# U of SC South Carolina

**Major Map: Art Studio – Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.)**
Ceramics Concentration
College of Arts and Sciences
School of Visual Art and Design
Bulletin Year: 2019-2020

This course plan is a recommended sequence for this major. Courses designated as critical (!) may have a deadline for completion and/or affect time to graduation. Please see the Program Notes section for details regarding "critical courses" for this particular Program of Study.

| Critical | Course Subject and Title | Credit Hours | Min. Grade[1] | Major GPA[2] | Code | Prerequisites | Notes |
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| **Semester One (15-17 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| ! | ENGL 101 Critical Reading and Composition | 3 | C | | CC-CMW | | |
| | Carolina Core ARP Requirement | 3-4 | | | CC-ARP | | |
| | Foreign language[3] or other Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3-4 | | | CC-GFL | | |
| | ARTS 103 Fundamentals of Art | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | ARTS 102 Introduction to Visual Arts Computing or ARTS 111 Basic Drawing I | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| **Semester Two (15 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| ! | ENGL 102 Rhetoric and Composition | 3 | C | | CC-CMW CC-INF | C or better in ENGL 101 | |
| | Carolina Core ARP Requirement | 3 | | | CC-ARP | | |
| | Foreign language[3] or other Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3 | | | CC-GFL | | |
| | ARTS 104 3-Dimensional Design I | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | ARTS 102 Introduction to Visual Arts Computing or ARTS 107 Color and Composition or ARTS 111 Basic Drawing I | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 103 (ARTS 107 only) | |
| **Semester Three (15-16 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| | ARTS 102 Introduction to Visual Arts Computing or ARTS 107 Color and Composition or ARTS 111 Basic Drawing I | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 103 (ARTS 107 only) | |
| ! | ARTS 220 Beginning Ceramics | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | ARTH 106 History of Western Art II | 3 | C | | CC-AIU | | |
| | Foreign language[3] or Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3 | | | CR/CC | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3-4 | | | CC | | |
| **Semester Four (15-16 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| | ARTS 225 Intro. to Three-Dimensional Studies | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 104 | |
| ! | ARTS 320 Intermediate Ceramics I | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | Modern Art History Course | 3 | C | | CR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | History[5] | 3 | | | CR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3-4 | | | CC | | |
| **Semester Five (15 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| | ARTS 325 Intermediate Three-Dimensional Studies I | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 225 | |
| ! | ARTS 321 Intermediate Ceramics II | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | ARTH Course | 3 | C | | CR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | Social Science | 3 | | | CR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] | 3 | | | CC | | |
| **Semester Six (15 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| ! | ARTS 420 Advanced Ceramics I | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 320 & 321 | |
| | ARTS 326 Intermediate Three-Dimensional Studies II | 3 | C | | MR | C or better in ARTS 225 | |
| | ARTS Major Elective (200-level and above) | 3 | C | | MR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | ARTH Course (500-level and above) | 3 | C | | CR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] or Approved Elective[6] | 3 | | | CC/PR | | |
| **Semester Seven (15 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| ! | ARTS 421 Advanced Ceramics II | 3 | C | | MR | ARTS 420 | |
| ! | ARTS 520 Ceramics I[7] | 6 | C | | MR CC-INT | ARTS 421 | |
| | ARTS Major Elective (200-level and above) | 3 | C | | MR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] or Approved Elective[6] | 3 | | | CC/PR | | |
| **Semester Eight (12-15 Credit Hours)** | | | | | | | |
| | ARTS 521 Ceramics II | 6 | C | | MR CC-INT | ARTS 520 | |
| | ARTS Major Elective (200-level and above) | 3 | C | | MR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | ARTS Major Elective (200-level and above) | 3 | C | | MR | See Bulletin listing. | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement[4] or Approved Elective[6] (only if needed to meet CC requirements or hours to graduate) | 0-3 | | | CC/PR | | |

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**Graduation Requirements Summary**

| Minimum Total Hours | Minimum Major Requirements Hours | College & Program Requirements Hours | Carolina Core Hours | Minimum Institutional GPA |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 120 | 63 | 13-25 | 32-44 | 2.000 |

1. Regardless of individual course grades, students must maintain a minimum 2.000 cumulative GPA.
2. Some colleges require a minimum GPA for major courses. Courses indicated in this column are included in the major GPA for this program of study.
3. Students in the College of Arts and Sciences are required to demonstrate proficiency in one foreign language equivalent to the 122 course through course credit or the corresponding foreign language placement score.
4. The Carolina Core provides the common core of knowledge, skill and academic experience for all Carolina undergraduate students.
5. The College of Arts and Sciences requires one U.S. History and one non-U.S. History course, both of which must be chosen from the approved Carolina Core GHS courses. Whichever is not fulfilled through the Carolina Core GHS requirement must be fulfilled through this college requirement.
6. No courses of a remedial, developmental, skill-acquiring, or vocational nature may apply as credit toward degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences. The College of Arts and Sciences allows the use of the Pass-Fail option on elective courses. Further clarification on inapplicable courses can be obtained from the College of Arts and Sciences.
7. While ARTS 520 has a listed prerequisite of ARTS 421, this prerequisite does not affect ARTS majors.

**Program Notes:**
- ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 must be completed in the student's first 60 semester hours of work in order for these courses to be credited toward graduation. Other courses identified as "critical" may affect time to graduation due to prerequisite requirements for subsequent required courses.
- The last 30 credit hours toward your degree must be earned in residence at the University of South Carolina-Columbia.

**University Requirements:** Bachelor's degree-seeking students must meet Carolina Core (general education) requirements. For more information regarding these requirements, please visit the Carolina Core page on the University website.

| Codes: | | | |
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| **CC** | Carolina Core | **CC-INF** | Carolina Core – Information Literacy |
| **CC-AIU** | Carolina Core-Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding | **CC-INT** | Carolina Core – Integrative Course |
| **CC-ARP** | Carolina Core-Analytical Reasoning and Problem-Solving | **CC-SCI** | Carolina Core – Scientific Literacy |
| **CC-CMS** | Carolina Core-Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component | **CC-VSR** | Carolina Core – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility |
| **CC-CMW** | Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written Component | **CR** | College Requirement |
| **CC-GFL** | Carolina Core-Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language | **MR** | Major Requirement |
| **CC-GHS** | Carolina Core – Historical Thinking | **PR** | Program Requirement |
| **CC-GSS** | Carolina Core – Social Sciences | | |

Disclaimer: Major maps are only a suggested or recommended sequence of courses required in a program of study. Please contact your academic advisor for assistance in the application of specific coursework to a program of study and course selection and planning for upcoming semesters.