

DIVISION OF ARTS, BUSINESS, & CULTURAL PROGRAMS

PHOTOGRAPHY

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

The Associate of Arts in Photography provides students with a foundational knowledge of important conceptual and technical aspects of fine art photography with the goal of preparing students to transfer to a four-year university. The courses in this degree emphasize photography as a means of communication and personal expression, with an emphasis on cultural significance and visual literacy. Students planning to prepare for a four-year degree in photography should consult the lower division requirements of the university to which they plan to transfer.

To acquire the **Associate of Arts Degree in Photography**, students must complete the required major courses below with a grade of "C" or better along with one of the following:

- RHC GE and Proficiency requirements
- CSU GE (California State University General Education Breadth)
- IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum)

Required Courses		Units	N	IP	C
ART 105 Or Art 105H	Survey of Western Art: Prehistory through the Middle Ages/*Honors	3			
ART 106 Or Art 106H	Survey of Western Art: Renaissance to Contemporary/*Honors	3			
ART 120	Two-Dimensional Design	3			
ART 121	Three-Dimensional Design	3			
ART 130	Freehand Drawing I	3			
GDSN 178	Digital Imaging Design	3			
PHTO 110	Introduction to Digital Photography	3			
PHTO 130	Beginning Photography	3			
PHTO 111 or PHTO 131	*Intermediate Digital Photography *Intermediate Photography	3			
PHTO 140	Introduction to Lighting	3			
Total major units needed for Associate of Arts		30			
Units Completed					
*Prerequisite/Corequisite					

NOTE: Students interested in transferring as Photography majors should consult with a counselor for appropriate general education & major preparation counseling.