Academic Planning Guide - Fine Arts

North Park University

effective with 2013-2014 Catalog

Major Requirements

Required Semester Hours for BA **:** 48 semester hours

Required Core Courses **: 22 - 24 semester hours**

- ART 1030: Two-Dimensional Design (2)
- ART 1040: Three-Dimensional Design (2)
- ART 1100: Drawing I (2) - *meets Arts & Aesthetic Requirement*
- ART 2100: Drawing II (2 - 4) or ART 3100: Drawing III (4)
- ART 2020: Painting I (2)
- ART 2030: Spatial Arts I (4)
- ART 2040: Printmaking: Relief or ART 2050: Printmaking: Intaglio (2)
- ART 2060: Photography (2)
- ART 4010: Fourth Year Seminar I (2)
- ART 4011: Fourth Year Seminar II (2)

Art History Requirement: 6 semester hours

one of the following:

- ART 2017: History of Early Modern Art (2)
- ART 2018: History of Contemporary Art (2)

two of the following:

- ART 2010: History of African/Oceanic Art (2)
- ART 2011: History of the Art of the Americas (2)
- ART 2012: History of Asian Art (2)
- ART 2013: History of Classical Western Art (2)
- ART 2014: History of Early Christian Byzantine and Medieval Art (2)
- ART 2015: History of Renaissance and Baroque Art (2)
- ART 2016: History of Ninteenth Century Art (2)
- ART 2017: History of Early Modern Art (2) *if not taken above*
- ART 2018: History of Contemporary Art (2) *if not taken above*

Major Electives: 6 semester hours

- Art History beyond the core requirements

Art Co-Requirements: 12 semester hours

Art majors, except those in Education or those taking a double major, are to meet the following co-requirements:

- English: one course taken from:
  - ENG 2020: British Literature II (4)
  - ENG 2030: American Literature (4)
  - ENG 2040: World Literature in Translation (4)
  - ENG 2050: Introduction to Creative Writing (4)
- History or Communication Arts: one course taken from:
  - HIST Elective (4)
  - COMM 2140: Introduction to Theater (4)
- PHIL 3515: Philosophy of Art
- Participation in a Fourth Year Show

Notes:

· Students obtaining a Secondary Education teaching certificate are exempt from the Art Co-Requirements.

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Core Curriculum

Starting with the framework of North Park's identity as a Christian, liberal arts institution, our Core Curriculum is intentionally multi-disciplinary and multi-year. It is set up as a progress through three areas: Foundation Courses, Explorations Courses, and Capstone Courses.

http://www.northpark.edu/Academics/Undergraduate-Studies/Core-Curriculum

Foundations

Preparing for more in-depth work in both the Core Curriculum and your major

- [ ] Cornerstone Seminar (4sh)
- [ ] Biblical Studies (4sh)
- [ ] Health and Well-Being (2sh)
- [ ] Analytical & Quantitative Reasoning (4sh)
- [ ] Global Histories (4sh)
- [ ] Modern Languages (8sh)

Explorations

Knowledge in specific disciplines, with strong emphasis on how you can use them in the context of your own life

- [ ] Art and Aesthetics (2sh)
  met by major course ART 1100
- [ ] Christian Life & Thought (4sh)
- [ ] Life Science (2sh/lab)
- [ ] Physical Science (2sh/lab)
- [ ] Culture and Society (4sh)
  met by co-requirement HIST 2260
- [ ] Ethical Reasoning (2sh)

Intermediate Level Writing

Two courses in the context of your major that specifically address writing clearly and doing effective research

- [ ] Writing Intensive Course (4sh)
- [ ] Research Writing Course (4sh)

Keystone

Interdisciplinary integration of skills and knowledge applied to contemporary social issues

- [ ] Keystone Seminar (4sh)

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