

# Art History BA

## Bachelor of Arts in Art History (BA) Requirements and Electives

### University-wide General Education Requirements: 34 hr

#### Written Communication (WC) 6 hr

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
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#### Oral Communication (OC) 3 hr

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3

#### Math (M) 3–4 hr

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3–4

#### Arts & Humanities (A) (H) 6 hr

- (A) ARTH 250, 270, or 290 fulfills Gen Ed Arts requirement \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 (H) \_\_\_\_\_ 3

#### Natural Sciences (S) (SL=Lab) 7 hr

- (1st discipline) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 (2nd discipline) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 Lab \_\_\_\_\_ 1

#### Social & Behavioral Sciences (SB) 9 hr

- (History) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 (1st discipline) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 (2nd discipline) \_\_\_\_\_ 3

### A&S Programmatic Requirements: 22 hr

- GEN 101: A&S Orientation \_\_\_\_\_ 1

#### Foreign Language 12 hr

- \_\_\_\_\_ 4  
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#### Electives in Social Sciences and/or Natural Sciences 9 hr

**Social Sciences:** Anthropology, Communication, Economics, Geography, History, Justice Administration, *Linguistics\**, *Pan-African Studies\**, Paralegal Studies, Political Science, Psychology, *Social Change\**, Sociology, *Women's & Gender Studies\**

- Natural Sciences:** Biology, Chemistry, Geosciences, Mathematics, Physics  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 300+ \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 300+ \_\_\_\_\_ 3

### Supporting Courses: 18 hr

- HUM 591, 592, 593, 594, 595 or 596 (WR) \_\_\_\_\_ 3

#### Electives in Humanities (300+) other than Art or Art History 15 hr

Chinese Studies, English, Humanities, *Linguistics\** Modern Languages, Music History, *Pan-African Studies\**, Philosophy, *Social Change\**, Theatre Arts, *Women's & Gender Studies\**, American Sign Language, Chinese, French, German, Greek, Hebrew, Italian, Latin, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
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\* *Linguistics, Pan-African Studies, Social Change, Women's & Gender Studies* courses count as either Humanities or Social Sciences depending on the individual course. Check the course description.

#### Cultural Diversity 6 hr

- CD1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 CD1 or CD2 \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural Diversity (CD) and Writing (WR) courses may also fill other university, college or departmental requirements. Course descriptions must include CD or WR in the course name.

#### Writing Courses (WR) 6 hr

- HUM 591-595 fulfills 3 hrs WR  
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### Department of Fine Arts Requirements and Electives: 27 hr

#### Art History Requirements

##### Survey Courses 6 hr

Choose two from ARTH 250, 270, 290

- ARTH 200-level survey (fulfills Gen Ed Arts requirement) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
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##### Period/Area Courses 12 hr

Students must select **one course** from **four** of the following **five** areas. Of the total 27 hours in Art History, 15 hours must be at the 300 level and 6 hours must be at the 500 level.

##### Ancient:

ARTH 351, 353, 551, 552, or 553

##### Medieval, Byzantine, Islamic:

ARTH 362, 363, 364, 367, 561, or 562

##### Renaissance or Baroque:

ARTH 345, 371, 372, 373, 381, 571, 574, or 581

##### Modern:

ARTH 320, 321, 325, 326, 341, 343, 344, 365, 391, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 521, 526, 593, 595, or 597

##### Asian:

ARTH 331, 335, 337, 339

- ARTH area 1 (300 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ARTH area 2 (300 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ARTH area 3 (300 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ARTH area 4 (300 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3

##### Art History Electives 9 hr

- ARTH (300 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ARTH (500 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ARTH (500 level) \_\_\_\_\_ 3

### Minimum Electives 20 hr

A **maximum of 13 hours in Art or Art History** may be used in the free electives. Only 40 hours in the major department may be applied toward the Bachelor of Arts degree. Courses in studio art are calculated in the 40 hours allowed for art history majors.

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### Minimum Total for Graduation 121 hr

#### NOTES:

- Refer to the Course Catalog for a list of General Education courses and distribution, as well as a complete list of degree requirements. Please review **General Education Program Descriptions/Learning Outcomes** available at <http://louisville.edu/provost/GER/> for more specifics.
- At least 50 of the total minimum hours required must be at the 300-level or above.
- A grade of C- or better is required in all 300- and 500-level courses in the major.
- Form does NOT replace official A&S Advising Center program form or degree check.
- Students with 90+ hours completed may request a preliminary degree check: <http://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/advising/authenticated-forms/request-for-preliminary-degree-check>
- In order to graduate, you must fill out a degree application online. Info and deadlines: <http://louisville.edu/student/services/registrar/degrecomm.html> for application