

BGS in History of Art

Below is a sample 4-year plan for students pursuing the BGS in History of Art. To view the list of courses approved to fulfill KU Core Goals, please visit the KU Core website. (<http://kucore.ku.edu/courses/>)

Freshman

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
HA 150 (Goal 4.2 Global Awareness, Major Requirement)	3	HA 151 (Goal 3 Arts and Humanities, Major Requirement)	3
Goal 2.1 Written Communication (1 of 2)	3	Goal 2.1 Written Communication (2 of 2)	3
First Year Seminar (Goal 1.1 Critical Thinking)	3	Goal 1.2 Quantitative Literacy	3
Goal 2.2 Communication	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
15		15	

Sophomore

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
HA 166 (Major Requirement)	3	HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3
Goal 3 Social Science	3	HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Goal 3 Natural Science	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
15		15	

Junior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3	HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3
HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3	HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ²	3
Goal 4.1 US Diversity	3	Goal 5 Social Responsibility & Ethics	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
15		15	

Senior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
HA 550 (HA Capstone, Goal 6 Integration & Creativity, BGS Career Prep Course BGSC, Major Requirement) ³	3	HA 300+ Breadth Course (Major Requirement) ⁴	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours ¹	3
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Total Hours 120

¹ Please note that the Bachelor of General Studies degree requires completion of the requirements of a single BGS major AND a secondary field of academic study (a second major, co-major, or minor). This sample plan is based on the completion of a minor. If a second major is selected instead, elective hours on plan will be needed for these additional major requirements.

² History of Art Breadth requires one course in 3 out of the 4 Geographical Regions and one course in 3 out of the 4 Chronological Periods for a total of 18 hours (6 courses). See Degree Requirements tab in the Catalog for course lists.

³ The department recommends that students take the HA or Studio Art course to satisfy Goal 6 in either the fall or spring semester of their fourth year. HA 698 and HA 550 fulfill a Goal 6 requirement.

⁴ A course may double count for a breadth requirement within the major and also for the Goal 6 requirement in the KU Core. If one course is taken to fulfill both requirements, an additional History of Art elective at the 300+ level is required.

Please note:

All students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences are required to complete 120 total hours of which 45 hours must be at the Jr/Sr (300+) level.

The same course cannot be used to fulfill more than one KU Core Goal. However, overlap of a KU Core course with a major or degree-specific requirement is allowed. Overlapping is recommended to allow more opportunities to explore other majors and/or minors.