



# Bachelor of Fine Arts Art and Design Program Objectives

The Bachelor of Fine Arts provides intensive, thorough training in studio artmaking and grounds those skills in theory, history, and critical thought to enable students to contextualize their work within the broader framework of past and contemporary arts movements

## **OVERALL LEARNING OBJECTIVES EXPECTED FOR STUDENTS IN THE PROGRAM:**

Knowledge of essential theories and applied skills necessary to pursue art- and design-related careers

In-depth knowledge of art history

Ability to contextualize work within broader framework of past and contemporary arts movements

In-depth knowledge of one or more art and design medium, including skills and techniques for relevant technologies, tools, materials, and equipment

Advanced ability in art and design practice as demonstrated through production of self-directed projects appropriate for use in a professional work portfolio