



Art BA Degree Plan:

Art BA Degree Requirements (124 hours):

124 hours are needed to graduate with a BA in Art. At least 50 percent of the hours applied to a degree at The University of Southern Mississippi must be earned from a senior college, and 30 of these hours must be in courses numbered 300 or above. The student must earn at least 21 of the last 30 hours of course work and at least 12 hours in the major area of study from Southern Miss. See Residence Hour Requirements for more information.

General Education Curriculum

- GEC 01. Written Communication (6 hours)
- GEC 02. Natural Science (8-10 hours minimum)
- GEC 03. Humanities (9 hours)
- GEC 04. Aesthetic Values (3 hours)
- GEC 05. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)
- GEC 06. Mathematics (3 hours)
- GEC 07. Writing-Intensive Requirement (Major Area)
- GEC 08. Speaking Intensive Requirement (3 hours)
- GEC 09. Capstone Requirement (Major Area)

Program Curriculum

- DEG 01. Major Area of Study Requirements (57-60 hours)
- DEG 02. Additional Requirements (9-18 hours)
- DEG 03. Electives

Availability:

Hattiesburg Campus

Admission Requirements:

See University Admission Policies

Program Academic Policies and Requirements:

- See University Academic Policies and Requirements
- Upon entering any of the visual arts degree programs within the School of Performing and Visual Arts, students will have to successfully complete a series of foundations art courses, which are prerequisites for more advanced classes.

Art BA Semester Guide:

Freshman:

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Sophomore:

- 1st semester (16 hours)
- 2nd semester (16 hours)

Junior:

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Senior:

- 1st semester (17 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)



Art (Drawing and Painting) BFA Degree Plan:

Art (Drawing and Painting) BFA Degree Requirements (124 hours):

124 hours are needed to graduate with a BFA in Art with an emphasis in Drawing and Painting. At least 50 percent of the hours applied to a degree at The University of Southern Mississippi must be earned from a senior college, and 30 of these hours must be in courses 300 or above. The student must earn at least 21 of the last 30 hours of course work and at least 12 hours in the major area of study from Southern Miss. See Residence Hour Requirements for more information.

General Education Curriculum

- GEC 01. Written Communication (6 hours)
- GEC 02. Natural Science (8-10 hours minimum)
- GEC 03. Humanities (9 hours)
- GEC 04. Aesthetic Values (3 hours)
- GEC 05. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)
- GEC 06. Mathematics (3 hours)
- GEC 07. Writing-Intensive Requirement (Major Area)
- GEC 08. Speaking Intensive Requirement (3 hours)
- GEC 09. Capstone Requirement (Major Area)

Program Curriculum

- DEG 01. Major Area of Study Requirements (80-83 hours)
- DEG 02. Electives

Availability:

Hattiesburg Campus

Admission Requirements:

- See University Admission Policies

Program Academic Policies and Requirements:

- See University Academic Policies and Requirements
- Upon entering any of the visual arts degree programs within the School of Performing and Visual Arts, students will have to successfully complete a

series of foundations art courses, which are prerequisites for more advanced classes.

- With the successful completion of all required foundation courses, drawing and painting students should possess a portfolio consisting of examples and performance in ART 101, ART 102, ART 111, ART 112 and ART 113 or their course equivalents for transfer students.
- For transfer students, a portfolio review is used to assist faculty in the drawing and painting area to advise students into courses appropriate to their level of skill and preparation.
- Additional requirements include a 2.5 GPA in the drawing and painting emphasis area.

Accreditation:

National Association of Schools of Art and Design

Art (Drawing and Painting) BFA Semester Guide:

Freshman

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Sophomore

- 1st semester (16 hours)
- 2nd semester (16 hours)

Junior

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Senior

- 1st semester (17 hours)
- 2nd semester (12 hours)



Art (Graphic Design) BFA Degree Plan:

Art (Graphic Design) BFA Degree Requirements (124 hours):

124 hours are needed to graduate with a BFA in Art with an emphasis in Graphic Design. At least 50 percent of the hours applied to a degree at The University of Southern Mississippi must be earned from a senior college, and 30 of these hours must be in courses numbered 300 or above. The student must earn at least 21 of the last 30 hours of course work and at least 12 hours in the major area of study from Southern Miss. See Residence Hour Requirements for more information.

General Education Curriculum

- GEC 01. Written Communication (6 hours)
- GEC 02. Natural Science (8-10 hours minimum)
- GEC 03. Humanities (9 hours)
- GEC 04. Aesthetic Values (3 hours)
- GEC 05. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)
- GEC 06. Mathematics (3 hours)
- GEC 07. Writing-Intensive Requirement (Major Area)
- GEC 08. Speaking Intensive Requirement (Major Area)
- GEC 09. Capstone Requirement (Major Area)

Program Curriculum

- DEG 01. Major Area of Study Requirements (89 hours)

Availability:

Hattiesburg Campus

Admission Requirements:

- See University Admission Policies
- Students who wish to major in the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art with graphic design emphasis must successfully complete the foundation series, additional coursework within the graphic design sequences, and a portfolio review to be allowed entrance into the graphic design emphasis. The graphic design area coordinator, along with the area faculty Review Committee, will review each student's course performance near the conclusion of the sophomore year, or after completing the foundational courses.

- Additional requirements include a 2.5 GPA in the emphasis area.
- Those students not meeting the above course requirements will not be allowed into the graphic design emphasis area.

Program Academic Policies and Requirements:

- See University Academic Policies and Requirements

Accreditation:

National Association of Schools of Art and Design

Art (Graphic Design) BFA Semester Guide:

Freshman

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Sophomore

- 1st semester (16 hours)
- 2nd semester (16 hours)

Junior

- 1st semester (17 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Senior

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)



Art (Sculptor) BFA Degree Plan:

Art (Sculpture) BFA Degree Requirements (124 hours):

124 hours are needed to graduate with a BFA in Art with an emphasis in Sculpture. At least 50 percent of the hours applied to a degree at The University of Southern Mississippi must be earned from a senior college, and 30 of these hours must be in courses numbered 300 or above. The student must earn at least 21 of the last 30 hours of course work and at least 12 hours in the major area of study from Southern Miss. See Residence Hour Requirements for more information.

General Education Curriculum

- GEC 01. Written Communication (6 hours)
- GEC 02. Natural Science (8-10 hours minimum)
- GEC 03. Humanities (9 hours)
- GEC 04. Aesthetic Values (3 hours)
- GEC 05. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)
- GEC 06. Mathematics (3 hours)
- GEC 07. Writing-Intensive Requirement (Major Area)
- GEC 08. Speaking Intensive Requirement (3 hours)
- GEC 09. Capstone Requirement (Major Area)

Program Curriculum

- DEG 01. Major Area of Study Requirements (86 hours)

Availability:

Hattiesburg Campus

Admission Requirements:

- See University Admission Policies
- Students who wish to major in the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art with graphic design emphasis must successfully complete the foundation series, additional coursework within the graphic design sequences, and a portfolio review to be allowed entrance into the graphic design emphasis. The graphic design area coordinator, along with the area faculty Review Committee, will review each student's course performance near the conclusion of the sophomore year, or after completing the foundational courses.

- Additional requirements include a 2.5 GPA in the emphasis area.
- Those students not meeting the above course requirements will not be allowed into the graphic design emphasis area.

Program Academic Policies and Requirements:

- See University Academic Policies and Requirements

Accreditation:

National Association of Schools of Art and Design

Art (Sculpture) BFA Semester Guide:

Freshman

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Sophomore

- 1st semester (16 hours)
- 2nd semester (16 hours)

Junior

- 1st semester (17 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)

Senior

- 1st semester (15 hours)
- 2nd semester (15 hours)



Art History Minor Degree Plan:

Academic Policies and Requirements for Minors:

- See University Academic Policies for Minors

Hours to Minor:

21 hours

Course Requirements:

- ART 332 - History of Art I (3 hrs.)
- ART 334 - History of Art II (3 hrs.)
- 15 hours of art history at the 400-level.



Graphic Design Minor Degree Plan:

Academic Policies and Requirements for Minors:

- See University Academic Policies for Minors

Hours to Minor:

21 hours

Course Requirements:

- ART 101 - Drawing I (3 hrs.)
- ART 102 - Drawing II (3 hrs.)
- ART 111 - Design I (3 hrs.)
- ART 316 - Introduction to Design Software (3 hrs.)
- ART 342 - Graphic Design II/Typography (3 hrs.)
- ART 343 - Graphic Design III/Presentation (3 hrs.)
- ART 415 - Graphic Design History (3 hrs.)