BACHELOR of Arts in Visual Studies (#509)
Studio Concentration
Department of Art

Potter College of Arts & Letters

Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

A minor is not required, but can be completed in 4 years depending on number of hours. Please, be mindful of the overall upper-level requirements: 42 hours at the 3xx or 4xx level must be completed in order to graduate.

SAMPLE - 4 year plan

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 105 History of Art up to 1300 (E-AH) (F-W1)	3	ART 106 History of Art since 1300	3
	ART 130 2-D Design or ART 131 3-D Design	3	ART 130 2-D Design or ART 131 3-D Design	3
	ART 140 Drawing	3	ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3
	ENG 100 Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3	MATH 109 General Math OR MATH 116 College Algebra (F-QR)	3
	COMM 145 Fundamentals of Public Speaking (F-OC)	3	World Language, if needed, OR General Elective	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 2xx level, Basic Studio selection (1)	3	ART 2xx level, Basic Studio selection (3)	3
	ART 2xx level, Basic Studio selection (2)	3	ART 3xx level studio, Advanced Area requirement (1)	3
	HIST 101 World History I OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB)	3	Natural & Physical Science with Lab (E-NS, LS)	3
	Social & Behavioral Studies (E-SB)	3	ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3
	Minor or elective credit	3	Minor or elective credit	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

World Language Proficiency: All students entering in Fall 2014 or later must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses or take a proficiency test. For more information go to www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement/.

Colonnade Plan: All students entering in fall 2014 or later must complete 39 hours in 13 specific Colonnade areas. Colonnade areas are listed in parentheses marked in blue after the corresponding classes. Some areas may have specific course requirements while others can be chosen from selected lists of options. For more details and to see lists of options, go to http://www.wku.edu/colonnade/documents/approved_colonnade_courses_website.pdf

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THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 300-400 level studio (2)	3	ART 300-400 level studio(4)	3
	ART 300-400 level Studio (3)	3	ART 300-400 level studio (5)	3
	ART 300-400 level Art History elective (1)	3	Connections: Social and Cultural (K-SC)	3
	Natural & Physical Science (E-NS)	3	Minor or elective credit	3
	Minor or elective credit	3	Minor or elective credit	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 300-400 level Art History elective (2)	3	ART 434 Capstone Seminar	1
	ART 300-400 level Studio (6)	3	Connections: Systems (K-SY)	3
	Connections: Local to Global Course (K-LG)	3	Minor or elective credit	2
	Minor or elective credit	3	Minor or elective credit	3
	Minor or elective credit	3	Minor or elective credit	3
			Minor or elective credit	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	**15**	**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**	**15**

Total Credit Hours: 120

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