Northern Virginia Community College 2007-2008 Catalog

LIBERAL ARTS - Art History Specialization

Associate of Arts Degree

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Purpose: The Art History specialization is designed for students who plan to transfer to a college or university for a Bachelor of Arts degree in Art History.

Transfer Information: Students are advised to work closely with the faculty and counseling staff for program and course scheduling. Electives should be chosen carefully to meet requirements of transfer institution. The responsibility for proper course selection rests with the student.

Two Years 1st Semester		Credits
ART	101 Hist. & Appreciation of Art I	3
ENG	111 College Composition I	3
1	201 Foreign Language	3
$^{2}\overline{\text{MTH}}$	151 Math for the Liberal Arts I	3
³ PED	116 Lifetime Fitness & Wellness	1
SDV	Elective	<u>1</u>
	Total	1 4
2nd Semester		
ART		3
⁴ ENG	112 College Composition II	3
1	202 Foreign Language	3
^{2}MTH	152 Math for the Liberal Arts II	3
³ PED/RPK		1
SPD	110 Intro. to Speech Communication or	
	SPD 126 Interpersonal Communication	<u>3</u>
	Total	16
3rd Semester		
⁵ ART	211 History of American Art I or	
6	Approved Art History Elective	3
⁶ ENGLiterature Elective		3
⁷ HIS	Elective	3 4 <u>3</u>
o	Natural Science/Lab Elective	4
	Social Science Elective	
	Total	16
4th Semester		
⁵ ART	212 History of American Art II or	
7,,,,,,	Approved Art History Elective	3
⁷ HIS	Elective	3 4 <u>3</u> 16
8	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3
9	Natural Science/Lab Elective	4
·	Social Science Elective	<u>5</u>
	Total	10

Total credits for the A.A. Degree in Liberal Arts with a Specialization in Art History = 62.

¹ Students completing the A.A. in Liberal Arts must demonstrate intermediate college-level (201-202) proficiency in a language other than English. The 201-202 courses require a prerequisite proficiency equivalent to the 101-102 sequence in the language. Placement testing determines initial foreign language level. Students completing 101-102 foreign language may use those credits to meet general elective requirements. Waivers or credit by exam (through CLEP) for previous experience is available for *some* languages. Students whose native language is not English may substitute general electives for foreign language upon the approval of the advising division chair.

² Any higher-level mathematics course may be substituted, see transfer requirements.

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³ The PED requirement may be met by one of the following options: PED 116, 2 cr.; PED 116, 1 cr. plus a PED activities course, 1 cr.; or PED 116, 1 cr. plus RPK activities course. PED 116 is offered as both a 1-credit and a 2-credit course.

⁴ ENG 125 may be substituted with the advice of a counselor or faculty advisor according to requirements of transfer institutions.

⁵Art History electives: ART 103-104, ART 211-212, ART 250 or other elective approved by the ART division.

⁶Any 200-level literature course with an ENG prefix satisfies this requirement.

⁷HIS 101-102 or HIS 121-122 are recommended.

⁸ The science elective may be selected from biology, chemistry, physics, geology, or natural science courses with a lab component, listed on pages 54-55. Some four-year colleges require a two-semester sequence.

⁹ The social science elective may be selected from the economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, or sociology (includes anthropology) courses listed on page 54.

¹⁰ The humanities/fine arts elective may be chosen from the list on page 54. Elective should be selected with advice of a counselor or faculty advisor to meet requirements of transfer institution.