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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: At least 30 credit hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS.

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student’s schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Museum Studies and Gallery Practice: [Welcome to Museum Studies | Visual & Performing Arts \(uccs.edu\)](#)

Major Requirements			
Museum Studies & Gallery Practice Major (36 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 36 credit hours of VAPA course work. • Requires a minimum of 21 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) VAPA course work. • All coursework for the major must be completed with a grade of “C” or higher. <p>*NOTE: Additional Special Topics courses may be taken with Program Director approval.</p>	VAPA 1000-level course	Complete one 1000-level VAPA Core course from the following: VAPA 1005, 1020, 1050, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500	3
	VAPA 3000-level course	Complete one 3000-level VAPA Core courses from the following: VAPA 3900, 3910, 3920, 3950, 3955, 3960, 3970, 3980, 3990	3
	MSGP 2000	Intro to Museum Studies & Gallery Practice (fall only) (prereq to MSGP 4030)	3
	MSGP 4030	Internship in Museum Studies Gallery Management I	3
	MSGP 4060	Exhibit Design & Development (alternate odd years – spring)	3
	MSGP 4070	Collections Management (alternate even years - spring)	3
	MSGP Elective	Complete two of the courses listed below*: ANTH 4420, MSGP 4040, 4050, 4080, 4090, 4100, 4200** *NOTE 1: Approved Art History (AH) or VAPA studio (VA) courses may be used to fulfill the elective requirement with permission. **NOTE 2: MSGP 4200 may be taken multiple times for credit if the topics differ.	6
	AH 1500	Introduction to Visual Culture	3
	Upper Division Art History Course	Complete two 3000- or 4000-level AH courses.	6
	AH 4980	Senior Capstone in Art History (spring only)	3
<p>BI Innovation Core (24 hours).</p>	INOV 1000 or INOV 1001	Introduction to Entrepreneurship or Social Entrepreneurship	3
	INOV 1010 or INOV 1011	The Innovation Process or Social Innovation	3
	INOV 2010	Innovation Team: Analyze and Report	3
	INOV 2100	Technical Writing, Proposals, and Presentations	3
	INOV 2500	Business Law and Innovation	3
	INOV 3010	Innovation Team: Research and Execute	3
	INOV 4010	Innovation Team: Design and Lead	3
	INOV 4500	Entrepreneurship and Strategy	3
<p>BI Cross Discipline Core (15 hours)</p>	<p>Complete one of the Cross-Discipline Cores listed below. Each Cross-Discipline Core consists of 15 credit hours. See the degree audit or the Bachelor of Innovation page in the Academic Catalog for specific course information. Business, Engineering Technology, Globalization, Inclusive Education, OR Custom Core (for Veterans and Transfer students only)</p>		

General Education and Elective Requirements																					
Core Writing Requirement (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>) Writing Portfolio – PORT 3000 (0 credits) or PORT 4000 (1 credit) or alternative – See Degree Audit 																				
Reasoning Skills (3 hours)	See the degree audit for course options.																				
Core Humanities (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HUM 3990 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This course also fulfills Navigate and one Writing Intensive course. 																				
Natural Sciences Lab (1 hour)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Degree Audit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This can be taken as part of an Explore – PNW course that has a lab component 																				
Oral Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Degree Audit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This course may also fulfill general education or major requirements. 																				
LAS Language other than English Requirement	Complete two semesters of a language other than English equivalent to 1010 & 1020 with high school, transfer, placement exam, or UCCS coursework. <i>Courses taken to fulfill this requirement may also count toward Compass Curriculum Explore - Arts, Humanities and Cultures or general electives. See degree audit for details.</i>																				
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General Electives (20 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.																				

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL 1310	3		INOV 1010 or INOV 1011
		INOV 1000 or INOV 1001	3		Reasoning Skills Course (<i>INDS 1050</i>)	3
		GPS 1010	3		VAPA 1000-level Core Course	3
		MSGP 2000	3		Explore – Society, Behavior and Health	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			AH 1500	3		MSGP 4060 or 4070
		INOV 2010	3		Upper-Division (UD) Western Art History Course	3
		INOV 2500	3		INOV 2100	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World	3		Cross-Discipline Core Course	3
		Natural Science Lab	1		Explore – Arts, Humanities and Culture	3
		General Elective	2			
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			MSGP 4030 (<i>Internship</i>)	3		MSGP 4060 or 4070
		UD Western Art History Course	3		MSGP 4000-level Elective	3
		INOV 3010	3		Cross-Discipline Core Course	3
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		General Elective (<i>Oral Communication</i>)	3		General Elective (<i>Inclusiveness</i>)	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			VAPA 3000-level Course	3		MSGP 4000-level Elective
		INOV 4010	3		AH 4980 (<i>spring only</i>)	3
		Cross-Discipline Core Course	3		INOV 4500	3
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