



Bachelor of Fine Arts in 3D Media (Wood)

Fall 2025/Spring 2026 Major
4 year plan - 132 units required

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2.5 overall GPA; 2.5 in bold art/art history courses required for admission to major.

4 Year Plan

Recommended sequence of Major requirements only ****Does not include General Education or Elective units**

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15-16 units recommended per semester (include GE requirements each semester in order to reach the desired amount of units per term)

Semester 1	Units	Semester 2	Units
Art 130 Foundation Two Dimensional	3	Art 181 Foundation Drawing	3
Art 131 Foundation Three Dimensional	3	Art 254 Introduction to Wood	3
Art History 111A or 111B Foundation Art History	3	Art 263 Intro Studio: Sculpture - Beginning	3
Art 121 Safety & Sustainability for Studio Artists	1	Art History 111A or 111B Foundation Art History	3
Semester 3	Units	Semester 4	Units
Art 184 Found. Life Drawing or Art 261 Intro Studio: Sculpture - Life	3	Art 287 Intro Studio: Painting	3
ART 353A Core Studio: Wood-Design	3	Art 353B Digital Furniture Design and Production	3
Art 354A Core Studio: Wood - Furniture	3	Art 369 Axis: Woodturning and Metal Spinning	3
Art History 111C, 111D, 111E, 111F, or 111G	3	Art 101 Artists in Their Own Words	1
** Take GVAR Exam **			
Semester 5	Units	Semester 6	Units
Art 251A, 251B, 257, OR 265	3	Art 354C Core Studio: Wood - Cabinetry	3
Art 354B Core Studio: Wood - Bending	3	Art 454A Advanced Studio: Wood - Architecture	3
Upper Division Art History (AH) (300-499 Level)	3	Design 369 History of Furniture and Decorative Arts	3
		Art 101 Artists in Their Own Words	1
		Art 311 Writing about Visual Art	3
Semester 7	Units	Semester 8	Units
Art 454B Adv. Furniture Making: Upholstery & New Materials	3	Art 491B 3-D Media: Senior Project	1
Art 499B Special Studies in Wood	3	Art or Art History Upper Division (300-499) other than Wood	3
Art or Art History Upper Division (300-499) other than Wood	3	Upper Division Art History (AH) (300-499 Level)	3

If interested in applying to BFA in Wood *See attachment for all eligibility requirements**

Recommended to have any 300 level Wood course completed before submission of portfolio.

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132 Unit Degree (Includes GE, Major, and Elective units) ***Elective units can be up to 14 units depending on what is transferred in (AP, IB, Military, College credit)*

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Art 131 Foundation Three Dimensional	3	Art 254 Introduction to Wood	3
Art History 111A or 111B Foundation Art History	3	Art History 111A or 111B Foundation Art History	3
Semester 3		Semester 4	
Art 184 Found. Life Drawing or Art 261 Intro Studio: Sculpture - Life	3	Art 287 Intro Studio: Painting	3
ART 353A Drafting and Model Making for 3D Art Objects	3	Art 369 Axis: Woodturning and Metal Spinning	3
Art History 111C, 111D, 111E, 111F, or 111G	3	Art 121 Safety & Sustainability for Studio Artists (GE/E)	1
Art 101 Artists in Their Own Words	1		
** Take GVAR Exam **			
Semester 5		Semester 6	
Art 263 Intro Studio: Sculpture - Beginning	3	Art 353B Advanced Studio: Wood - CNC	3
Art 354A Core Studio: Wood - Furniture	3	Art 354C Core Studio: Wood - Cabinetry	3
Semester 7		Semester 8	
Art 354B Core Studio: Wood - Bending	3	Art 454A Advanced Studio: Wood - Architecture	3
Art 251A, 251B, 257, OR 265	3	Art or Art History Upper Division (300-499) other than Wood	3
Art 311 Writing about Visual Art	3	Design 369 History of Furniture and Decorative Arts	3
Semester 9		Semester 10	
Art 454B Advanced Studio: Wood - Upholstery	3	Art 491B 3-D Media: Senior Project	1
Art 499B Special Studies in Wood	3	Art or Art History Upper Division (300-499) other than Wood	3
Upper Division Art History (AH) (300-499 Level)	3	Upper Division Art History (AH) (300-499 Level)	3
Art 101 Artists in Their Own Words	1		

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Fall 2024/Spring 2025

Major Checklist

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Note: This checklist is not intended to replace advising from the major department. Students should consult with the major advisor to determine the appropriate sequence of courses. This checklist is to inform students of major requirements and course prerequisites only. CSULB Enrollment Services prepares the Academic Requirements Report, which is the official graduation verification.

✓	Course	Prerequisites/Corequisites	Notes
LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (36 units)			
Complete the following courses (12 units total):			
	Art History 111A. Foundation Art History: Prehistory-c. 1500, Middle East, North Africa, Europe	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	MSR Course
	Art History 111B. Foundation Art History: c.1300-present, Europe and the US	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	MSR Course
	Art 130. Foundation Two-Dimensional		MSR Course
	Art 131. Foundation Three Dimensional		MSR Course
Complete the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art 101. Artists in Their Own Words		
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	Art 121. Safety & Sustainable Practices for Studio Artists	One GE Foundation course	
Complete the following courses (12 units total):			
	Art 181. Foundation Drawing		Recommended to apply to BFA
	Art 254. Introduction to Wood	Art 121, Art 131	Recommended to apply to BFA
	Art 263. Intro Studio: Sculpture - Beginning	One GE Foundation course	Recommended to apply to BFA
	Art 287. Intro Studio: Painting	Art 130, Art 181	Recommended to apply to BFA
Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art 184. Foundation Life Drawing or Art 261. Intro Studio: Sculpture - Life (Choose 1)	Art 184: Art 181. Art 261: 1 GE Found.	
Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art 251A, 251B, 257, or 265 (Choose 1)	Refer to college catalog	
Complete 1 of the following courses (3 units total):			
	Art History 111C, 111D, 111E, 111F, or 111G (Choose 1)	Pre/Coreq: One GE Foundation course	
UPPER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (46 units)			
Complete the following courses (34 units total):			
	Art 311. Writing About Visual Art	Refer to college catalog	
	Art 353A. Drafting and Model Making for 3D Art Objects	Art 130, 131, 181, 121 or 254; AH 111B	(Offered Fall Semester only) Recommended to apply to BFA
	Art 353B. Advanced Studio: Wood - CNC	Art 353A and 354A	(Offered Spring Semester only)
	Art 354A. Core Studio: Wood - Furniture	Art 130, 131, 181, 254; AH 111A or AH 111B	(Offered Fall & Spring Semester)
	Art 354B. Core Studio: Wood - Bending	Art 353A and 354A	(Offered Fall Semester only)
	Art 354C. Core Studio: Wood - Cabinetry	Art 353A and 354A	(Offered Spring Semester only)
	Art 369. Axis: Woodturning and Metal Spinning	Art 121, 130, 131, or 254	(Offered Fall semester only - even years)
	Art 454A. Advanced Studio: Wood - Architecture	Art 353B and 354A; Art 354B or 354C	(Offered Spring Semester only)
	Art 454B. Advanced Studio: Wood - Upholstery	Art 353B and 354A; Art 354B or 354C	(Offered Fall Semester only)
	Art 499B. Special Studies in Wood	Art 354B	
	Art 491B. 3-D Media: Senior Project	3-D Media major	Taken Last Semester
	Desn 369. History of Furniture and Decorative Arts	Completion of GE Foundation requirements	
Complete the following course (6 units total):			
	Upper Division Art History (AH) (300-499 Level)	Refer to college catalog	
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Complete the following course (6 units total):			
	Art or Art History Upper Division outside of Wood (300-499 Level)	Refer to college catalog	
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