

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC Document 1 (ART): Adding statements to allow students majoring in Art History (BA) to also complete a (BA) major in Studio Art and vice versa.

Effective Date: Fall 2015

- 1. Add:** On page 72, after items I-III under Bachelor of Arts:

Students majoring in Art (B.A.) who also want to major in Art History must complete 24 hours of Art History courses that are not used to complete the requirements for the major in Art.

- 2. Add:** On page 72, after items I-III under Art with Teacher Licensure:

Students majoring in Art with Teacher Licensure (B.A.) who also want to major in Art History must complete 24 hours of Art History courses that are not used to complete the requirements for the major in Art.

- 3. Add:** On page 73, after items I-III under Bachelor of Arts in Art History:

Students majoring in Art History who also want to major in Art (B.A.) must complete 28 hours of Art courses that are not used to complete the requirements for the major in Art History.

Impact Statement: This change will have no negative impact on the department or its resources. The positive impact will allow interested students to deepen their understanding of two closely aligned majors. Students graduating with this double major will benefit from having both a portfolio of conceptually and technically cohesive artwork and a deeper understanding of the connections their art makes historically and culturally with the history of Art.

Rationale: Recently a small group of students from both majors have been asking department faculty to create a way for them to pursue a double major. These are high achieving students who display talents as artists and as researchers and writers.