

Art Majors



Why Study Abroad?

Imagine learning the art of printmaking in Florence, participating in an art restoration project in Spain, developing your photography skills in Prague, or creating a sculpture made with white marble that you select from a local quarry in Greece!

Students have studied in:

Australia
China
England
Italy
Japan
Spain

*This is not an exhaustive list!

Deadlines & Requirements

For spring: October 15th
For summer: April 1st
For fall/yearlong: April 15th
2.5 GPA

*Deadlines may vary!

When is the best time to study abroad?

Students are eligible to study abroad as soon as the summer after their freshman year. For Art majors, the timing of study abroad is not especially important. While abroad focus on taking art elective courses, disciplinary lens courses, and some of the Art requirement courses.

Potential Internship Opportunities

Graphic and Fashion design in Torino
Art Gallery in Bilbao
Visual Arts in Melbourne

This advising sheet will help you plan for a study abroad experience. You should begin the process of planning for your study abroad program now. Courses are subject to change depending on the semester and **these are not the only options. Contact ILO for an advising appointment.*

Art and Art History

Courses required for the Art and Art History majors or minors are offered in a number of different locations. The lists below by no means represent an exhaustive list of locations where courses are available. If there is a place you are interested in going that is not listed, contact the ILO Office to see what courses might be available in that location.

Boise State Art and Art History Courses available abroad

ARTHIST 101 Survey of Western Art I	Alicante, Bilbao, Madrid, Pau, San Sebastián
ARTHIST 102 Survey of Western Art II	Alicante, Bilbao, Madrid, San Sebastián
ART 109 Foundation Drawing	Madrid
ARTHIST 355 Italian Renaissance Art	Madrid, Viterbo
ARTHIST 370 History of Modern Architecture	Torino

Examples of Art and Art History Electives Offered Abroad

- Modern Culture and Arts in Germany (Lüneburg, Germany)
- History of Interior Design (Torino, Italy)
- Italian Gardens and Mediterranean Landscape Design (Viterbo, Italy)
- Photojournalism (Madrid, Spain)
- Drawing and Painting in Pau (Pau, France)
- Urban Design Studio (Torino, Italy)
- Chinese Calligraphy (Chengdu and Shanghai, China)
- Latin American Art and Society (Santiago, Chile)
- Etruscan and Roman Art (Viterbo, Italy)

Other Upper Division Art and Art History Electives

The list above is just a few of the many Art and Art History courses offered abroad. Any upper division Art or Art History elective can count towards the upper division Art or Art History elective credits required for the major.

Disciplinary Lens Courses (DLs)

It is also possible to fulfill some of the disciplinary lens requirements while abroad, particularly the DLN (Non-Lab Science), DLL (Literature and Humanities), DLS (Social Science), and DLV (Visual and Performing Arts) requirements. Even if the course is not equivalent to a course on the approved list, you can contact Foundational Studies to see if they will approve a substitution.

Course Finder

A full list of all pre-approved courses can be found on the ILO website: <http://international.boisestate.edu/academic-information/coursefinder/>. Be aware that not every course is offered during every term, so you should consult both the program website and the Course Finder when planning your courses. It is also important to meet with your academic advisor, to ensure that you are staying on track with regard to your academic plan.

Approval Process

It is possible to take courses that are not listed on the Course Finder. If you would like a course to count as an equivalent to a specific Boise State course, you must take a course description or syllabus to the chair of the appropriate academic department. If the course is not something Boise State offers (i.e., Italian History), the course will simply count as an elective.