Art Major

60 units

The Bachelor of Arts in Art program (http://www.apu.edu/cma/vpa/artdesign/art) provides students with a broad groundwork in the arts, and students then select an area of concentration: studio art or teaching/art education. Students should decide on an area of concentration by their sophomore year and notify their advisor.

The studio art concentration (http://catalog.apu.edu/undergraduate/music-arts/school-visual-performing-arts/art-design/art-major/studio-art-concentration) provides a solid foundation for those who wish to seek graduate-level training. Areas of emphasis include: ceramics, crafts, drawing and painting, graphic design, interdisciplinary, photography, printmaking, and sculpture.

The teaching/art education concentration (http://catalog.apu.edu/undergraduate/music-arts/school-visual-performing-arts/art-design/art-major/teaching-art-education-concentration) is for those planning to teach art at the secondary level in a public or private school. This concentration prepares students for positions ranging from specialist in art at the K-12 level to teaching in the single subject track at the 7-12 level. This concentration comprises professional course requirements completed through practical classroom application, field experience, and service-learning, and also allows students to concentrate in a specific area of interest.