

Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree Requirements

PHOTOGRAPHY (78 Studio Hours) as of 2023				
	Course	Course Title	Credit	
	Number		Hours	
Freshman Year				
Fall Semester	FOUN 100	Foundation	9	
Spring Semester	FOUN 110	Foundation	9	
Sophomore Year				
Fall Semester	PHOT 200	Sophomore Studio I: Intro to Photography	6	
Spring Semester	PHOT 220	Sophomore Studio II: Intermed. Photography	6	
	PHOT 310	Applied Photographic Imaging	3	
Junior Year				
Fall Semester	PHOT 300	Junior Studio I: Photo & Contemporary Art I	6	
	PHOT 260	Visual Literacy Through a History of Photography	3	
Spring Semester	PHOT 320	Junior Studio II: Photo & Contemporary Art II	6	
Senior Year				
Fall Semester	PHOT 400	Senior Studio I: Advanced Photo Workshop	6	
Spring Semester	PHOT 420	Senior Studio II: Advanced Photo Workshop II	6	
Note:	PHOT 392 or PHOT 393 must be taking junior or senior year			
Required Studio	PHOT 392	Pro-Practice: Collab or	3	
Electives or	PHOT 393	Pro-Practice: Artist as Curator		
Internships: (6)		Photography Internship	3	
		Any Studio Elective	3	
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Recommended Studio	PHOTE 321	Principles of Photographic Lighting		
Electives	PHOTE 335	The Impossible Photo: Adv. Digital Workbench		
	PHOTE 355	Photographer as Explorer		
	FILME 305	Time Lapse for Photo, Film, and Animation		

Liberal Arts and additional B.F.A. requirements on second page.

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS (42 Credit Hours)						
LOWER-DIVISION REQUIRED COURSES						
	Course No.	Course Title	Credits			
Freshman Year						
Fall Semester	*WRS 1001	Writing Seminar	3			
	*AHS 1001	Art Historical Studies I	3			
Spring Semester	*CRS 1001	Critical Studies I	3			
	*AHS 1002	Art Historical Studies II	3			
Sophomore Year						
Fall Semester	CRS 1002	Critical Studies II	3			
NOTE:	*These courses are pre-requisites for upper-division courses.					

UPPER-DIVISION REQUIRED COURSES	
*Upper-division courses are to be taken sophomore, junior, senior years.	
Subject Requirement	Credits
Art History	3
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Literature or Creative Writing	3
History	3
Philosophy	3
Social Science or Science	3
UPPER-DIVISION LIBERAL ARTS ELECTIVES	
Choose any two additional courses within Liberal Arts subject areas	
Course Requirement	Credits
Liberal Arts Elective	3
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NOTE: WITHIN LIBERAL ARTS	
At least one course must be a course in Global/Comparative Studies (G/C)	
At least 15 credit hours (5 courses) must be taken at the 3000/4000 levels	
OPEN ELECTIVES (6 Credit Hours – studio elective or liberal arts)	
Course Requirement	Credits
Open Elective	3
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B.F.A. TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 126

In addition to fulfilling the course/credit requirements, you must also meet the following criteria:

Overall GPA minimum 2.0

Major studio GPA minimum 2.0

Last 30 credit hours must be completed at KCAI

This is a student tool only and does not guarantee degree completion. Please meet with your academic advisor regarding requirements. It is your responsibility to ensure you will complete all requirements by the projected graduation date.