Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art

This degree is designed to develop the student’s consciousness of aesthetic and ideological aspects of art and its relationship to life. The degree also assists students in the realization of personal ideas, artmaking skills and imagery. The BA is oriented toward a general and broad immersion in the field. Studio courses are supplemented with studies in art history, foreign language and an abundance of electives both within the School of Art and Art History and throughout the campus. While the BA in Studio Art is not usually the preferred preparation for moving on to the Master of Fine Arts degree, it is quite appropriate for seeking other advanced degrees, especially in the Liberal Arts or other similar programs.

Entry-Level Positions
Art Director
Art Instructor
Cartoonist
Exhibit Designer
Freelance Artist
Gallery Director
Illustrator
Industrial Designer
Medical Illustrator
Photographer
Purchasing Managers, Buyers, & Purchasing Agents

Curriculum Information
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Positions with a Graduate Degree
Art Therapist
Curator
Postsecondary Educator

Professional Organizations and Related Resources
American Society of Artists
Association of Art Museum Curators
Industrial Designer Society of America
National Art Education Association
National Cartoonists Society
Society of Illustrators
Professional Photographers of America

Where else can I find information on this major?
Occupational Outlook Handbook
O*Net Online
USF Career Services