George Mason University
College of Humanities and Social Sciences
B.A. Degree in Art History
EFFECTIVE FALL 2019

I. University-Wide Mason Core Requirements (40)
a. Written Communication: English (ENGH) 101 (100), 302 (6)  
b. Oral Communication: COMM 100 or 101 (3)  
c. Quantitative Reasoning (3)  
d. Information Technology (3) (may be met with HIST 390)  
e. Literature (3)  
*f. Arts (3) (may be met with ARTH course)  
g. Natural Science (7) (must include one 4-credit lecture and lab)  
h. Western Civilization: HIST 100 or HIST 125 (3)  
*i. Global Understanding (3) (may be met with ARTH course)  
j. Social and Behavioral Sciences (3)  
*k. Synthesis (3) (met by ARTH 394)

II. CHSS Requirements for B.A. Degree (9-21)
a. Philosophy or Religious Studies (3)  
b. Proficiency in a Foreign Language through intermediate level (0-12)
*c. Social Sciences (3) (300-level HIST course may apply – see advisor)
*d. Non-Western Culture (3) (may be met with ARTH course)

III. Art History Major Requirements (33-34)
*Requirements asterisked above may be fulfilled with courses that may also count toward the 33-34 hours required for the art history major.
a. ARTH 200 level (3; chosen from 200, 201, 203, or 204)  
b. ARTH 394 (3) (only offered in spring and summer)  
c. ARTH at the 300 level (15; may include one 300-level HIST course)  
d. ARTH at the 400 level (6; chosen from 400, 420, 430, 440, 460, 471, 472, 474, 482, 495, 499)  
e. AVT 103, 104, 222, 232, 243, 252, 253, 262, or 392 (3-4)  
f. ARTH elective (3)

General Electives/Minor/Second Major

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MINIMUM GPA TO GRADUATE: 2.00

MINIMUM HOURS TO GRADUATE: 120

UPPER DIVISION HOURS (minimum 45 out of 120)

This planning form is to be used in consultation with your academic advisor; the University Catalog is the official reference for program information, along with your degree audit.

Transfer students from Virginia community colleges:
Transfer students entering Mason under the terms of the Guaranteed Admissions Agreement (GAA) may be eligible for a waiver from all University-wide Mason Core and CHSS general requirements EXCEPT for English 302, foreign language, and Synthesis (though Synthesis will be completed with HIST 300/499). If you think you qualify for the waiver, check your Mason transcript and degree evaluation to make sure the VCCS degree and the waiver are reflected in these records; if not, contact the Admissions Office at Mason IMMEDIATELY- all transfer credit evaluation must be finalized within one year of enrollment.

For academic concerns and advising, please contact:
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