



# STUDIO ART PAINTING (B.F.A.)

EXPRESS YOUR CREATIVITY IN THE STUDIO ARTS BY MASTERING TECHNICAL SKILLS IN PAINTING AND DRAWING WITH THIS CONCENTRATED DEGREE.

## 130 HOURS TOTAL

### INCLUDES CLASSES IN

- » FIGURE DRAWING
- » DESIGN AND VISUAL THEORY
- » ACRYLICS, OILS, AND WATERCOLOR
- » LANDSCAPE AND STILL LIFE
- » BUSINESS AND SALE OF ART
- » AESTHETICS AND CRITIQUE
- » DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY
- » PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT
- » ART HISTORY
- » PRESENTATION AND EXHIBITION

The **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting** will focus your studio arts skills by offering classes that prepare you to advance your career as an artist. Beyond working in studios, students receive professional instruction from faculty with work in collections all over the world.

Please see the back for a full list of courses, and a suggested four-year plan with courses broken into semesters and years. If you have any questions or would like to schedule an advising appointment, please contact Mr. Ray Gregory: [gregory@mc.edu](mailto:gregory@mc.edu)

## Start your career as a:

Exhibition designer

Professional Painter

Art director

Studio instructor

Gallery director

Art consultant

Curator

Illustrator



**ART**  
[art.mc.edu](http://art.mc.edu)

**CORE CLASSES (33 HOURS)****English & Literature (9 hours)**

ENG 099  
 ENG 101 & 102  
 ENG 211, 212, or 213

**History (6 hours)**

HIS 101 & 102 or 103 & 104 or 211 & 212

**Bible (6 hours)**

BIB 110 & 120 Old and New Testament

**Social Sciences (3 hours)**

ECO 131 or 231, PSY 201, SOC 205,  
 MILG 205, or PLS 201

**Science (4 hours)**

BIO 103 & 104, BIO 105 & 106, BIO 111,  
 CHE 112, CHE 141, PHY 151, or PHY 251

**Mathematics (3 hours)**

MAT 111 - College Algebra

**Physical Education (3 hours)**

PED XYZ (1 credit hour classes each) or  
 KIN 123 & 124 - Fitness For Life and  
 Nutrition for Well-Being

**Chapel**

Students at Mississippi College are required to complete chapel requirements based on the student classification at the time of enrollment as detailed below:

Freshman (0-23 semester hours) **4 semesters**  
 Sophomore (24-53 semester hours) **3 semesters**  
 Junior (54-83 semester hours) **2 semesters**  
 Senior (84 or more semester hours) **1 semester**

\*Degree requirements and class offerings are subject to change each year. This page is for general information and not intended for advising purposes.

**Recommended High School Preparation**

Beyond meeting the minimum high school requirements for admission to Mississippi College, students who plan to enter the Studio Arts degree program are encouraged, but not required, to take courses in art, photography, theater or computer science that help you develop skills in areas complementary to the fine arts.

**ART CLASSES (43 HOURS)**

ART 101 - Basic Design I  
 ART 102 - Basic Design II  
 ART 103 - Basic Design III  
 ART 125 - Art Appreciation  
 ART 203 - Drawing I  
 ART 204 - Drawing II  
 ART 205 - Introduction to Graphics Software  
 ART 303 - Drawing III  
 ART 304 - Drawing IV  
 ART 399 - The Business of Art  
 ART 407 - History of Art I  
 ART 408 - History of Art II  
 ART 475 - Aesthetics  
 ART 481 - Digital Photography I  
 ART 499 - Senior Exhibition

**PAINTING TRACK (27 HOURS)**

ART 211 - Painting I  
 ART 212 - Painting II  
 ART 318 - Printmaking I  
 ART 331 - Introduction to Sculpture I  
 ART 351 - Ceramics I  
 ART 437 - Painting III  
 ART 438 - Painting IV  
 ART 458 - Special Projects in Painting I  
 ART 459 - Special Projects in Painting II

**RECOMMENDED ART ELECTIVES (9 HOURS)**

ART 207 - Art in the Elementary Schools  
 ART 319 - Printmaking II  
 ART 332, 431, 432 - Sculpture II, III, or IV  
 ART 352, 451, 452 - Ceramics II, III, or IV  
 ART 421 or 422 - Special Projects  
 ART 435 - Special Projects in Sculpture I  
 ART 436 - Special Projects in Sculpture II  
 ART 441 - Art in Secondary Schools  
 ART 460 - Special Projects in Printmaking I  
 ART 461 - Special Projects in Printmaking II  
 ART 465 - Special Projects in Ceramics I  
 ART 466 - Special Projects in Ceramics II  
 ART 482 - Digital Photography II

**SPEECH (3 HOURS)**

COM 202, 203, or 304

**GENERAL ELECTIVE (15 HOURS)**

Any five 3-hour courses

**Four-Year Academic Plan:** The B.F.A. in Studio Art at Mississippi College is a comprehensive 131-hour degree. Students are not required to declare a minor or take any foreign language. This degree typically takes 8 semesters to complete. If you have any questions about customizing your plan (including transferring credit or study abroad semesters), please contact us to schedule a meeting with the studio arts advisor: [mc.edu/admissions](http://mc.edu/admissions)

**FALL SEMESTER**

ART 101 Basic Design I 3  
 ART 203 Drawing I 3  
 HISTORY CORE 3  
 ENGLISH CORE 3  
 BIBLE CORE 3  
 Chapel

**16****SPRING SEMESTER**

ART 102 Basic Design II 3  
 ART 204 Drawing II 3  
 HISTORY CORE 3  
 ENGLISH CORE 3  
 MATH CORE 3  
 BIBLE CORE 3  
 Chapel

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ART 125 Art Appreciation 3  
 ART 211 Painting I 3  
 ENGLISH CORE 3  
 ART 303 Drawing III 3  
 SCIENCE WITH LAB CORE 4  
 PE CORE 2  
 Chapel

**18****2**

ART 437 Painting III 3  
 ART 318 Printmaking I 3  
 ART 205 Intro to Graphic Soft 3  
 ART 407 History of Art I 3  
 ART ELECTIVE 3

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ART 481 Digital Photography 3  
 ART 458 SP Painting I 3  
 ART 351 Ceramics I 3  
 GENERAL ELECTIVE 3  
 ART 399 Business of Art 3

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