



Bachelor of Fine Arts: Ceramics

Fall 2020/Spring 2021

Major Checklist

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Note: This checklist is not intended to replace advising from the major department. Students should consult with the major advisor to determine the appropriate sequence of courses. This checklist is to inform students of major requirements and course prerequisites only. CSULB Enrollment Services prepares the Academic Requirements Report, which is the official graduation verification.

✓	Course	Prerequisites/Corequisites	GE Area
Complete the following courses (12 units total):			
	AH 111A. Foundation Art History I (3)	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	C1, GI
	AH 111B. Foundation Art History II (3)	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	C1
	Art 130. Foundation Two-Dimensional (3)		
	Art 131. Foundation Three Dimensional (3)		
Complete the following course twice (2X) (2 units total):			
	Art 101. Artists in Their Own Words (1)		E
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Complete the following courses (13 units total):			
	Art 121. Safety & Sustainable Practices for Studio Artists (1)	One GE Foundation course	E
	Art 181. Foundation Drawing (3)		
	Art 251A. Introduction to Ceramics Arts: Handbuilding (3)		
	Art 251B. Introduction to Ceramics Arts: Wheel Throwing (3)		
	Art 287. Introduction to Painting (3)	Art 130, Art 181	
Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art 184. Foundation Life Drawing (3) or Art 261. Introduction to Life Sculpture (3)	Art 184: Art 181. Art 261: One GE Foundation Course	
Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total):			
	AH 112, 113A, 113B, 114, or 116 (3)	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	
Complete the following courses (24 units total):			
	Art 341A. Ceramic Arts: Intermediate Handbuilding (3)	Art 251A	
	Art 341B. Ceramic Arts: Intermediate Wheel Throwing (3)	Art 251B	
	Art 343A. Ceramic Arts: Advanced Handbuilding & Sculpture (3)	Art 341A	
	Art 343B. Ceramic Arts: Advanced Use of the Wheel (3)	Art 341B	
	Art 352A. Ceramic Arts: Glaze & Clay Technology (3)	Prereq: School of Art majors, Art Pre-majors and Art Minors only. Exclude Freshmen	
	Art 352B. Ceramic Arts: Plaster Lab (3)	Prereq: School of Art majors, Art Pre-majors and Art Minors only. Exclude Freshmen	
	Art 441. Ceramics Arts Internship (3)	Prereq: Ceramics major or minor; or consent of instructor	
	Art 451A. Ceramic Arts: Advanced Studio Practice (3)	BFA Ceramic major; Art 343A or Art 343B; completion of all 100 level degree requirements for ART and AH	
	Art 451B. Ceramic Arts: Advanced Studio Practice (3)	BFA Ceramic major; Art 451A or consent of instructor	
Complete the following courses - Only 3 units may be AH 438, AH 439, or AH 441 (6 units total):			
	Art History Upper Division (3)	Refer to college catalog	Varies
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Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total)			
	AH 364 - History of Ceramics 1900 to Present (3)	Prereq: ART and Pre ART majors. Freshmen excluded	
	Art 453 Seminar in Ceramics Arts (3)	Prereqs: ART 130 or ART 131; AH 111A or AH 111B, or consent of instructor.	
Complete the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art or Art History Upper Division outside of Ceramics (3)	Refer to college catalog	Varies
Complete the following course (3 units total):			
	Upper Division Art course (3)	Refer to college catalog	Varies

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Art 311. Writing About Visual Art (3)

Art Major or consent of instructor. GE Foundation completed, upper division standing. Students must have scored 11 or higher on the GVAR Placement Examination or completed the necessary portfolio course that is a prerequisite for a GVAR Writing Intensive Capstone

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Complete the following course (1 unit total):

Art 491A. Ceramic Arts: BFA Culminating Project (1)

Art 451A or Art 451B