BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ART HISTORY

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS - 180 MINIMUM CREDITS

- **85-88 credits** general education courses (see below)
- **56 credits** art history major requirements
- **+ at least 36-39 credits** of additional general elective courses in any subject (to meet the degree’s 180-credit minimum)

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

It is the student’s responsibility to review their degree for accuracy and track their progress toward meeting all degree requirements.

The curriculum charts in this handbook outline the general education, group (SCI, SSC, and A&L), and professional course requirements. These charts are examples and should not be viewed as definitive guides.

The general group requirements are monitored by the Office of the Registrar. Each student can access a progress report, called a degree audit, on DuckWeb.

The general requirements are intended to ensure each student receives an education rich in the liberal arts tradition.

**REQUIRED GRADED CREDITS**

The University of Oregon requires that all undergraduate students complete a minimum of 168 credits taken with a letter-grade option or as P* (P* = courses offered only Pass/No Pass). The University of Oregon requires a minimum 45 credits taken for a letter grade, which must be completed in residence.

**RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS**

Undergraduate students are typically in residence for 4 years. A Bachelor of Art student may enter the program with transfer credits from another accredited undergraduate degree program. Transfer students must complete the minimum residence requirements.

**CORE EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

**English Composition - 8 credits**

Two courses in English composition. Most students take WR 121 and WR 122 or 123. You may also take a waiver exam or challenge these courses. If you received advanced placement credits, they are generally listed on the admission statement.

**Areas of Inquiry Requirement - 45 credits**

Art history students must complete a minimum of 15 credits in each of the three groups:

- **Arts & Letters (A&L and >1)** Note: Some art history courses for the Art History major may work to fulfill most requirements for this group.
- **Social Sciences (SSC and >2)**
- **Sciences (SC and >3)**

  **Rule A** - Each group must include courses in at least two subjects.
  **Rule B** - No more than three courses with the same subject code may be used to fulfill the total 45-credit requirement.

**Cultural Literacy Requirement - 8 credits**

All students must complete at least one course in each of the following areas:

- **US: Difference, Inequality, Agency (>US)**
- **Global Perspectives (>GP)**

**Upper Division General Elective Requirement - 26 credits**

University of Oregon students are required to complete 62 credits at the 300-400 level throughout their time here. A minimum of 36 of these credits will be fulfilled by successful completion of the Art history major, leaving 26 elective credits of your choice. Upper Division electives may be in any subject, including additional art history courses.

**Bachelor of Art Requirement - up to 2 years**

Bachelor of Art students are required to gain proficiency in a single foreign language at the level attained by two years of university-level work, such as successful completion of a language 203 course. Courses used to satisfy the foreign language requirement for the BA degree may not also be used to fulfill the Arts and Letters (A&L) area requirement.
# Bachelor of Arts in Art History - Sample Plan

## Degree Requirements - 180 Minimum Credits

Note: Total credit hours may vary by student.

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**REQUIRED COURSES & STUDIOS**

### ART HISTORY MAJOR COURSE REQUIREMENTS - 56 CREDITS:

#### STUDIO ART (prerequisites vary)
- **ARTX XXX**  
  Elective Studio Art  
  4 credits

#### LOWER DIVISION ART HISTORY SURVEYS (or ARH 314/ARH 315*)
- **ARH 1XX/2XX**  
  100-200 Level Art History Elective  
  4 credits
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  100-200 Level Art History Elective  
  4 credits

#### UPPER DIVISION LECTURES AND SEMINARS
- **ARH 300+**  
  300-400 Level Art History Elective  
  4 credits
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 ancient, medieval, early modern, modern/contemporary

- Select 3 Chronological Breadth Areas in ARH
- Take 2 Upper Division Lectures and Seminars in each selected area

#### ART HISTORY CAPSTONE
- **ARH 411**  
  Critical Approaches to Art History  
  4 credits

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- Refer to ARH Chronological Breadth areas to identify which time period a course falls under
- ARH courses must be taken for a grade and completed with a C- or better
- ARH 314 and ARH 315 count only towards the Lower Division Art History Survey requirement