8</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	15

#### JUNIOR YEAR

FALL	HOURS
ART 4140, Greek and Roman Art, or ART 4710, Medieval Art <sup>4</sup>	3
Elective	3
Elective (advanced)	3
Laboratory Science <sup>9</sup>	3-4
Minor: French or German (advanced) <sup>8</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	15-16

#### JUNIOR YEAR

SPRING	HOURS
ART 4130, Renaissance Art in Italy, or ART 4330, Northern Renaissance Art <sup>4</sup>	3
Elective (advanced)	3
Free Elective or Computer Competence Requirement <sup>6</sup>	3
Laboratory Science <sup>9</sup>	3-4
Minor: French or German (advanced) <sup>8</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	15-16

#### SENIOR YEAR

FALL	HOURS
Elective	3
ART 4180, 17th Century Art <sup>4</sup> , or ART 4380, 18th Century Art, or ART 4360, 19th Century Art	3
Art History (advanced)	3
Elective (advanced)	3
Elective (advanced)	3
Understanding of Ideas and Values <sup>9</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	18

#### SENIOR YEAR

SPRING	HOURS
ART 4370, 20th Century Art	3
Art Elective (advanced)	3
Art History (advanced)	3
Elective (advanced)	3
Elective	<u>2-4</u>
Total	14-16

*Note: Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.  
See Visual Arts footnotes.*

#### Summary of Degree Requirements:

Art (18 advanced):	36
Minor (6 advanced):	18-20
Core:	
English	12
American History	6
Political Science	6
Physical and Life Science	6-8
Mathematics	3
Wellness	2
Understanding of Ideas and Values	3
Economics	3
Electives (must include 14 hours of French or German if not selected as a minor):	29-33

#### Note:

18 hours of art (including 12 advanced) must be taken at UNT.  
42 total hours must be advanced;  
24 of the 42 hours must be taken at UNT.  
To reach 42 advanced hours, 15 hours of free electives must be advanced.  
24 of the last 30 hours must be completed at UNT.

## **Supplemental Information for BA with a Major in Art History**

### **Senior Exit Assessment for Art History**

Graduating seniors should identify themselves to the Coordinator of Art History during the first week of the semester when they plan to graduate.

### **Majors**

Students who major in art history are expected to develop the following competencies:

1. Proficiency in analysis of artworks as demonstrated in examinations and papers.
2. Proficiency in art historical research as demonstrated in papers.
3. Knowledge of key monuments of Western art, terminology related to that art, and understanding of the cultural context in which it was produced.
4. understanding of art historical methodologies.

### **Methods of Assessment**

#### **Competencies 1 and 2:**

During the semester when the student plans to graduate, all art history faculty will review an unrevised term paper the student wrote in the last term they were enrolled. If the paper is judged unsatisfactory, by the end of the sixth week of that final semester, the student will submit to all art history faculty a term paper that they write for a current art history class. If the second paper is unsatisfactory, the student will be given a special research paper assignment for all art history faculty to evaluate.

#### **Competency 3:**

During the semester when the student plans to graduate, a 100-point test will be given. If the results are unsatisfactory, the student must retake the exam until it is passed.

### **Results**

Record of success in passing the review will be furnished to the student and recorded for the School of Visual Arts. Unsatisfactory reviews will delay graduation.