APPROVAL FORM FOR

DEGREE PROGRAMS

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY

NOTE: This form is a cover sheet that must accompany the degree program change proposal. The actual proposal should be prepared in accordance with format requirements provided in the *Guide and Format for Curriculum Proposals* published by the UCCC. Both cover sheet and proposal should be submitted to UCCC Mail Stop 9702 (281 Garner Hall), Phone: 325-9410.

College: College of Architecture, Art & D **Department:** Art

Contact Person: Suzanne Powney **Mail Stop:** 9368 **E-mail:** jsp114@msstate.edu

Nature of Change: New Program **Date Initiated:** 12/17/2024

Current Degree (BS, MS, etc.): BFA

Current Major: ART

Current Concentration(s): Fine Art, Graphic Design, Photo

Current Campus(es): ☑ **Starkville** ☐ **Meridian** ☐ **Distance** ☐ **Gulf Coast***

*Gulf Coast campus for Bagley College of Engineering only

New Degree (BS, MS, etc.): Minor

Effective Date:

Semester	Year
Fall	2025

**Any new program or modification desiring a starting semester other than fall must include a justification

Proposed Major: _____

Proposed Concentration(s): Graphic Design

Proposed Campus(es)

- ☑ Starkville
- ☐ Meridian
- ☐ Distance
- ☐ Gulf Coast*

*Gulf Coast campus for Bagley College of Engineering o

Summary of Proposed Changes:

The Department of Art is launching a Graphic Design minor alongside its established Fine Art and Art History minors, offering students an opportunity to complement their major studies in related fields. As graphic design skills become increasingly essential across various disciplines, this new minor provides valuable expertise that enhances a wide range of degree programs at MSU.

Approved: **Date:**

Department Head — 1-15-25

Director of Academic Quality — 1/27/25

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Chair, College or School Curriculum Committee

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Dean of College or School

Chair, University Committee on Courses and Curricula

Chair, Graduate Council (if applicable)

Chair, Deans Council

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- ☐ Substantive Change to SACSCOC
- ☐ Notification to SACSCOC
- ☐ No significant departure

OIRE Representative Initials _____

PROPOSAL FOR

1. CATALOG DESCRIPTION

The Department of Art offers a minor in Graphic Design (GDM). This minor consists of 18 credit hours. The required courses are Art 2803 Digital Design I or Art 2813 Digital Design II and ART 3313 Graphic Design I. The remaining credits are chosen from an approved list of graphic design electives. Students may take all studio courses or a combination of studio electives and History of Graphic Design. Art majors are allowed to pursue Art minors in areas outside of their concentration.

A. Required Course:

- Art 2803 Digital Design I or Art 2813 Digital Design II — 3 credit hours
- ART 3313 Graphic Design I — 3 credit hours

B. Students will select twelve (12) credit hours / Four (4) courses in the Graphic Design Concentration from an approved list. To receive a minor in graphic design, students must have at least nine (9) hours of graphic design concentration courses beyond ART 3313.

- Choose four approved Graphic Design courses (contact department for approved list)

2. CURRICULUM OUTLINE

The Graphic Design Area Coordinator will oversee the Graphic Design Minor's (GDM) administration and report on its progress to the Head of the Department of Art. The Graphic Design minor is open to students in good standing and enrolled at the university.

Required Courses	Hours
ART 2803 Digital Design I or 2813 Digital Design II*	3
ART 3313 Graphic Design I	3
Approved Elective Courses	**Hours**
ART2813 Digital Design II	3
ART 3163 History of Graphic Design	3
ART 3913 Introduction to Print Production	3
ART 4113 Typography II	3
ART 4143 Letterpress for Design	3
ART 4163 Visual Storytelling	3
ART 4183 Interactive Design I *	3
ART 4353 Illustration for Design	3
ART 4403 Advertising I *	3
ART 4373 Motion Graphics	3
ART 4423 Presentation Skills for Designers	3
ART 4523 Graphic Design Internship	3

ART 4713 Advanced Print Production	3
ART 4723 Advanced Concept Development	3
ART 4813 Interactive Design II	3
ART 4883 Web Design I	3
ART 4990 Special Topics [offered in the graphic design Concentration]	3
Total Required Hours for Minor	**18**
* Permission of instructor required	

3. COURSE DESCRIPTIONS FOR REQUIRED COURSES

ART 2803 Digital Design I - Six hour studio. Introduction to digital creative applications in the visual arts and design.

ART 2813 Digital Design II - (Prerequisites: ART 2803 or consent of Instructor). Six hour studio. Further instruction in digital creative applications and beginning concept development in design thinking for graphic design majors.

ART 3313 Graphic Design I – (Prerequisites: ART 2803, ART 2813 or consent of instructor). Six hours studio. Introduction to the art and process of design in printed communication. Students develop graphic skills with an emphasis placed upon conceptual development, research, production and both visual and verbal presentation skills.

4. JUSTIFICATION FOR GRAPHIC DESIGN MINOR

The Department of Art is launching a Graphic Design minor alongside its established Fine Art and Art History minors, offering students an opportunity to complement their major studies in related fields. As graphic design skills become increasingly essential across various disciplines, this new minor provides valuable expertise that enhances a wide range of degree programs at MSU.

5. STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES AND ASSESSMENT

The minor will introduce the student to the digital and analog approaches in graphic design. At the conclusion of the minor in graphic design, the student will have a portfolio that will demonstrate knowledge of different print processes and digital interaction, an introduction to animation, and a foundation for creating a larger body of work in the future.

- Students will understand the history, theory, and practice of graphic design.
- Students will develop skills in a wide range of graphic design processes.
- Students will have a stronger appreciation of the Fine Arts.

- Students will create visual communication with a broader understanding of composition and design.

6.EFFECTIVE DATE: Fall 2025

7.CONTACTS:

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8. LETTER OF SUPORT: Please see the attached letter of support from the Department of Art.

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November 22nd, 2024

RE: ART Graphic Design Minor & ART Photography Minor

On Friday, November 22nd, 2024, a quorum of the Department of Art faculty voted to approve the creation of minors in Graphic Design and Photography. The following faculty members have endorsed the submission of these minors to the UCCC for further consideration.

Sincerely,

Critz Campbell
Department Head

Printed Name	Signature
AUBREY POHL	
CASSIE L. HESTER	
Keum Taek Jung	
Rowan Hang	
BENJAMIN HARVEY	
Aaron McFatrick	
Tim McCourt	
Jingshuo Yang	
JOE MORZUCH	
MARITA GOOTEE	
Dixie Boswell	
CAROLINE HATFIELD	
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Robert Lang	
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DEGREE MODIFICATION OUTLINE FORM

Use the chart below to make modifications to an existing undergraduate degree outline. If any General Education (Core) course is acceptable in the category, please indicate by saying "any Gen Ed course". There is no need to type in the whole list. All deleted courses and information should be shown in italics and all new courses and information in **bold**. Include the course prefix, number, and title in both columns. Expand this table as needed.

CURRENT Degree Description	PROPOSED Degree Description
Degree: BFA *Major: Art* *Concentration: Fine Art, Graphic Design, Photography*	**Degree: Minor - Graphic Design**
Mission The Department of Art's primary undergraduate responsibilities include educating professional artists with concentrations in Fine Arts, Graphic Design, and Photography; preparing students for a career or advanced study; offering courses that fulfill University requirements; and providing an active art gallery to serve the University, the community, and region. Bachelor of Fine Arts The Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.) degree is a professional studio degree. The B.F.A. degree is earned after successful completion of an intensive, 4-year program that provides the student with a series of in-depth studio experiences leading to thesis/senior presentation balanced by studies in humanities, communication, mathematics, and sciences. The B.F.A. degree may also serve as a preparation for graduate studies-usually the Master of Fine Arts degree in studio art or design. Admission Art-Undeclared (UART) - All students desiring to major in art will be admitted into Art-Undeclared in the Department of Art at Mississippi State University. Students will declare their concentration following successful passage of the Foundation Portfolio Review in that concentration.	Mission The Department of Art's primary undergraduate responsibilities include educating professional artists with concentrations in Fine Arts, Graphic Design, and Photography; preparing students for a career or advanced study; offering courses that fulfill University requirements; and providing an active art gallery to serve the University, the community, and region. Bachelor of Fine Arts The Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.) degree is a professional studio degree. The B.F.A. degree is earned after successful completion of an intensive, 4-year program that provides the student with a series of in-depth studio experiences leading to thesis/senior presentation balanced by studies in humanities, communication, mathematics, and sciences. The B.F.A. degree may also serve as a preparation for graduate studies-usually the Master of Fine Arts degree in studio art or design. Admission Art-Undeclared (UART) - All students desiring to major in art will be admitted into Art-Undeclared in the Department of Art at Mississippi State University. Students will declare their concentration following successful passage of the Foundation Portfolio Review in that concentration.
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review by the Department of Art Faculty to ensure success in the department's Foundation Portfolio Review. The MSU Department of Art reserves the right to deny or accept transfer courses not covered by the Articulation Agreement as applicable to the B.F.A. degree based on portfolio evaluation. This review requires the submission of artwork completed in studio courses and course descriptions (and in some cases, syllabi) from classes completed for credit at other institutions. Artwork and course information must be uploaded at https://msuart.submittable.com/submit Foundation Portfolio Review Requirements All Art majors are required to participate in the Foundation Portfolio Review. For students interested in the Fine Arts concentration (Ceramics, Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, and Sculpture), the Foundation Portfolio Review will take place in the spring semester of each year. The review is a faculty evaluation of student work from a minimum of 18 credit hours completed in the following courses: Drawing I, Drawing II, Design I, Design II, 3-D Design, and Introduction to Computing for Art. The Foundation Portfolio Review will result in an "accept" or "deny" into the Fine Arts concentration. For students interested in the Photography concentration, the Foundation Portfolio Review will take place in the fall and spring semester of each year. The review is a faculty evaluation of student work from a minimum of 18 credit hours completed in the following courses: Drawing I, Drawing II, Design I, Design II, 3-D Design, and Photography Survey. The Foundation Portfolio Review will result in an "accept" or "deny" into the Photography concentration. For students interested in Graphic Design, the Foundation Portfolio Review for entrance into that concentration will take place in the fall semester of each year. 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CURRENT CURRICULUM OUTLINE	Required Hours	PROPOSED CURRICULUM OUTLINE	Required Hours
English (Ex: EN 1103 English Comp I): EN 1103 English Comp I or EN 1104 Expanded English Comp I EN 1113 English Comp II or EN 1173 Accelerated Comp II	6	English (Ex: EN 1103 English Comp I): EN 1103 English Comp I or EN 1104 Expanded English Comp I EN 1113 English Comp II or EN 1173 Accelerated Comp II	6
Humanities See General Education courses	6	Humanities See General Education courses	6
Math Math higher than MA1213 – See General Education courses	3	Math Math higher than MA1213 – See General Education courses	3
Fine Arts See Art History and Theory Program	3	Fine Arts See Art History and Theory Program	3
Social Sciences See General Education courses	6	Social Sciences See General Education courses	6
Natural Sciences See General Education courses	6-8	Natural Sciences See General Education courses	6-8

Math/Science Elective See General Education courses	3	Math/Science Elective See General Education courses	3
Fine Arts Concentration (Ceramics, Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, and Sculpture)		Fine Arts Concentration (Ceramics, Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, and Sculpture)	
Foundation Program		Foundation Program	3
ART 1123 Design I	3	ART 1123 Design I	3
ART 1133 Design II	3	ART 1133 Design II	3
ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3	ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 1213 Drawing I	3	ART 1213 Drawing I	3
ART 1223 Drawing II	3	ART 1223 Drawing II	3
ART 2803 Introduction to Computing for ART*	3	ART 2803 Introduction to Computing for ART*	
*Fulfills Computer Literacy Requirement		*Fulfills Computer Literacy Requirement	
Survey Program		Survey Program	3
ART 2503 Ceramic Art Survey	3	ART 2503 Ceramic Art Survey	3
ART 2013 Painting Survey	3	ART 2013 Painting Survey	3
ART 2213 Life Drawing I	3	ART 2213 Life Drawing I	3
ART 2303 Printmaking Survey	3	ART 2303 Printmaking Survey	3
ART 2403 Sculpture Survey	3	ART 2403 Sculpture Survey	3
ART 2103 Photography Survey	3	ART 2103 Photography Survey	
Art History and Theory Program		Art History and Theory Program	3
ART 1013 Art History I*	3	ART 1013 Art History I*	3
ART 1023 Art History II*	3	ART 1023 Art History II*	
* Fulfills Fine Arts General Education Requirement		* Fulfills Fine Arts General Education Requirement	9
Art History Electives	9	Art History Electives	
Fine Arts Concentration Program* *Upon successful completion of the Foundation Portfolio Review for the Fine Arts concentration, students proceed into the concentration sequence of courses.		Fine Arts Concentration Program* *Upon successful completion of the Foundation Portfolio Review for the Fine Arts concentration, students proceed into the concentration sequence of courses.	
Intermediate Studio Requirement 3 hours chosen from the list below: ART 2233 Drawing III ART 3523 3D Seminar	3	Intermediate Studio Requirement 3 hours chosen from the list below: ART 2233 Drawing III ART 3523 3D Seminar	3
Intermediate Studio Electives See advisor for list of approved electives	3	Intermediate Studio Electives See advisor for list of approved electives	3
Advance Studio Electives See advisor for list of approved electives	12	Advance Studio Electives See advisor for list of approved electives	12
Advance Studio Requirements ART 4620 Advanced Studio – Fine Arts* *To be taken in conjunction with ART 4083 Senior Research and ART 4093 Senior Thesis, typically in the final two semesters of coursework)	6	Advance Studio Requirements ART 4620 Advanced Studio – Fine Arts* *To be taken in conjunction with ART 4083 Senior Research and ART 4093 Senior Thesis, typically in the final two semesters of coursework)	6
Capstone Courses ART 4083 Senior Research* ART 4093 Senior Thesis* * Senior Capstone experience, co-requisite with 6 hours of ART 4620 Advanced Studio - Fine Arts.	6	Capstone Courses ART 4083 Senior Research* ART 4093 Senior Thesis* * Senior Capstone experience, co-requisite with 6 hours of ART 4620 Advanced Studio - Fine Arts.	6
Electives	9	Electives	9

Art Studio Electives choose 6 hours	
General Elective choose 3 hours	
Graphic Design Concentration	
Foundation Program* - *The Foundation	
Portfolio Review is required after successful	3
completion of the Foundation Program.	3
ART 1123 Design I	3
ART 1133 Design II	3
ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 1213 Drawing I	3
ART 1223 Drawing II	
ART 2803 Introduction to Computing for ART*	3
* Fulfills Computer Literacy Requirement	
CO 1003 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	
	12
Survey Program	
Choose four of the following courses:	
ART 2013 Painting Survey	
ART 2213 Life Drawing I	
ART 2303 Printmaking Survey	
ART 2403 Sculpture Survey	
ART 2103 Photography Survey	
ART 2503 Ceramic Art Survey	
Art History and Theory Program	
ART 1013 Art History I*	3
ART 1023 Art History II*	3
ART 3163 History of Graphic Design	3
* Fulfills Fine Arts General Education Requirement	
Art History Electives	6
Concentration Core	
ART 2813 Intermediate Computing for Designers	3
ART 3313 Graphic Art Design I	3
ART 3323 Graphic Art Design II	3
ART 4103 The Art of Typography and Layout I	3
ART 4403 Advertising Design I	3
ART 4640 Advanced Studio-Graphic Design	3
ART 4883 Graphic Design for the Internet	3
Concentration Electives	
Must be selected from list or with consent of Concentration Coordinator	12
ART 3443 Illustration	
ART 3873 Digital Photography	
ART 3913 Introduction to Print Production	
ART 4113 The Art of Typography and Layout II	
ART 4523 Internship in Graphic Art Design	
ART 4713 Advanced Print Production	
ART 4813 Introduction of Multimedia I Design and Authoring	
ART 4863 Advanced Studio – Computer Art and Design	
Electives	
Art Studio Electives choose 6 hours	
General Elective choose 3 hours	9

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General Elective choose 3 hours	
Graphic Design Concentration	
Foundation Program* - *The Foundation	
Portfolio Review is required after successful	3
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ART 1123 Design I	3
ART 1133 Design II	3
ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 1213 Drawing I	3
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ART 1013 Art History I*	3
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Electives	
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Photography Concentration		Photography Concentration	
Foundation Program		Foundation Program	
ART 1123 Design I	3	ART 1123 Design I	3
ART 1133 Design II	3	ART 1133 Design II	3
ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3	ART 1153 Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 1213 Drawing I	3	ART 1213 Drawing I	3
ART 1223 Drawing II	3	ART 1223 Drawing II	3
CO 1003 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	CO 1003 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
Survey Program		Survey Program	
ART 2103 Photography Survey	3	ART 2103 Photography Survey	3
ART 2303 Printmaking Survey	3	ART 2303 Printmaking Survey	3
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Art History and Theory Program		Art History and Theory Program	
ART 1013 Art History I	3	ART 1013 Art History I	3
ART 1023 Art History II	3	ART 1023 Art History II	3
ART 3633 History of Photography (or approved photo/film based art history course)	3	ART 3633 History of Photography (or approved photo/film based art history course)	3
ART History Electives	6	ART History Electives	6
Concentration Core		Concentration Core	
ART 3223 Darkroom Basics	3	ART 3223 Darkroom Basics	3
ART 3233 Studio Lighting	3	ART 3233 Studio Lighting	3
ART 3873 Digital Photography	3	ART 3873 Digital Photography	3
ART 4223 Alternative Photography or ART 4443 Alternative Color	3	ART 4223 Alternative Photography or ART 4443 Alternative Color	3
ART 4583 Photographic Portfolio I	3	ART 4583 Photographic Portfolio I	3
ART 4593 Photographic Portfolio II	3	ART 4593 Photographic Portfolio II	3
Concentration Electives Must be selected from list or with consent of Concentration Coordinator ART 3243 Intermediate Darkroom ART 3303 Printmaking II ART 3803 Gallery Management ART 4223 Alternative Photography ART 4443 Alternative Color ART 4660 Advanced Studio – Photography ART 4693 Internship in Fine Art ART 4873 Digital Imaging CO 3713 Digital Communication	12	Concentration Electives Must be selected from list or with consent of Concentration Coordinator ART 3243 Intermediate Darkroom ART 3303 Printmaking II ART 3803 Gallery Management ART 4223 Alternative Photography ART 4443 Alternative Color ART 4660 Advanced Studio – Photography ART 4693 Internship in Fine Art ART 4873 Digital Imaging CO 3713 Digital Communication	12
Art Studio Electives	15	Art Studio Electives	15
Total Hours	120	Total Hours	120
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Total Hours	18	Total Hours	18
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Accreditation Mississippi State University is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Art and Design.		Accreditation Mississippi State University is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Art and Design.	