# **Minor in Art History**

#### 18 units

The art history minor prepares students to develop a broad understanding of the meaning and purposes of visual communication, while promoting critical engagement and the attainment of knowledge of historically significant ideas and objects.

### Requirements

Students must maintain at least a 2.0 grade-point average in program courses to graduate. The program requires that students complete 18 units from the following list of art history courses:

Code	Title	Units
ART 354	History of Ancient Art and Architecture <sup>1</sup>	3
ART 361	History of Early Christian and Medieval Art and Architecture <sup>1</sup>	3
ART 362	History of Renaissance to Rococo Art and Architecture <sup>1</sup>	3
ART 356	History of Modern Art and Architecture	3
ART 357	History of Contemporary Art and Architecture <sup>1</sup>	3
ART 359	Women In Art	3
ART 475	Art Internship	1-4
ART 497	Readings	1-4
ART 498	Directed Research	1-4
DSGN 258	History of Graphic Design and Illustration	3
Total Units		18

<sup>1</sup> Meets the APU Core: Humanities: Fine Arts general education requirement.

## **Program Learning Outcomes**

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Students who successfully complete this program shall be able to:

- 1. Recognize and categorize art works seen in class and not previously encountered.
- 2. Identify art historical time periods and the function and meaning of the art within these time periods.
- 3. Relate stylistic and technical artistic aspects of objects and monuments to the social, cultural, and intellectual contexts of the periods.
- 4. Make comparisons across art historical time periods, styles, and worldviews.
- 5. Articulate how faith impacts artistic creation.