



Certificate in Fine Arts: Art

Candidates for the Certificate in Fine Arts: Art must complete 85 quarter hours in college transfer level courses (numbered 100 and above) with a grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or better. At least 15 credits must be earned at North Seattle Community College and the final quarter must be in residence at North Seattle Community College (NSCC).

The Certificate in Fine Arts: Art certifies completion of approved work and is suitable for students currently working in art, but it is not a transfer certificate. Students seeking a B.A. or B.F.A. should consult NSCC Associate of Arts degree requirements and the graduation requirements of the university at which they intend to enroll. All CFA: Art students must plan their program with their art advisor, Lynne Hull. Some of the art courses are offered only once a year, so students should consult the annual schedule (Winter and Spring but not Fall). Substitution may be made only with the approval of the art advisor and the Dean of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences Division. Students must submit a portfolio of at least eight pieces during their final quarter for evaluation; this portfolio will be evaluated by the art faculty. Final approval and recommendation to award the CFA: Art rests with the Art faculty.

Most General Education requirements for this certificate are met by course content in various art courses, communication by ART 251,252,253, and human relations by ART 290. Students must take a five credit computation course from one of the following: MATH& 107 or above, BUS 116, or ACC 101 or above.

Although it may be possible to complete this program in two years, it is suggested that it be spread over more time to allow better assimilation of skills and more flexible scheduling. Art courses require more time than is allowed in class alone, as well as high energy and involvement for truly effective learning. The art faculty, therefore, highly recommends that students should consider two studio courses per quarter a maximum.

Certificate of Fine Arts: Art**Scope and Sequence 2012**

Listed below is a possible course sequence for the CFA in Art; however, it may be necessary to take courses out of sequence as the quarterly schedule dictates. For more information about program or the annual schedule contact the Humanities Division.

- Art History 251, 252, 253 are taught at SCCC and at other colleges.

| First Quarter | Credits |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| ART 251 – Art History | 5 |
| ART 101– Design | 5 |
| ART 111 – Drawing | 5 |

Subtotal: 15

| Second Quarter | Credits |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| ART 252 – Art History | 5 |
| ART 112 – Drawing | 5 |
| Choice: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |

Subtotal: 15

| Third Quarter | Credits |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| ART 253 – Art History | 5 |
| ART 113 – Drawing | 5 |
| ART 102 – 3D Design | 5 |

Subtotal: 15

| Fourth Quarter | Credits |
|---|----------------|
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |
| Choice below: Approved Computational Course (2) | 5 |

Subtotal: 15

| Fifth Quarter | Credits |
|---|----------------|
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |
| ART 290 – Art Business | 5 |

Subtotal: 15

| Sixth Quarter | Credits |
|---|----------------|
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |
| Choice below: Approved Art Elective (1) | 5 |

Subtotal: 10

Grand Total 85

Note 1: Approved Art Electives

Approved Art Electives must be taken in sequence; however, completion of a sequence is not required.

Group 1: 2-Dimensional Art

ART 121, 122, 123 - Printmaking (5 credits each)

ART 210, 214 – Computer Art (5 credits each)

ART 114 – Digital Photography (5 credits each)

Group 2: 3-Dimensional Art

ART 211, 212, 213 – Sculpture (5 credits each)

ART 221, 222, 223 – Ceramics (5 credits each)

ART 281, 282, 283 – Jewelry Design (5 credits each)

ART 284 - Bench Techniques and Practices (5 credits each)

ART 285 – Metal Techniques (5 credits each)

Note 2: Computation Course

To complete the CFA, students must choose from one of the following computational courses:

MATH& 107 – Math in Society, or a Math course above 107 (5 credits)

BUS 116 – Business Math/Spreadsheets (5 credits)

ACC 100 – Introduction to Accounting

Principles/Bookkeeping or an Accounting course above 100 (5 credits)

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| Required Art Courses (45 credits) | cr | yr | qtr | grd |
|---|-----------|----|-----|-----|
| **ART 101 2D Design *hr *comp | 5 | | | |
| **ART 102 3D Design *hr *comp | 5 | | | |
| ART 111 Drawing *hr | 5 | | | |
| ART 112 Drawing *hr | 5 | | | |
| ART 113 Drawing *hr | 5 | | | |
| SCCC | 5 | | | |
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| **ART 290 Art Business *hr *comp | 5 | | | |
| Required Art Total | 45 | | | |
| Group I (2-D Studio Art) (15 credits minimum) | | | | |
| ART 114 Introduction to Digital Photography | | | | |
| ART 121 Introduction to Printmaking | | | | |
| ART 122 Intermediate Printmaking | | | | |
| ART 123 Monotype and Monoprint | | | | |
| ART 201 Painting *comp | | | | |
| ART 202 Painting *comp | | | | |
| ART 203 Painting *comp | | | | |
| ART 210 Computer Art | | | | |
| ART 214 Adv Computer Art | | | | |
| Group I total (15-25 credits) | | | | |
| Group II (3D Studio Art) (15 credits minimum) | | | | |
| ART 211 Sculpture | | | | |
| ART 212 Sculpture | | | | |
| ART 213 Sculpture | | | | |
| ART 221 Ceramic Art | | | | |
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| ART 281 Jewelry Design *comp | | | | |
| ART 282 Jewelry Design *comp | | | | |
| ART 283 Jewelry Design *comp | | | | |
| ART 284 Bench Techniques and Practices | | | | |
| **ART 285 Metal Techniques | | | | |
| Group II Total (15-25 credits) | | | | |
| Group I + II Total (35 credits min) | | | | |

| Other Art Electives (no minimum requirement) | cr | yr | qtr | Grd |
|---|----|----|-----|-----|
| ART& 100 – Art Appreciation | | | | |
| ART 299 (up to 12 credits) | | | | |
| Art Electives Total | | | | |

| General Education Requirements | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Communication skills met by ART 251, 252, 253 | | | | |
| Human Relations met by ART 290 | | | | |
| Computation skills met by choosing one from the following: MATH& (107 or above), BUS 116, or ACC (101 or above) (5 credits minimum) | | | | |
| General Education Requirements Total (5 credits minimum) | | | | |

| Cumulative Totals | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Required Art (45 credits) | | | | |
| Studio Art (35 credits min. required between Group I and II) | | | | |
| Group I (15 credits minimum) | | | | |
| Group II (15 credits minimum) | | | | |
| General Education Requirements Total (5 credits minimum) | | | | |
| Other Electives (no minimum) | | | | |
| Portfolio Presentation for degree (no credit but part of ART 290) | | | | |
| Total Credits (85 credits minimum + portfolio) | | | | |

*hr – Human Relations requirements are embedded in the course content
*c – Communication requirements are embedded in the course content
*comp – Computational skills requirements are embedded in the course content
** - These classes offered only certain quarters in the year

Advising Help for Associate of Fine Arts Degree and Certificate in Fine Arts

Students, here are the steps to follow if you want an Associate of Fine Arts Degree or Certificate of Fine Arts.

1. Obtain and read the college brochure about the A.F.A. Degrees and Certificates of Fine Arts.
2. Obtain, read, and begin to complete the program planning worksheet for the appropriate A.F.A. or C.F.A. You may obtain these program planning worksheets from your art, drama, or music instructor, the Arts, Humanities & ABE Division, or a Liberal Studies advisor.
3. After you have filled out the program planning sheet, by relying on actual transcripts of your courses here and elsewhere, make an appointment with your art, drama, and music instructor. (All of the full-time art, drama, and music instructors are advisors.) You need to talk with a faculty advisor early in your study so that you know which courses you must take in order to receive a degree or certificate.
4. If you have transferred here from another school and wish to have credits from other colleges apply to your A.F.A. or C.F.A., you must obtain the "Incoming Transcript Request" form and send it to the appropriate colleges. You need to send a separate request to each college involved. That form may be obtained at the front counter of the Admissions Office.
5. In approximately two weeks, check with the Records Room to see if your transcripts have arrived.
6. As soon as your transcripts have arrived, complete the "Application for Evaluation of Transfer Credits." This form is obtainable at the front counter of the Admissions Office. Be sure to indicate the program for which you are requesting transfer credit. Once the Credentials Evaluators have received your transcripts and your application for evaluation of transfer credits, they will evaluate your credits on a first-come, first-served basis. The evaluators will send the "Transfer Credit Evaluation" form, which lists specific courses that apply to your program, to the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Dean and Vice President, and they will decide whether or not they will accept the credits presented toward your degree or certificate.
7. When you have completed 30 credits toward the Certificate of fine Arts or 45 credits toward the Associate of Fine Arts, make an appointment to see the Dean of the Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences Division so that your progress can be evaluated, and a continuing plan toward graduation can be created. When you come to the meeting with the Dean, it is essential that you have all of your transcripts and a copy of your "Transfer Credit Evaluation" form. Bring all your transcripts and forms with you at this time and fill out your Program Planning Sheet.
8. After meeting with the Dean, and if it has been decided that you need to complete an "Application

for Course Waiver” form so that certain courses can be waived or substituted, obtain this form at the front counter of the Admissions Office. If you need to petition for an exemption for one of the requirements to graduate, such as your last quarter in residence for fewer than 30 credits at North

Seattle Community College, you need to obtain the green form, “Petition for Waiver of NSCC Degree Requirements.” Complete the student section and give it to the Dean of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences Division who may or may not approve it. It will be forwarded to the Vice President of Instruction for final acceptance or denial.

9. When you are registered in your last quarter’s classes toward the degree or certificate, you should get a yellow form, “Application for Graduation,” obtainable at the front counter of the Admissions Office, and submit the completed form and a copy of the completed worksheet to one of the Credentials Evaluators.

10. Graduate, and Congratulations!

Student's Name: _____ SS#: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Date Started: _____ Date Completed: _____

Signatures: Portfolio Approval: _____

Advisor: _____

Final Humanities Dean Approval: _____

Notes: _____



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