

DIVISION OF ARTS & 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 or of "P" if the course was taken on a Pass/No Pass basis, along with either of the following: Rio Hondo College General Education (RHC GE) or California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC). California State University General Education - Breadth (CSU GE) or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) may be used in some cases; please see a counselor for details.

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

Required Courses		Units	N	IP	C
ARTH C1100 Survey of Western Art from Prehistory through the Medieval Era/Honors Or ARTH C1100H		3			
ARTH C1200 Survey of Western Art from the Renaissance to Contemporary/Honors Or ARTH C1200H		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 *Intermediate Digital Photography or PHTO 131 *Intermediate Photography		3			
PHTO 140 Introduction to Lighting		3			
Total major units needed for Associate of Arts		30			
Units Completed					
*Prerequisite/Corequisite					