FACULTY AGENDA ITEM 14.10

Date: February 24, 2014

Submitted by: Laura Stephenson, Interim Dean

SUBJECT: Art Requirement Change in the B.A. in Art History Degree

Description: This proposal is to update the requirements based on current offerings, specify content areas for art history electives.

Rationale: The B.A. in Art History is a degree consisting of forty (40) credit hours in the major plus the University Core and General Education requirements of the College. The current listings and course names are outdated and do not afford some flexibility to assist students.

Current Catalog Language:

The B.A. in Art History is a degree consisting of forty (40) credit hours in the major plus the general education requirements of the college. All students majoring in Art History shall take the following required courses:

AR 101 Survey of Art History I (3)

AR 102 Survey of Art History II (3)

AR 131 Basic Digital Art Media (3)

AR 140 Drawing I (3)

AR 313 Museums and Materials (3)

AR 300 Art Criticism (3)

AR 312 Research in Art History (3)

AR 402 Art Forum (1)

18 hours art history electives (15 hours must be upper division)

NOTE: A senior research paper is required of all BA-Art History majors (AR 312). All BA Art history students must take RG 105 Introduction to Old Testament, or RG 106 Intro to New Testament or EN 210 Mythologies in Literature (3) as required correlate course in Humanities (may count as General Education).

Proposed Catalog Language:

The B.A. in Art History is a degree consisting of forty (40) credit hours in the major plus the general education requirements of the college. All students majoring in Art History shall take the following required courses:

AR 101 Survey of Art History I (3)

AR 102 Survey of Art History II (3)

AR 131 Basic Digital Art Media (3)

AR 140 Drawing I (3) AR 120 Design I: 2D (3) or AR 140 Drawing I (3)

AR 313 Museums and Materials (3)

AR 300 Art Criticism (3) AR 300 Art Theory Past and Present (3)

AR 312 Research in Art History (3) OR AR 401 Internship (3)

AR 402 Art Forum (1)

18 hours art history electives (15 hours must be upper division)

AR 309 Arts of Africa (3) OR AR 310 Art of Asia (3) OR AR 311 Art of the Americas (3)

AR 301 Ancient Art (3) OR AR 302 Medieval Art (3) OR AR 304 Renaissance Art (3)

AR 306 Development of Modern Art (3) OR AR 307 Twentieth Century Art (3) OR AR 407 21st Century Art Practice (3)

Art history electives (9 hours)

NOTE: A senior research paper is required of all BA Art History majors (AR 312). All BA Art history students must take Required Correlate course (may count as general education): RG 105 Introduction to Old Testament, or RG 106 Intro to New Testament or EN 210 Mythologies in Literature (3) RG 102 World Religions (3) as required correlate course in Humanities (may count as General Education).

Financial Implications: None

Proposed Effective Date: Fall 2014.

Request for Action: Approval by AAC/.FAC/FS/ Gen Fac, etc

Approved by: AAC on 3-10-14

FAC on date

Faculty Senate on date

Attachments Yes No X