**Student Name:**

**KU ID:**

**Advisor:**

**Date:**

**BFA General in Visual Art**

2020-2021 Catalog

**Graduation Requirements**  
120 credit hours (45 credits at Junior/Senior level)  
2.0 KU GPA  
2.0 KU Junior/Senior Major GPA

**KU Core General Education Requirements (30 credits)**

Goal 1.1 Critical Thinking

Goal 1.2 Quantitative Literacy

Goal 2.1 Written Communication 1

Goal 2.1 Written Communication 2

Goal 2.2 Oral Communication

Goal 3 Arts and Humanities (Fulfilled by Art 101)

Goal 3 Social Sciences

Goal 3 Natural Sciences

Goal 4.1 U.S. Diversity

Goal 4.2 Global Diversity (Fulfilled by HA 150)

Goal 5.1 Social Responsibility and Ethics

Goal 6.1 Capstone

**BFA-Specific Requirements (9 credits)**

Writing Requirement:   
ENGL 101 (or 102/105, also fulfills KU Core Goal 2.1)  
ENGL 102 (or 203, 205, or 211, also fulfills KU Core Goal 2.1)  
Additional Goal 2.1 Writing Course

**History of Art Requirements (15 credits)**

HA 150 Western Art History 1/Goal 4.2, 3 credits

HA 151 Western Art History 2, 3 credits

HA Non-Western elective, 3 credits

HA 300+ Art History 1900-1945, 3 credits

HA 300+ Art History 1945-present, 3 credits

**Foundations (13 credits)**  
Art 101 Drawing 1/Goal 3 Arts and Humanities, 3 credits

Art 102 Drawing 2, 3 credits

Art 103 Art Concepts and Practice, 3 credits

Art 104 Art Principles and Practice, 3 credits

Art 105 Visual Art Seminar, 1 credit

**Visual Art Major Requirements (48 credits)**

**Visual Art Core Courses (15 credits)**

Select 1 course in 5 of the following 7 areas:

ART 120 Fundamentals of Painting (or PNTG course), 3 credits  
ART 121 Fundamentals of Printmaking (or PRNT course), 3 credits  
ART 122 Fundamentals of Sculpture (or SCUL course), 3 credits  
ART 123 Fundamentals of Expanded Media (or EXM course), 3 credits  
ART 131 Fundamentals of Ceramics (or CER course), 3 credits  
ART 132 Fundamentals of Metalsmithing (or METL course), 3 credits  
ART 133 Fundamentals of Fibers (or ART 130 or TD course), 3 credits

**Visual Art Studies (3 credits)**: 3 additional DRWG credits above ART 102

**Visual Art Electives (12 credits)**

12 credits selected from the Visual Art Department (ART, CER, EXM, METL, PNTG, PRNT, SCUL, TD, VAE)

**Studio Electives (9 credits)**

9 credits selected from Visual Art or Design courses

**Senior Studio Requirements (9 credits)**

Prerequisite of 30 hours of studio art courses.

ART 540 Professional Activities Seminar, 3 credits  
ART 650 Senior Seminar 1, 3 credits  
ART 660 Senior Seminar 2, 3 credits

**Notes: Check the kucore.ku.edu website for a list of courses that can fulfill each KU Core goal.**

**Sample 4-Year Plan (120 total credits with 45 junior/senior credits included)**

First year fall:

ENGL 101/Goal 2.1 Written Communication, 3 credits  
Goal 1.2 Quantitative Literacy, 3 credits  
ART 101 Drawing 1, Goal 3 humanities, 3 credits  
ART 103 Art Concepts and Practice, 3 credits  
ART 105 Visual Art Seminar, 1 credit  
HA 150 Western Art History 1/Goal 4.2 Global, 3 credits  
16 total credits

First year spring:

ENGL 102/Goal 2.1 Written Communication, 3 credits  
Goal 2.2 Oral Communication, 3 credits  
ART 102 Drawing 2, 3 credits  
ART 104 Art Principles and practice, 3 credits  
HA 151 Western Art 2, 3 credits  
15 total credits

Second year fall:

Goal 1.1 Critical Thinking, 3 credits  
Goal 3 Natural Science, 3 credits  
HA Non-western Art Elective, 3 credits  
Visual Art Core Course, 3 credits  
Visual Art Core Course, 3 credits  
15 credits

Second year spring:

Goal 3 Social Science, 3 credits  
HA 1900-1945 Elective, 3 credits  
Visual Art Core Course, 3 credits  
Visual Art Core Course, 3 credits  
Visual Studies: Drawing Course, 3 credits  
15 credits

Third year fall:

Goal 4.1 US Diversity, 3 credits  
HA 1945-present Elective, 3 credits  
Visual Art Core Course, 3 credits  
Visual Art Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Visual Art Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
15 total credits

Third year spring:

Additional Goal 2.1 Writing Course, 3 credits  
ART 540 Professional Activities Seminar, 3 credits  
Visual Art Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Visual Art Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Studio Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
15 total credits

Fourth year fall:

Goal 5.1 Ethics, 3 credits  
ART 650 Senior Seminar 1, 3 credits  
Studio Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
15 total credits

Fourth year spring:

ART 660 Senior Seminar 2/Goal 6, 3 credits  
Studio Elective 300+ level, 3 credits  
Elective credit 300+ level, 3 credits  
Elective, 3 credits  
Elective, 3 credits  
15 total credits