



## THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Attn: Assistant Dean for Curriculum and the ASC Curriculum and Assessment Services  
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Re: Studio Art Minor Program Sheet - Updates

March 22, 2024

Dear Assistant Dean for Curriculum Bernadette Vankeerbergen, Program Manager Rachel Steele, Information Specialist Deborah Hanlin, Curricular Deans of the College, and ASC Curriculum and Assessment Services–

The Department of Art is submitting a request for approval of an updated the **Studio Art Minor** program sheet. As requested, accompanying this letter I have included the Word Document showing the tracked changes and the final clean Word Document.

### **Rationale:**

The Studio Art Minor had not been thoroughly assessed in several years, therefore many of the changes we are requesting fall under basic housekeeping: course numbers and titles have been checked, updated, and if needed, removed.

The Undergraduate Curriculum Committee also reviewed the Studio Art course offerings and found several needs:

- Art has a new Area, Film/Video.
- There are no Glass art courses in the current minor.
- Faculty requested including several courses not on the current sheet: Art 2200, 4101, 4400, 5202, 5502, 3104, 4014, 3009, 4009, 5009, 5019, 3003, 4503, 5903, 5007.
- Some areas had many course offerings, others very few.

The proposed changes address these needs: there are now courses offered in all eight areas in the department, in addition to our Art Foundations area, and we have worked with the Department of Art faculty to create a more even offering of four or five courses from each.

We have also reorganized the information on the Studio Art Minor sheet to help clarify our course offerings. The proposed sheet has alphabetized the areas of concentration, for example. These changes will assist in recruitment and retention of students for the Studio Art Minor and will provide students across the university with a clear pathway for course options.

We currently have 152 students in the Studio Art Minor, and in Autumn 2023 we had 146 students in the Studio Art Minor, an increase of 4%. The Studio Art Minor serves an incredibly diverse range of students across the University from a wide range of departments and fields of study, emblematic of the intersections within the College of Arts & Sciences. Through the revised Studio Art Minor program sheet, we hope to further increase our enrollment in the minor and better serve those that are already enrolled.

The UGC Committee in the Department of Art recognizes the ASC characteristics governing ASC minors. In addition, the included courses require few or no prerequisites. We do not foresee and need for concurrences from other units.

The Department recognizes that we are offering a lot of courses in our minor. This is to allow for maximum flexibility for our students, who come with a wide range of interests. Some of our students wish to take a more generalist approach, selecting courses from many areas, while others select to focus on a single area to achieve creative and technical depth. This proposed Studio Art Minor sheet allows students to take the courses according to their individual needs.

We would ideally like these changes implemented before our upcoming accreditation review with National Association of Schools of Art and Design (NASAD). We have been informed that the NASAD review will begin this Autumn 2024; however, we realize program changes take time and understand the approval process may be longer. If the changes have not been improved by then, we ask that we may present the proposal to the NASAD committee as being under review.

Thank you for your time and considering our proposal to updates to the Studio Art Minor program sheet.

Best,



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Department of Art  
Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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**Prerequisites:**

Some courses require specific prerequisites that may require specific skills, training, or advanced instruction. Students should seek instructor permission for entry into these. [Courses with pre-requisites marked with \\*](#)

**All classes listed carry 3 semester credit hours:**

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**Art Foundations:**

[Art 2100: Beginning Drawing](#)  
[Art 2200: Real and Recorded Time](#)  
Art 2300: Visual Studies: 2D  
Art 2400: Visual Studies: 3D

[Art 3000: Digital Image Manipulation](#)

**Art and Technology:**

[Art 3000: Digital Image Manipulation](#)  
Art 3001: Internet Art  
Art 3101: 3D Modeling Sculpture  
[Art 4101: Moving Image Art \\*](#)  
Art 4201: New Media Art  
[Art 4401: Computer Animation \\*](#)

**Ceramics:**

Art 3002: Introduction to Ceramics: [High-Fire-Techniques/Structure](#)  
Art 3012: Introduction to Ceramics: [Low-Fire-](#)

[Techniques/Form and Surface](#)

Art 4002: Intermediate Ceramics: [High-Fire-Techniques/Architectonic \\*](#)

Art 4012: Intermediate Ceramics: [Utility and Performance\\*](#)  
[Art 5202: Mold Making](#)  
[Art 5502: Special Projects: Ceramics \\*](#)

**Film/Video:**

[Art 3009: Film/Video 1](#)  
[Art 4009: Film/Video 2 \\*](#)  
[Art 5009: Film/Video 3 \\*](#)  
[Art 5019: Film/Video 4 \\*Low-Fire-Techniques-](#)

**Glass:**

[Art 3003: Introduction to Glass \\*](#)  
[Art 4503: Intermediate Glass Topics](#)  
[Art 5903: Advanced Glass Studio Practice \\*](#)

**Painting/Drawing:**

~~Art 2100: Beginning Drawing~~  
Art 3004: Life Studio Drawing \*  
~~Art 3014: Visual Studies: Color-~~  
~~Art 3104: Intermediate Drawing-~~  
Art 3024: Painting I  
Art 3054: Painting II  
[Art 3104: Expanded Drawing \\*](#)  
[Art 4014: Advanced Painting and Drawing \\*](#)

**Photography:**

~~Art 2355: Introduction to Digital Photography and Contemporary Issues~~  
Art ~~34~~005: Photography II: Introduction to Darkroom \*  
~~Art 3335: Intermediate Digital Photography-Digital Input/Output\*~~  
Art ~~4-5~~115: Photography Studio Lighting \*  
Art ~~45~~205: Large Format Photography \*  
Art 5215: Social/Documentary Photography \*

[Art 5445: Alternative Processes in Photography](#)

**Printmaking:**

\*Art 3006: Introduction to Relief & Intaglio Printmaking\*  
(note below)  
\*Art 3056: Introduction to Lithography & Silkscreen Printmaking\* (note below)  
~~Art 4006: Upper-Level Printmaking: Intaglio & Relief\*~~  
~~Art 4056: Upper-Level Printmaking: Lithography & Silkscreen \*~~  
~~3016: Printmaking: Relief~~  
Art 3026: Printmaking: Serigraphy  
~~Art 3036: Printmaking: Intaglio-~~  
~~Art 3046: Printmaking: Lithography-~~

**Sculpture:**

Art 3017: Introduction to Sculpture  
~~Art 3307: Sculpture: Wood-Construction-~~  
Art 3107: Life Sculpture  
[Art 4007: Intermediate Sculpture Topics \\*](#)

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[Art 5007: Advanced Sculpture \\*](#)  
~~[Art 3207: Sculpture: Metal Fabrication](#)~~

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X193 credits: No more than 3 credit hours.

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