

ART HISTORY, MINOR

College of Letters & Science

Art History studies the changing visual expression of values, beliefs and experiences across diverse cultures and over time. It provides training in historical, social and aesthetic understanding, critical thinking, scholarly research, and lucid, thoughtful analysis and writing. More than any other discipline art history sharpens its students' visual acuity and deepens their visual literacy. In so doing, it prepares them to face the increasingly complex visual world we find ourselves in today.

Code	Title	Units
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Five Upper Division Courses

Choose one course from four of the following areas:	16
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(1) The Ancient World

AHI 152	Arts of Oceania & Prehistoric Europe
AHI/CLA 172A	Early Greek Art & Architecture
AHI/CLA 172B	Later Greek Art & Architecture
AHI/CLA 173	Roman Art & Architecture
AHI/CLA 175	Architecture & Urbanism in Mediterranean Antiquity

(2) Asia

AHI/RST 154	The Hindu Temple
AHI 157/RST 171	Buddhist Art
AHI 163A	Early Chinese Art
AHI 163B	Chinese Painting
AHI 163C	Early Modern Chinese Painting
AHI 164	The Arts of Japan

(3) The Middle Ages to 1700

AHI 155	The Islamic City
AHI 156	Arts of the Islamic Book
AHI 178B	Early Italian Renaissance Art & Architecture
AHI 178C	High & Late Italian Renaissance Art & Architecture
AHI 179B	Baroque Art

(4) Western Art 1700 to 1900

AHI 130	Landscape, Nature, & Art
AHI 168	Great Cities
AHI 182	British Art & Culture (1750-1900)
AHI 183A	Art in the Age of Revolution, 1750-1850
AHI 183B	Impressionism & Post-Impressionism: Manet to 1900
AHI 188C	American Art to 1910

(5) World Art 20th Century to the Present

AHI 122	Sex & Space
AHI 163D	Art from China 1900 to the Present
AHI 183C	Modernism in France, 1880-1940
AHI 185	Avant-Gardism & its Aftermath, 1917-1960
AHI 186	Contemporary Art 1960-Present
AHI 189	Photography in History

(6) Art & Issues Across Chronologies

AHI 110	Cultural History of Museums
AHI/HMR 120A	Art, Architecture, & Human Rights

AHI 121	Politics of Public Art
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AHI 123	The Museum in the Age of Spectacle
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AHI 181	Latin American Art & Architecture
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AHI 188A	The American Home
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Elective

Choose any additional upper division Art History (AHI) course or seminar.	4
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Art History (AHI) courses. (<https://catalog.ucdavis.edu/courses-subject-code/ahi/>)

Total Units	20
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