

ART - ART HISTORY (BACHELOR OF ARTS)

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree with a concentration in art history is a flexible 120-hour program which includes the general education curriculum, the required Art major courses, and a minor. The Bachelor of Art degree with a concentration in art history requires 54 hours, including:

Course	Title	Credits
Jax MIX General Education Curriculum		41
Course	Title	Credits
ART 111	Survey of Art I	3
ART 112	Survey of Art II (WI)	3
ART 134	Drawing I	3
ART 233	Design I	3
ART 234	Drawing II	3
ART 240	Design II	3
ART 298	Portfolio Review	0
ART 489	BA Senior Seminar in Art History	3
Select six hours of 100 level foreign language		6
Select 27 hours of 300/400 level art history courses		27
Total Hours		54

The student may choose any minor offered at JSU.

Please refer to the Bachelor of Arts with a concentration in art history in the Art Plan of Study for all general studies and Art Department course requirements.

All Art majors are required to seek advisement each semester from their advisor and become familiar with the general and specific requirements for the degree which they are seeking. Students majoring in Art with a concentration in art history are required to complete and pass the core Art courses: ART 111 Survey of Art I (3), ART 112 Survey of Art II (WI) (3), ART 134 Drawing I (3), ART 233 Design I (3), ART 234 Drawing II (3), ART 240 Design II (3), and ART 298 Portfolio Review (0).

Students must complete ART 111 Survey of Art I (3) and ART 112 Survey of Art II (WI) (3) before enrolling in 300- and 400-level art history courses. Students must earn a "C" or better in each of the major and minor courses taken. Prior to graduation, all Art majors with a concentration in art history are required to complete a senior seminar focusing on historiography and research methodologies relevant to the art history discipline. Working closely with the instructor, students will write a research paper and oral presentation related to their scholarly interest in art history.

The Bachelor of Arts degree with a concentration in art history offered by the Department of Art and Design requires an overall minimum of 120 semester hours comprised of the following sub-requirements:

- a minimum of 12 hours of 300/400 level courses at JSU in the major
- a minimum of six hours of 300/400 level courses in the minor at JSU
- 41 hours of Jax MIX general education courses
- 19 hours of support courses
- a minimum of 36 hours of 300/400 level courses, which include those required in the major and minor

Students must earn a minimum of 2.00 GPA overall and at JSU, 2.50 in the major, and a "C" or better in each of the major and minor courses to graduate.

In addition to courses noted below, candidates for graduation must successfully complete all JSU Academic Regulations. More information about Jax MIX requirements (<https://catalog.jsu.edu/undergraduate/jax-mix-requirements/>) and Alabama Transfers equivalents (<https://catalog.jsu.edu/undergraduate/alabama-transfers-equivalents/>) can be found in their respective section of the catalog.

Freshman		Hours
Fall		
Jax MIX Communication: EH Composition sequence		3
Jax MIX Experience: History Sequence		3
Jax MIX Experience: Social/Behavioral Science		3
ART 111	Survey of Art I ¹	3
ART 134	Drawing I	3
SSC 101	First Year Experience	0
Hours		15
Spring		
Jax MIX Communication: EH Composition sequence		3
MS 110	Finite Mathematics (or higher - Jax MIX Communication)	3
Jax MIX Experience: History Sequence		3
ART 112	Survey of Art II (WI) ¹	3
ART 233	Design I	3
Hours		15
Sophomore		
Fall		
Jax MIX Expression: Fine Arts ¹		3
Jax MIX Inquiry: Science (Lecture + Lab)		4
Jax MIX Experience: Social/Behavioral Science		3
Art History 300+		3
ART 240	Design II	3
ART 298	Portfolio Review	0
Hours		16
Spring		
Jax MIX Expression		3
Jax MIX Inquiry: Science (Lecture + Lab)		4
Art History 300+		3
ART 234	Drawing II	3
Minor/Electives		3
Hours		16
Junior		
Fall		
EH 141	Speech (Jax MIX Communication)	3
Foreign Language sequence ²		3
Art History 300+		6
Minor/Electives		3
Hours		15
Spring		
Jax MIX Expression: Literature		3
Foreign Language sequence ²		3
Art History 300+		6
Minor/Electives		3
Hours		15
Senior		
Fall		
Art History 300+		6
Minor/Electives		9
Hours		15

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ART 489	BA Senior Seminar in Art History	3
Art History 300+		3
Minor/Electives		7
Hours		13
Total Hours		120

¹ ART 111 or ART 112 may also be used to meet the Fine Arts requirement of Jax MIX general education. If used, then the Jax MIX Expression: Fine Arts can be met with electives.

² Sequence must be taken in the same foreign language.