# Graduation Plan - Bachelor of Fine Arts

**Department of Art - College of Arts and Science**
(120 hours with overall GPA no less than 2.0)

**Full Name:**

**Expected Graduation Date:**

**Local Address:**

**Student Number:**

**Local Telephone Number:**

**Permanent Address:**

**Media Area:**

**Date Filed:**

**Email Address:**

## ART FOUNDATIONS COURSES
(These should be completed before enrolling in upper level courses)

| ART 1030 Basic 2-Dimensional Design |
| ART 1040 Basic 3-Dimensional Design |
| ART 1050 Beginning Drawing |

## ART CORE REQUIREMENTS

- ART 2500/2510 Beginning Painting or Watercolor
- ART 2800/2820 Beginning Sculpture or Beginning Welding and Casting
  
  Select a Drawing course

  Select a course in Ceramics or Fibers

  Select another course in Ceramics or Fibers

  Select a course in Photography or Printmaking

  Select another course in Photography or Printmaking

- ART 4975/4976 Capstone Course
  
  Fine Arts students take Art 4975 Senior Seminar - this course is offered Spring semesters only (capstone/writing intensive)

  Graphic Design students take Art 4976 Design Senior Seminar - this course is offered Fall semesters only (capstone/writing intensive)

## STUDIO ELECTIVE COURSES

Select 27 - 33 hours of studio art classes

(reminder: 15 hours of one media area are required)

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BA/BFA Portfolio Review

All students starting college Fall 2015 or later who wish to pursue a BA or BFA degree in art will need to pass the Art Department BA/BFA Portfolio Review.

A student will need to have completed six (6) courses in art before submitting a portfolio for either the BA or BFA. Please see Art Department website for details.

## ART HISTORY REQUIREMENTS

- AR HA select a course in Art History and Archaeology
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  Select a course numbered 2000+ in Art History and Archaeology

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*consider taking a WI course here to fulfill the requirement

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**Reminder:**
The graduation plan consists of 60-70 credit hours in studio art courses and 12 credit hours of Art History courses.

A maximum number of 70 hours of course work may be taken in studio art.

Thirty-five major and art history credit hours must be completed at MU.

Studio courses with a grade of “D” or “F” may not be included in the graduation plan.

30 hours of the 120 needed to graduate must be numbered 3000 and above. BFA students must have at least 15 hours in one media area. Foundations courses may not count towards those 15 hours.

Grades for all courses in the collateral area (Art History) must be a C- or above. Students must maintain a GPA of 2.0 or higher in all courses taken in Art History for the major.

**Filing the Grad Plan:**

Once this form is signed by the Director of Undergraduate Studies, the student must take three copies and see an advisor by appointment in A&S Advising 107 Lowry Hall. Grad plans must be submitted in person.

**Required Signatures:**

**Advisor:**

Date:_____/_____/_____

**Director of Undergraduate Studies:**

Date:_____/_____/_____

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Date:_____/_____/_____

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**College of Arts and Science Foundation (Basic Skills), University General Education and Graduation Requirements**

**Bachelor of Fine Arts (in Art) Degree**

(List courses already completed and courses to be completed)

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**College of Arts and Science Foundation (Breadth of Study and Depth of Study) Requirements**

(List courses already completed and courses to be completed)

— Arts and Science Foundation courses satisfy the MU Distribution of Content requirement for an Arts and Science degree —

(if student is pursuing a second non-A&S degree and/or transfers to another division, check with the appropriate advisor concerning courses meeting MU Distribution of Content requirement)

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<td>9 hours minimum covering at least 2 subjects. Examples include appreciation music or theatre; classical humanities; creative and performing arts; foreign civilizations; history of art, music or theatre; literature; philosophy; and religious studies.</td>
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**List courses**

In order to graduate, students must complete a minimum of (A) 120 hours of degree applicable credit (including major, foundation courses, general education, minor [optional], and electives) including (B) 30 hours numbered 3000 or above. You will receive an e-mail stating progress toward requirements A and B. This information is also available at 107 Lowry Hall a few weeks after filing this graduation plan.

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**Consult the A&S Advising website for courses that meet A&S Foundation requirements**

• Only one non-A&S course can count toward the 2000 level or higher course requirement

• Courses in the major department may not be used to fulfill A&S Foundation (Breadth of Study and Depth of Study) requirements

• 30 of the last 36 hours must be taken as MU courses

• In order to graduate, students must have the following Grade Point Averages (GPAs):
  – 2.0 cumulative GPA
  – 2.0 major GPA
  – 2.0 minor GPA
  – 2.0 GPA in the final 30 hours
  – 2.0 GPA in the final 60 hours

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Two 2000 level or above

- Arts & Science approved courses (minimum 6 hours) must be taken from 2 of the following 4 areas: Biological, Physical, Mathematical Sciences; Behavioral Science; Social Science; Humanities and Fine Arts. One course must be an MU course.

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