

# ART HISTORY, MINOR

The art history minor at Saint Louis University provides a broad-based experience of the history of art that takes advantage of a faculty with wide-ranging research interests that span the globe. The minor is offered at both the St. Louis, Missouri, and Madrid, Spain, campuses.

Students enrolled in SLU's art history minor will gain skills in critical thinking and the analysis of visual culture, both past and present. Study of the history of art pairs exceptionally well with many degree programs offered at SLU, including theology, philosophy, Catholic studies, women's and gender studies, American studies, English, history, business and programs in the health sciences.

The minor consists of 18 credits, three of which are at the introductory level, a minimum of nine of which must be advanced (at the 3000 level or higher). Minors may choose their electives from the broad spectrum of courses offered by the program. There are no prerequisites on upper-level art history courses, though it is advisable to consider beginning with an introductory course.

Art history minors also can apply three studio art credits toward the degree for a more hands-on experience of the creative process. Those who prefer more advanced research opportunities may opt for an upper-level (3000 or above) art history course instead of the studio art course.

## Requirements

A total of 18 credits are required, nine of which must be at 3000-level or 4000-level.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Introductory Course</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
ARTH 1000	Approaching the Arts	
ARTH 1010	Art and its Histories	
ARTH 1040	Art & Film	
ARTH 1080	Masterpieces in Art	
ARTH 1090	Global Masterpieces in Art	
<b>Studio Art 2000 level or Art History 3000/4000 level course</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
ART 2000	Drawing I	
ART 2100	Design	
ART 2200	Painting I	
ART 2300	Printmaking I	
ART 2400	Ceramics I	
ART 2500	Computer Art I	
ART 2600	Analog Photography	
ART 3000	Drawing II	
ARTH 3xxx	3000-level Art History course	
ARTH 4xxx	4000-level Art History course	
<b>Elective Credits</b>		
Select the remaining nine credits from the following:		9
<i>Select one course with an "Art Produced Before 1800" Attribute</i>		
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<i>Research Course or Any 3000/4000-level course</i>		
ARTH 4810	Modern Art in Latin America	
ARTH 4900	Research Methods	

ARTH 4910	Internship
ARTH 4930	Special Topics: General

**Total Credits**

**15**

## Continuation Standards

A student must maintain a C average in minor courses.

## Madrid

Students can complete all or part of the art history minor at SLU's campus in Madrid.

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