

Studio Art Major Experiential Major Map for BA Degree (There are other pathways for this degree — be sure to speak with an art advisor.)

GET THE COURSES YOU NEED	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four
	FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS	FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS	FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS	FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS
128 credits + 4 Short Terms 5 studio electives in 3 media areas	ART 100: Drawing Studio electives	ART 264: Modern Art ART 351: Artist-in-Residence— only needed once, take every year if you can! Studio electives	ART 351: Artist-in-Residence Studio electives Additional art history class Consider depth and breadth in your media—try something new, go deeper in one area!	ART 470: Independent Senior Research ART 480: Senior Projects
BE INVOLVED AND JOIN DIVERSE COMMUNITIES	 Attend the art department meeting at the beginning of the year. Attend guest lectures and events. Go to the club fair. Participate in Senate and SGA. Attend the Hollins Student Conference (SPARC). Go to artist talks on campus. 	 Travel to neighboring campuses for lectures and events. Show school spirit and go to sporting events. Attend a student reading and other student-led activities. 	 Take part in Ring Night! Consider taking on leadership positions in Orientation Team or SGA. 	Take part in 100th Night! Mentor a new student. Consider leadership positions such as career connectors, tutors, International Student Orientation Program, or Early Transition Program mentor.
EXPAND YOUR INTERCULTURAL AND GLOBAL HORIZONS	Consider Model UN, Model Arab League, Black Student Alliance, the Unión de Estudiantes LatinX, the Sexuality and Gender Alliance. Attend Cultural & Community Engagement and Office of Inclusivity and Diversity events. Meet with someone in International Programs to discuss abroad possibilities.	 Apply to study abroad (Jamaica, Short Term, semester) or study away. Participate in the Diversity Monologue Troupe. Do a J-Term language immersion program. 	 Participate in a COIL project. Consider an international internship. Study abroad for a semester. Apply for summer opportunities such as Fulbright UK Summer Institute and Critical Language Scholarship. 	Apply for Fulbright, Rhodes, Marshall, Gates Cambridge, or other international scholarships.
GAIN RELEVANT EXPERIENCE AND PREPARE FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION	 Attend C3. Create LinkedIn/Handshake accounts. Visit the Career Center and meet with a career counselor. Take a leadership course or consider a leadership certificate. Apply for a first-year J-Term internship. 	 Attend Career Center workshops. Apply for a Signature or independent internship. Consider internships at the Taubman or Wilson museums. Consider an Arts Management Certificate. Apply for Manchester and Dorothy Gillespie grants for art supplies, summer classes, and special projects 	 Discuss career goals with your advisor. Talk to professors about their research and creative work to learn about opportunities. Ask your professors and visiting artist about graduate programs. Attend the "Articulating Your International Experience" workshop. 	Explore professional organizations and student membership options. Prepare for graduate school portfolio reviews. Attend the Alumnae Board's preprofessional networking events.
ADD TOOLS TO YOUR LIFE BELT	Develop a self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, develop time management skills	Hone your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy	Expand your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy	Embrace your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy