

About the Program

Art and Design Department
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Minor in Metals/Jewelry (MJD)

The minor in Metals/Jewelry provides students with hands-on experience in jewelry and metal fabrication, emphasizing the development of individual designs. Coursework incorporates both traditional and contemporary techniques, including soldering, casting, stone setting, and metal forming.

Learning Outcomes

Student Learning Outcomes
Students will:

1. interpret visual language including idioms, conventions, styles, elements and principles of design
2. demonstrate understanding of the meaning and use of artistic symbols in social context
3. interpret visual artwork, including an understanding of purposes and processes of creative endeavors
4. identify the persuasive and/or emotive aspects of visual and/or performed work
5. demonstrate understanding of artistic criteria for evaluating visual and/or performed work

Program Requirements

Required Courses (18 credit hours)

AAD 103 INTRODUCTION TO THREE-DIMENSIONAL DESIGN (3)

or

AAD 105 INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL DESIGN AND FABRICATION (3)

DES 230 INTRODUCTION TO JEWELRY MAKING (3)

DES 330 APPLIED JEWELRY TECHNIQUES (3)

DES 331 JEWELRY: JUNIOR STUDIO (3, 3)

DES 431 SENIOR JEWELRY STUDIO (3)

Total Credit Hours 18