

ART M.F.A.

Admission Requirements

Complete the following admission requirements:

- Submit a separate portfolio of work as specified in the Art Department guidelines.
- Complete a B.F.A. or B.A. in art from a university other than UAF (or from UAF with special permission from the Art Department faculty), or complete one consecutive year of classes from an accredited M.F.A. program other than UAF. In cases where an exceptional portfolio is submitted, students with another undergraduate degree will be accepted provisionally and with the condition that they make up any deficiencies as determined by their graduate committee.

Program Requirements

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Minimum Requirements for Art M.F.A.: 60 credits

CONCENTRATIONS: CERAMICS, COMPUTER ART, DRAWING, NATIVE ARTS, PAINTING, PHOTOGRAPHY, PRINTMAKING, SCULPTURE

Code	Title	Credits
General University Requirements		
Complete the graduate general university requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#gurmastersdegreestext)		
Master's Degree Requirements		
Complete the master's degree requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#masterofflinearts)		
Art Program Requirements		
Complete the following:		
ART F661	Mentored Teaching in Art	1
ART F663	Seminar in Art History	3
ART F690	Current Problems	3
or ART F688	Professional Practices for Visual Artists	
ART F698	Non-thesis Research/Project ¹	5
or ART F699	M.F.A. Thesis Project	
Electives in art history, humanities or philosophy ²		6
Courses may be chosen from the following:		
ART F624	Field Artists of the North	
ART F625	Visual Images of the North	
ART F663	Seminar in Art History	
ART F673	History of the Role of the Artist	
Complete at least two studio areas at the F600 level ³		42
Courses may be chosen from the following:		
ART F601	Ceramics	
ART F603	Graduate Photography	
ART F605	Drawing	
ART F607	Printmaking	
ART F609	Metalsmithing	

ART F611	Sculpture
ART F613	Painting
ART F619	Life Drawing
ART F633	Graduate Field Painting
ART F665	Advanced Photography Seminar
ART F668	Alaska Native Art Studio
ART F671	Two- and Three-dimensional Computer Design
ART F672	Advanced Computer Visualization in Art
ART F684	Multimedia Theory and Practice

Total Credits **60**

¹ Studio with a two-hour oral comprehensive examination.

² Students should seek approval of art history, humanities or philosophy elective courses from their advisor and/or committee prior to registration. Additional elective options may be available and F400-level courses may be taken with additional requirements.

³ Students should take 20 credits from their primary studio area, and 9 credits from their secondary studio area. The remaining credits should be comprised of studio credits and/or additional Mentored Teaching in Art ART F661 credits. Advisor and/or committee approval should be sought to ensure the correct completion of the credit requirement.

Note: Students with a graduate teaching assistantship (TA) are required to be enrolled in ART F661 Mentored Teaching in Art each semester they have a TA award.