



Drawing + Painting

Course Requirements 2023-2024

FRESHMAN 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FD150 Fundamentals of Drawing/Perspective	3	
FD151 Fundamentals of Figure Drawing	3	
FD153 Fundamentals of Figure and Portrait Sculpture	3	

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
LA100 First-Year Seminar	3	
LA104 English Composition	3	English Diagnostic

FRESHMAN 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FD154 Fundamentals of Painting	3	FD150, FD151
FD159 Digital Photo for Fine Artists	3	
FA204 Intermediate Figure Sculpture	3	FD153

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
LA111 Critical Reasoning	3	LA104

Art History: Ancient Civilizations: Pick One

AH114 Mesoamerican Empires of the Aztec and Maya	3	
AH115 Intro to Asian Art and Culture	3	
AH116 Ancient Civilizations: Egypt-Greece-Rome	3	

SOPHOMORE 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FA201 Intermediate Figure Drawing	3	FD150, FD151
FA202 Intro to Figure Painting	3	FD150, FD151
FA203 Painting 2	3	FD154
FA205 Artistic Anatomy 1	3	FD201

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
Art History: Medieval Worlds in Motion: Pick One	3	
AH204 The Medieval World		
AH205 Nature in Art: Japan, Korea, Tibet		
Social Science: Pick One	3	
LA235 Introduction to Psychology		
LA236 Introduction to Linguistics		
LA245 Introduction to Philosophy		
LA247 Introduction to Sociology		

SOPHOMORE 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FA001 Fine Art Advancement Review	0	
FA206 Color and Figuration: Intermediate Figure Painting	3	FA201, FA202
FA302 Intermediate Portraiture	3	FA201, FA202
FA310 Collage	3	FA201

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
Art History: Renaissance + Early Modern Worlds: Pick One	3	
AH206 Illuminating Women: Female Artists, Scientists, Poets, and Philosophers of the Renaissance		AH114, AH115
AH207 Age of Michelangelo, 1450-1550		AH114, AH115
AH305 Worldly + Otherworldly Creatures		AH114, AH115

Quantitative Reasoning: Pick One

LA231 Mathematics	3	
LA237 Financial Literacy	3	

JUNIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FA303 Quick Studies 1	3	FA203
FA304 Materials and Techniques 1	3	FA203
FA314 Advanced Figure Studio	3	FA206
FA401 Studio Practice 1: Concept to Creation	3	FA206



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Art History Elective

Units

3

Prerequisites

Science: Pick One

3

- LA215 Scientific Anatomy
- LA204 The Science of Sight
- LA239 Project Green: Hillside
- LA242 Project Green: Oceans
- LA250 Human Evolution
- LA255 Human Diversity
- LA260 Human Sexuality

JUNIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 17)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

- FA306 Experimental Drawing
- FA403 Landscape Painting 1
- IS401 Independent Study or Internship
- STELEC Studio Elective

3

FA206

2

FD203

3

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

LA322 Professional Studies for Fine Artists

Language Arts: Pick One

3

- LA103 Directed Research + Writing: Special Topics
- LA175 Poetry Workshop
- LA192 Poetry Survey and Analysis
- LA193 Creative Writing Summer Intensive (travel)
- LA194 Creative Writing Multi-Genre Workshop
- LA196 Creative Writing Fiction Workshop
- LA197 Creative Writing Non-Fiction
- LA198 Creative Writing Script Writing Workshop
- LA199 Creative Writing Storytelling
- LA209 Dystopian Literature
- LA218 American Literature
- LA281 Graphic Novel
- LA290 World Literature

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SENIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

FA418 Senior Portfolio 1: Fine Arts

FAELEC Fine Art Elective

3

FA001

STELEC Studio Elective

3

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

Art History: Modern Movements: Pick One

- AH404 Los Tres Grandes: Mexican Muralist Movement
- AH405 Traditional Arts of Western Africa
- AH406 Modern Visualities: 19th-20th Century Photography in South/East Asia
- AH411 Vision, Passion + Rebellion – Modern Art

AH114 OR AH115, AH204 OR AH205 OR
AH206 OR AH207 OR AH305

SENIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

FA308 Watercolor 1

FA419 Senior Portfolio 2: Fine Arts

3

FA203

FA418

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Units

3

Prerequisites

LA424 Senior Capstone and Thesis Defense

Art History: Contemporary Movements: Pick One

- AH407 Exiles in L.A.: Art, Architecture, Film of Wartime Emigres
- AH408 Living Through History: American Culture Wars
- AH409 Exhibition Design

Language Arts, Concurrent with FA419
AH114 OR AH115, AH204 OR AH205 OR
AH206 OR AH207 OR AH305

3

TOTAL UNITS TO GRADUATE: 122