

Art and Design - Photography Emphasis, B.F.A.

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Requirements

UVU's photography program teaches the language of photography. Students will take courses to diversify their skill set in the creation and appreciation of different approaches to photography. They will work with film, historic photographic processes, and cutting edge digital technology. Students learn about and work in commercial and fine art environments. They will be taught working methods in the darkroom, studio lighting techniques, motion, and digital manipulation. The photo program emphasizes a hands-on and engaged approach. We actively look for opportunities to get our students on location and into real world scenarios through internships, study abroad programs, service oriented programs, and classes taught off campus.

Total Program Credits: 120

Matriculation Requirements:		
1. AA, AS, or AAS Degree or equivalent in Art and Design or advisor approval (Graphic Design Emphasis B.F.A. candidates must complete the AAS Degree or equivalent in Graphic Design; Illustration Emphasis. B.F.A. candidates must complete the AAS Degree or equivalent in Illustration)		
2. Portfolio Review		
General Education Requirements:		35 Credits
	ENGL 1010 Introduction to Academic Writing	3
or	ENGL 1005 Literacies and Composition Across Contexts (5)	
	ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing Academic Writing and Research	3
Complete one of the following: (Note: A higher level MATH course may substitute for this requirement)		3
	MAT 1030 Quantitative Reasoning (recommended for Humanities or Arts majors) (3)	
	MAT 1035 Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra (6)	
Complete one of the following:		3
	HIST 2700 US History to 1877 (3)	
and	HIST 2710 US History since 1877 (3)	
	HIST 1700 American Civilization (3)	
	HIST 1740 US Economic History (3)	
	POLS 1000 American Heritage (3)	
	POLS 1100 American National Government (3)	
Complete the following:		
	PHIL 2050 Ethics and Values	3
	HLTH 1100 Personal Health and Wellness (2)	
or	EXSC 1097 Fitness for Life	2
Distribution Courses:		
	Biology	3
	Physical Science	3
	Additional Biology or Physical Science	3

Humanities		3
ARTH 2710	Prehistoric Through Gothic Art History	3
Social/Behavioral Science		3
Discipline Core Requirements:		26 Credits
Courses taken to fulfill individual program emphases will not also count toward the Discipline Core Requirements (credit will not count twice)		
ART 1120	2D Design	3
ART 1130	3D Design	3
ART 200R	ART and Design Lecture Series (1) (Must be taken 2 times)	2
ART 499R	BFA Project WE (3) (Must be taken in two consecutive semesters)	6
ARTH 2720	Renaissance Through Contemporary Art History	3
Complete 9 credits from the following list (please note: ART 1210 is required for Illustration BFA degrees, ART 1110 is required for Painting/Drawing BFA degrees, ART 1400 is required for Graphic Design and Illustration BFA degrees, ART 1750 is required for Photography BFA degrees):		9
ART 1110	Drawing I (3)	
ART 1210	Observational Drawing (3)	
ART 1350	Ceramics I (3)	
ART 1400	Graphic Computer Applications (3)	
ART 1420	Graphic Design I (3)	
ART 1750	Intro to Digital Imaging (3)	
ART 2630	Painting I (3)	
Emphasis Requirements:		15 Credits
Complete the following:		
ART 1790	Dark Room Techniques	3
ART 2700	Photography II	3
ART 2710	Documentary Photography	3
ART 2720	Color Photography	3
ART 2730	Photographic Lighting I	3
Emphasis Elective Requirements:		44 Credits
ARTH 3200	The History of Photography	3
ART 371R	Historical Photographic Processes	3
ART 3730	Photographic Lighting II	3
ART 3740	Fine Art Photography WE	3
ART 3750	Advanced Digital Imaging	3
ART 471R	Photographic Illustration	3
ART 474R	Advanced Photo Studies	3
ART 4750	Exploratory Photographic Processes	3
ART 481R	Art and Design Internship (1-6)	2
Complete any ART/ARTH courses not already used (6 credits must be upper division).		15
Take ONE of the following classes:		3
ARTH 3400	Arts Management (3)	
ARTH 3310	Art Theory and Criticism (3)	

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	ARTH 3120	History of Contemporary Art (3)	
	ARTH 3040	Renaissance Art History (3)	
	ARTH 3050	Baroque Art and Architecture History (3)	
	ARTH 3060	Nineteenth-Century Art History (3)	
	ARTH 3070	Modern Art and Architecture History WE (3)	

Graduation Requirements:

1. Completion of a minimum of 120 semester credits.
2. Overall grade point average of 2.0 (C) or above with no grade lower than a C- in all Art and Design courses.
3. Residency hours--minimum of 30 credit hours through course attendance at UVU, with at least 10 hours earned in the last 45 hours.
4. Completion of GE and specified departmental requirements.
5. Portfolio submission required during senior year.
6. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.

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Graduation Plan

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in [Wolverine Track](#).

Milestone courses (pre-requisites for a course in one of the subsequent semesters) are marked in red and italicized.

Semester 1	Course Title	Credit Hours
<i>ENGL 1010 or ENGH 1005</i>	Introduction to Writing or Literacies and Composition	3
<i>ART 1750</i>	Digital Imaging	3
<i>ART 1120</i>	2D Design	3
Art Core Elective	Choose 1 course: ART 1110, 1210, 1350, 1400, 1420, 2630	3
<i>ARTH 2710</i>	Prehistoric Through Gothic Art History (Fulfills Fine Arts)	3
ART 200R	Art and Design Lecture Series	1
	Semester total:	16
Semester 2	Course Title	Credit Hours
Quantitative Literacy Requirement		3
ART 1130	3D Design	3
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Writing GE	3
<i>ART 1790</i>	Darkroom Techniques	3
ART 200R	Art and Design Lecture Series	1
HLTH 1100 or EXSC 1097	Personal Health and Wellness or Fitness for Life	2
	Semester total:	15
Semester 3	Course Title	Credit Hours
<i>ARTH 2710</i>	Prehistoric Through Gothic Art History	3
ART 2700	Photography II	3
<i>ART 2720</i>	Color Photography	3
ART/ARTH Elective		3
Art Core Elective	Choose 1 course: ART 1110, 1210, 1350, 1400, 1420, 2630	3
	Semester total:	15
Semester 4	Course Title	Credit Hours
Biology or Physical Science - GE		3
ARTH 3200	History of Photography	3
<i>ART 2710</i>	Documentary Photography	3

ART 2730	Photographic Lighting I	3
ART/ARTH Elective		3
	Semester total:	15
Semester 5	Course Title	Credit Hours
ART 371R	Historical Photographic Processes	3
ART 3750	Advanced Digital Imaging	3
ARTH 3040/50/60/70/120/310/400	Art History	3
Social/Behavioral Science - GE		3
Ethics & Values - GE		3
	Semester total:	15
Semester 6	Course Title	Credit Hours
American Institutions - GE		3
Biology or Physical Science		3
ART 3740	Fine Art Photography WE	3
ART 3730	Photographic Lighting II	3
ART 481R	Art and Design Internship	2
	Semester Total:	14
Semester 7	Course Title	Credit Hours
Humanities - GE		3
ART 474R	Advanced Photo Studies	3
ART/ARTH Upper Division Elective		3
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ART 499R	BFA Project WE	3
	Semester total:	15
Semester 8	Course Title	Credit Hours
Third Science Distribution		3
ART 471R	Photographic Illustration	3
ART 4750	Exploratory Photo Processes	3
ART 499R	BFA Project WE	3
ART/ARTH Elective		3
	Semester total:	15
	Degree total:	120