

Art A.A. Degree Program Level Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Art will be able to:

demonstrate preparedness to successfully continue studies in art at an upper division level.

reproduce, render, and interpret in a variety of media through observation.

plan, design, and produce original works of art.

make informed assessments of quality and effectiveness in works of art, including their own.

identify and distinguish various historical periods of art.

Photography A.A. Degree Program Level Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Photography will be able to:

demonstrate preparedness to successfully continue studies in art at an upper division level.

represent and interpret aspects of their physical and social environment in a variety of photography-related media.

plan, design, and produce original works of art.

make informed assessments of quality and effectiveness in works of art, including their own. Identify and distinguish various historical periods of photography-related art.

Music AA Degree Program Level Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Music will be able to:

demonstrate musical literacy by decoding music notation through their instrument and/or voice.

demonstrate the ability to use basic musical notation.

perform and stylistically interpret music on their applied instrument/ voice in an ensemble and/or in a solo setting.

demonstrate an awareness of the scope, variety, structure and form of works in the canon of traditional western art music.

Journalism AA Degree Program Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Journalism will be able to:

identify and research stories that have news value to a community and conceptualize the coverage of those stories using written, audio or visual media.

conduct an interview that yields valuable information and is accurately recorded.

write a news article appropriate for publication in a local newspaper *or* online news site applying industry standards of accuracy, fairness, style and grammar.

use a computer and current industry standard software to edit, format and lay out text and images for a print or online publication.

discuss the constitutional principles governing the rights and responsibilities of the media in the United States, and apply these principles and related ethical considerations in the production of news content.

discuss how the mass media impact society on a local, national and global level.

Television Production AA Degree Program Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Television Production will be able to:

operate TV studio, TV control room and field equipment to create a 5-25 minute television or video production.

write program proposals and scripts for television productions.

use digital editing software to record, playback and edit various audio and video materials.

demonstrate ability to act as talent and direct talent in a television program.

identify and utilize all stages of production to produce and direct a 5-minute video.

define industry standard terminology and demonstrate its proper use.

discuss the fundamental principles governing the rights and responsibilities of the media in the United States and apply these principles and other ethical considerations when producing content for television and new media.

Radio Broadcasting AA Degree Program Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Radio Broadcasting will be able to:

operate an audio mixing console to execute an on-air shift.

use industry standards to write the following scripts: commercial, promotional and public service announcements, and newscast.

use digital editing software to record, playback, edit, and process various audio material.

demonstrate various vocal techniques including the proper use of inflection, articulation, diction, pronunciation, and range when producing audio elements.

identify and discuss the day to day operations of a radio station including the specific roles of departments and personnel.

define industry standard terminology and demonstrate its proper use.

Speech Communication AA Degree Program Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Speech Communication will be able to:

construct a speech outline demonstrating clarity of ideas, proper source citation, awareness of audience, and proper outlining techniques.

identify and apply principles of interpersonal communication theory to build functional relationships.

find, evaluate, and incorporate research materials into written and oral argumentation, as well as cite sources correctly.

adequately debate others, present platform speeches, or perform works of literature in a classroom or outside venue.

Theatre AA Degree Program Outcomes

In addition to demonstrating the abilities listed as General Education Student Learning Outcomes, students who complete the Associate's Degree in Theatre will be able to:

demonstrate knowledge of theatre from a historical perspective.

synthesize and apply information on contemporary trends and technologies in theatre.

analyze a theatrical text.

research and analyze the directing of other directors.

demonstrate knowledge of theatrical protocol.

demonstrate understanding of the collaborative nature of theatre.

demonstrate the process required to prepare a resume, audition piece, or portfolio.

practice commitment and self-discipline required for success in theatre.

employ initiative and leadership qualities in individual development and growth.

express creativity in the artistic process.