Bachelor of Arts in Art: Art History and Studio Art – ARTS or ARTH Associate Degree for Transfer Roadmap

This is a sample pathway for students who transfer to San Francisco State University in the current Bulletin year with an AA-T in Studio Arts or an AA-T in Art History. Twelve units in the major (two lower-division studio courses, two lower-division art history courses) and all lower-division GE requirements have been satisfied. Check with a major advisor about the most appropriate course sequence. Degree completion guaranteed in 60 units; see the Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) section for more information (http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-admissions/transfer-students).

### Course Title Units

#### First Semester
- **Major Upper Division Art History – 20th–21st Century topic** 3
- **Major Upper Division Studio** 3
- **US History (bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/graduation-requirements/#USHaGR)** 3
- or University Elective if US History met before transfer
- **GE Area UD-B: Upper-Division Physical and/or Life Sciences (Consider SF State Studies Course)** 3
- **University Elective** 3
- **Units** 15

#### Second Semester
- **ARTH 400GW** Writing About Art - GWAR 3
- **Major Upper Division Studio** 3
- **Major Upper Division Art History** 3
- **U.S. and California Government (bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/graduation-requirements/#usg)** 3
- or University Elective if US/CA Government met before transfer
- **University Elective** 3
- **Units** 15

#### Third Semester
- **ART 509** Art Productions: Studio, Art History, Art Education 1
- **Major Upper Division Studio (designate as pre-capstone on advisement)** 3
- **Major Upper Division Art History – Take Two** 6
- **GE Area UD-C: Upper-Division Arts and/or Humanities (Consider SF State Studies Course)** 3
- **University Elective** 2
- **Units** 15

#### Fourth Semester
- **ARTH 602** Art History Seminar 3

### Upper Division Art History (12 units total)
Choose at least one 20th/21st century topic:
- ARTH 303 The Artist in the 20th-21st Centuries: Cultures in Collision - Cultures in Fusion (3 units)
- ARTH 306 Modern and Contemporary Art in a Global Context: 1945-Present (3 units)
- ARTH 403/SXS 405 Queer Art History (3 units)

### Potential capstone courses include all 600-level courses and 500-level studio courses on advisement. Students in this concentration have the option of designating ARTH 602: Art History Seminar as the capstone if preferred.

### To Do at SF State:

Enough total units to reach 120 minimum for graduation; 40 units minimum at the upper division level; to include the following:

**University-Wide Requirements: 9–15 Units**
- **American Institutions (0–6 units):** US History, US Government, California State and Local Government requirements if not taken before transfer
- **Upper division GE, areas B, C, and D (9 units):** Courses required for the major may double-count if approved for UD GE.
- **Students entering the major with the AA-T in Art History or Studio Arts are not required to fulfill SF State Studies requirements.**
- **Complementary Studies:** consult with a department advisor on how transfer units and/or SF State units can be applied to ensure degree completion within 60 units.

**Art major (Art History and Studio Art): 34 Units**

Twelve units met in transfer: two lower division studio courses; two lower division art history courses.
- **Upper Division Art History (12 units):** including 20th/21st century topic
- **Upper Division Studio (15 units):** choose one or two studio areas to develop skills that will lead to developing a guided, personally directed body of work in a capstone course in the senior year.
- **Capstone Experience (3 units):** ARTH 602 or Upper Division Studio Capstone in 3rd or 4th semester. See Note 1 above.
- **Art Productions (1 unit):** ART 509
- **Graduation Writing Assessment Requirement (3 units):** ARTH 400GW

### University Electives: Eleven or More Units

Units depending on course choices made at the community college, how transferred units are applied to the requirements above, and course choices at SF State – some courses may meet more than one requirement, e.g., both in UD GE and the major.