

University of Maine at Augusta  
College of Arts & Humanities  
**Bachelor of Art, LIBERAL STUDIES**  
2009-2010 Catalog

Name:

ID#:

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**BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 121 Credit Hours        | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 credits hours of Residency courses      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Writing Intensive Course        | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 credits of Upper-Level Residency courses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum Cumulative G.P.A.: 2.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum G.P.A. in the Minor: 2.00          |

**BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENT:** All required placement examinations and/or academic assessments must be completed prior to any course registration. To ensure that students have the best possible opportunity to succeed in their major, students testing into developmental coursework are advised to **complete the recommended courses within the first semesters of attendance.**

Not Required    Recommended: ENG \_\_\_\_\_ REA \_\_\_\_\_ MAT \_\_\_\_\_  Completed

**MAJOR ELECTIVES (75-77 credit hours):**

Upper-Level Electives (42) *must be 300-400 level:*

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General Electives (33-36):

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**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (43-47 credit hours):**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Communications\* (3)
- ENG 101 College Writing (3)
- ENG 102W Introduction to Literature (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_ Diverse Times and Cultures Sequence\* (6-8)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Fine Arts Performance/Studio\* (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Fine Arts Theory\* (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Humanities\* (3)
- MAT 100 Mathematics and Its Applications (3) \_\_\_\_\_ *or higher-level math course*
- SSC 320 Research Methods in Social Science (3)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Science\* (4)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Science, Descriptive Science, or Computer Science\* (3-4)
- \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_ Social Science\* (6)

**MINOR** \_\_\_\_\_ (minimum of 18 credit hours)

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Students **must** complete a minor consisting of at least 18 credit hours. Checksheets for UMA minors can be found in Admissions, Advising, and the appropriate college offices. [Accounting; Addiction Studies; Art; Behavioral Science; Business Administration; Early Childhood Services; English; Financial Services; Geriatric Human Services; Holocaust, Genocide and Human Rights Studies; Information and Library Services; Justice Studies; Mathematics; Philosophy; Photography; Political Science; Public Administration; Small Business Management; Women's Studies]

Students majoring in the BA in Liberal Studies who wish to create their own minor must meet with an advisor to approve their program and sign a self-designed minor form. A minor consists of an area of specialization of at least 18 credits and must have a minimum of 6 upper-level credits.

*\*Course options listed on the back...*

**Major Requirements**

**Upper-Level Electives**

Students must take a minimum of 45 credit hours of upper-level electives; any 300-400-level course. 9 of these credits must be a part of the students UMA residency requirement.

**General Electives**

Students must take enough 100-level or higher courses to fulfill the 121 credit hour requirement total for the degree.

**Minor Notes**

Minor courses may double count toward degree requirements.

**General Education Requirements**

**Communication**

COM 101 Public Speaking  
 COM 102 Interpersonal Communications  
 COM 104 Communication in Groups & Organizations  
 COM 106 Oral Communication of Literature

**Diverse Times and Cultures**

Students must complete any two-semester sequence in a Foreign Language or American Sign Language, or students must complete one of the following sequences:  
 HTY 101 Foundation of Western Civilizations I  
 HTY 102 Foundations of Western Civilizations II  
 or  
 HTY 103 United States History I  
 HTY 104 United States History II  
 or  
 HTY 105 World Civilizations I, Prehistory to 1500  
 HTY 106 World Civilizations II, 1500 to the Present

**Fine Arts Performance/Studio**

Any ART, MUS, PHO, DAN or DRA course that is performance or studio based in nature, such as Drawing, Photography or Theatre Production.

**Fine Arts Theory**

ARH 105 History of Art & Architecture I  
 ARH 106 History of Art & Architecture II  
 DRA 101 Introduction to Theatre  
 DRA 265 The American Movie  
 DRA 280 Introduction to Films  
 INT 129 Understanding the Arts  
 MUS 123 Understanding Music  
 MUS 160 World Music  
 MUS 180 Women and Music  
 MUS 333 History & Literature of Music I  
 MUS 334 History & Literature of Music II

**Humanities**

ARH xxx any art history course  
 DRA 101 Introduction to Theatre  
 DRA 265 The American Movie  
 DRA 280 Introduction to Films  
 ENG xxx any literature course  
 HTY xxx any history course  
 HUM xxx any humanities course  
 INT 129 Understanding the Arts  
 MUS 110 Popular Music  
 MUS 117 The Dream Machine: A History of Rock & Roll  
 MUS 123 Understanding Music  
 MUS 124 Music of the Twentieth Century  
 MUS 131 Survey of Jazz & Contemporary Music  
 MUS 160 World Music  
 MUS 180 Women and Music  
 MUS 223 Music of the United States  
 MUS 333 History & Literature of Music I  
 MUS 334 History & Literature of Music II  
 PHI xxx any philosophy course  
 POS 390 Survey of Political Theory  
 WST 101W Introduction to Women's Studies

**Science/Computer Science Requirement**

Students must complete one science course with a laboratory component for a total of 4 credit hours plus an additional course that can be either another lab science, descriptive science or a computer science course.

**Social Science**

*Must be from two different disciplines*

ANT 101 Introduction to Anthropology  
 ANT 102 Cultural Anthropology  
 ECO 100 Introduction to Economics  
 ECO 201 Principles of Economics I (Macroeconomics)  
 ECO 202 Principles of Economics II (Microeconomics)  
 GEO 101 Introduction to Geography  
 POS 101 American Government  
 POS 102 Introduction to Politics and Government  
 PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology  
 SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology  
 SOC 201 Social Problems

Students are encouraged to contact their faculty advisor and the Advising Center for academic advising and support services throughout their stay at UMA.

Approved to Receive Degree

Records Office

Date

College Dean

Date