



INSTITUTION:
SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
MAJOR:

UW-Whitewater
College of Arts and Communication
Art – BA; Art History – BA; Fine Arts – BFA (see also
Graphic Design Transfer Guide) Certification Programs
Available



1. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

UW System application is required for admission to the university, along with high school and all college transcripts, application fee (if appropriate).

2. NON-COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRANCE INTO ART MAJOR

There is no grade point average minimum requirement for admission to the Art major.

3. COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRANCE INTO ART MAJOR

None. However, students at MATC (Madison or Milwaukee) and Nicolet Area Technical College are strongly encouraged to complete the following courses, if available, during the first and second years. Because of differences between WTCS programs, students are strongly encouraged to consult with a UW-Whitewater transfer advisor prior to taking courses other than those listed below.

815 201	Design Fundamentals*
815 203	Three-Dimensional Design*
815 205	Drawing Fundamentals*
815 200	Introduction to Art History
815 210	Art Survey: the Modern Era
815 215	Drawing 2

*Not required for Art History Emphasis. Also, Art History majors must complete 16 credits of a single foreign language (French, German, Spanish or Portuguese). This requirement does not apply to any other Art major emphases.

MATC students who have earned the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science Degree will have met all university general studies core, breadth and proficiency requirements. Therefore, students should include the courses listed above as part of the Associate Degree requirements. The College of Arts and Communication also requires four credits minimum in other arts courses from music, theatre and/or dance.

4. COURSES REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION NOT IN MATC CURRICULUM

None.

5. SPECIAL NOTES

MATC students are strongly encouraged to complete the Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of

Science (AS) Degree prior to transfer. These degrees satisfy all university-wide Whitewater general education requirements except as listed below. PLEASE NOTE THIS POLICY DOES NOT INCLUDE THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS) DEGREE. Students may complete requirements as part of AA or AS requirements. Additionally, candidates for the B.A. and the B.F.A. degree must complete at least four (4) general education Arts credits outside their major department (Art) and a minimum of seventy (70) credits outside of the major. The B.A. degree also requires a minimum of twelve (12) credits in humanities courses.

PLEASE ALSO NOTE: Some programs require additional general education courses that are not satisfied by the associate degrees as listed above. The following list illustrates these additional requirements:

- A) Bachelor of Arts Degree
 - a. One year at the college level of the same foreign language (or equivalent). Requirement waived for students who graduated high school prior to 2012 with 2 years of the same language in high school. Students graduating after 2012 will need to provide UW placement test scores to demonstrate equivalency.
 - b. Six credits of upper division coursework (300 or 400 level courses) from arts, humanities, or social sciences. They may not be in the discipline of the major or minor.
- B) Bachelor of Fine Arts and Bachelor of Music Degree
 - a. Must complete one course of at least two credits in Arts outside the major.
- C) Bachelor of Science Degree
 - a. 2 laboratory sciences from difference disciplines
 - AND
 - b. 5 credits of math beyond Math 141 (300 or 400 level courses) from arts, humanities, or social sciences. They may not be in the discipline of the major or minor.

*A minimum of 2.5 GPA in upper level Art courses is required for graduation.

*Each graduating senior is required to participate in a senior art exhibition. Application must be made by end of the junior year.

*An approved minor is required for the Art major (BA).

For a list of other stipulations for the Art Department, consult the [Undergraduate Bulletin](#).

6. CONTACT PERSONS AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS/E-MAIL ADDRESSES

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Visit the College of Arts and Communication website: academics.uww.edu/CAC/
and the Art Department website: academics.uww.edu/CAC/art/index1.htm

The information on this screen is deemed accurate and correct. Students are encouraged to consult an advisor to verify progress toward the degree.

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