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Minor in Community Based Art Education

Sponsoring Unit:

The Art Education Unit in the School of Art and Design in the College of Fine and Applied Arts sponsors the minor in Community Based art Education.

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Description:

The minor in Art Education is designed for students who seek to study the purpose and function of the visual arts in a variety of locations as well as to prepare them to lead the development of art classes and art programs in these sites. These locations include: cultural centers, museums, hospitals, nursing homes, adult day care centers, schools, recreation centers, and other community settings. Following the completion of the required foundation courses, student choose electives among School of Art and Design classes and pursue their interests in exploring art making in diverse community sites. Throughout their course of study, students will engage Art Education as it meets the challenges of the 21st century, by exploring new technologies and new forms of cultural expression.

This minor does not lead to K-12 certification.

Justification:

This minor is meant to meet the educational needs of students within the School of Art and Design and from other campus units who are interested in exploring community-based art programs. It is also intended to enlarge the scope of unit course offerings to meet requests for non-certification art education studies.

Budgetary and Staff Implications:

- a. No addition staff or money is needed.
- b. Internal allocations will remain the same.
- c. Course enrollment in other departments will not be impacted.
- d. Library, computer labs, or other facilities will not be affected.

Requirements:

Students must complete a minimum of 16 hours. However, they may take an additional 4 hours if they choose to do so. They must meet the following course requirements for a total 16-20 hours:

6 hrs Required Foundational Courses

ARTE 201 Foundations of Art Education ARTE 202 Methods of Teaching Art

6-14 hrs Electives from Art Education Division Offerings

ART 140 Introduction to Art (With Studio) OR ART 140 Introduction to Art (Without Studio) ARTE 260 Museums in Action ARTE 480 Popular Visual Culture ARTE 402 Children's Artistic Development ARTE 403 Expressive Arts and Community ARTE 391 Independent Study

(An additional course, Art, Community, and Global Civil Society, will be added to this list of electives in the future.)

2-6 hrs Electives from the School of Art and Design

Prerequisites for the minor:

For admission to the minor, students must apply to Art Education, must have a 2.5 minimum GPA, must submit a Statement of Intent and be approved by the Art Education Undergraduate Advisor, Robin Douglas.

Expected enrollment in the minor:

The department anticipates enrollment of 10–20 students.

Admission to the minor:

The Art Education Undergraduate Advisor, who is also a faculty member in Art Education, will monitor the admission process.

Minor advisor:

The Art Education Undergraduate Advisor, Robin Douglas, will serve as advisor to undergraduate minors.

See http://www.art.uiuc.edu/a+d/program/academic/ae/ae.html for contact information.

Additional information about declaring a minor is available on the Provost's site: Undergraduate Minors, Office of the Provost, University of Illinois. Students will need to download and print the Statement of Intent to Pursue a Campus-Approved Minor (PDF format). Students will also need to complete the Minor's Modification Form (PDF Format) if they are going to cancel their minor or if a class needs to be substituted.

Submit an updated copy of your DARS report along with the Statement of Intent to Pursue a Campus-Approved Minor (PDF format) to Robin Douglas for approval and signature. Submit the signed Statement of Intent form to the student's College office.

Certification of successful completion:

The Art Education Undergraduate Advisor will certify and report a student's successful completion of the minor to the student's college.

Proposed effective date:

August 15, 2008

Statement for the Programs of Study Catalog:

The minor in Art Education is designed for students who seek to study the role of the visual arts in a variety of locations including cultural centers, museums, hospitals, nursing homes, adult day care centers, schools, recreation centers, and other community settings. Following the completion of the required foundation courses, student choose electives from among School of Art and Design classes and pursue their interests in exploring art making in diverse community sites. Throughout their course of study, students will engage Art Education as it meets the challenges of the 21st century including new technologies and new forms of cultural expression.

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