DAEMEN COLLEGE

Art

Degree Offered: Bachelor of Science

Minors Offered: Art • Art History • Graphic Design • Illustration • Painting • Sculpture • Theatre Arts

The Bachelor of Science in Art is designed as a more flexible option for students who have a prior, defined area of interest outside of our current majors.

Students have the ability to choose their studio courses more freely, and combine them with relevant electives to develop a personal and focused practice. This major teaches students about the breadth of creative applications in preparation for a defined professional goal.

Art at Daemen:

- Develop a breadth of skills in various media
- Envision an area of practice and design a program plan to correspond to it
- Exhibit a varied and accomplished body of work
- Intensive one-on-one studio interaction with accomplished artists

Faculty:

All members of Daemen's VPA faculty, with their corresponding professional records, teach students pursuing this major.

Additional Opportunities:

- Participate in off-campus projects, extracurricular projects like mural painting and graphic design campaigns.
- Join The Actor's Guild, Art Club, Creative Minds, Drawing Club or Animation and Story Production Club.
- Take advantage of internship possibilities with local artists and design firms.

Suggested Course Sequence for Art:

Year One:

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
• ART103 Foundation Design I (3) • ART105 Foundation Drawing I (3) • CMP101 English Composition (3) • IND101 Sustainable & Critical Relationships (3) • CORE ELECTIVE (3)	• ART104 Foundation Design II (3) • ART106 Foundation Drawing II (3) • CORE ELECTIVES (9)

Year Two:

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
• ART275 History of Art: Ancient-Medieval (3) • ART: Additional required and/or studio electives (6) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (6)	• ART285 History of Art: Renaissance-Modern (3) • ART: Additional required and/or studio electives (6) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (6)

Year Three:

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
• Art History Elective (3) • ART: Studio Elective (3) • ART: Additional required and/or studio elective (3) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (6)	• ART 331 Art Reading List (3) • ART446 History of Contemporary Art: 1940 – Present (3) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (9)

Year Four:

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
• ART443 Issues & Methodologies in Contemporary Art (2) • ART: Additional required and/or studio electives (9) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (6)	• ART: Additional required and/or studio electives (6) • ART498 Senior Art Exhibit (1) • CORE ELECTIVES AND/OR FREE ELECTIVES (9)

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