Transfer Guide



Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art (Studio Arts Option)

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between South Suburban College (SSC) and Governors State University (GSU) for the Art degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Arts (AA) degree from SSC and a Bachelors of Fine Arts (BFA) degree in Art from GSU. All students are admitted conditionally. The art faculty will monitor and evaluate student progress continuously. All art students will have a mandatory portfolio evaluation after 1 year of enrollment.

I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM (37-38 Hours) Communications (9 hours)

ENG 101 - Composition and Rhetoric (3)
ENG 102 - Composition and Literature (3)
SPE 108 - Oral Communications (3)

Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

ART 105 - Art History, Survey I (3) (Meets ART 1110) ART 106 - Art History, Survey II (3) (Meets ART 1111) Humanities Course (3)*

Mathematics (3 hours)

Mathematics course (3)*

Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

Select one life science course and one physical science course. One must have a lab.

Life Science Course (3-4)*

Physical Science Course (3-4)*

Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

Social and Behavioral Science courses from at least two different disciplines (9)*

II. ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATON REQUIREMENT (1 Hour)

OCS 121 - Overview for College Success (1)

III. AREA OF CONCENTRATION/MAJOR FIELD (12 Hours)

ART 101 - Drawing I (3) (Meets ART 1300)
ART 102 - Drawing II (3) (Meets ART 2304)
ART 111 - Two-Dimensional Design (3) (Meets ART 1210)
ART 112 - Three-Dimensional Design (3) (Meets ART 1211)

IV. ELECTIVES (11-12 Hours)

Recommended to select from the following:

ART 109 – Ceramics I (3); ART 140 – Photography Digital I (3) (Meets ART 2400); ART 201 – Painting (3) (Meets ART 2200); ART 205 – Sculpture I (3) (Meets ART 2500); ART 206 – Printmaking I (3) (ART 206+216 meet ART 2800); ART 209 Ceramics II (3); ART 216 – Printmaking II (3) (ART 206+216 meet ART 2800); ART 251- Graphic Design I (3) (Meets ART 2450)

REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 62 Hours

* Refer to the SSC AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices for Section I-IV.

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V. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (58-65 Hours)

Core Art Requirements (8 Hours)

ART 3099 – Art Seminar: Concepts and Methods (3) ART 3104 – Modern to Contemporary Art History (3)

Studio Arts (18 hours)

Select six of the following courses: (May vary based on courses completed at SSC.)

ART 2200 - Intermediate Painting (3)

ART 2400 – Introduction to Digital Photography (3)

ART 2401 – Introduction to Traditional Photography (3)

ART 2450 - Introduction to Graphic Design (3)

ART 2500 – Introduction to Sculpture (3)

ART 2600 - Introduction to Glass: Stained Glass (3)

ART 2700 – Introduction to Ceramics: Handbuilding (3)

ART 2701 - Introduction to Ceramics: Wheel Throwing (3)

ART 2800 - Introduction to Printmaking (3)

ART 2811 - Introduction to Screen Printing (3)

ART 2900 - Introduction to Film Production (3)

Art History (9 Hours)

Select three of the following courses:

ART 3101 - Survey of Non-Western Art (3)

ART 3102 - Worlds of Art (3)

ART 3103 - Women in Art (3)

ART 3104 - Modern to Contemporary Art History (3)

ART 3105 – Gender and Sexuality in Art (3)

ART 3106 - Sculpture Parks and Public Art (3)

ART 3107 - Survey of Asian Art (3)

ART 3307 - Art Images of Social Justice Movements (3)

ART 3314 - American Art: Diverse Views (3)

IFDI 2908 - History of Film (3)

Junior Requirements (18 hours)

Studio Art Selectives must be taken at the 3000+ level or above.

Senior Requirements (12 hours)

Select 9 hours of Studio Art Selectives at the 4000+ level; and ART 4980 – Senior Project (3)

Required for the BFA in Art: 120 hours

For Additional Information:
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