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HOW TO USE THIS MAP

Use this map to help plan and guide your experience at UC Berkeley, including academic, co-curricular, and discovery opportunities. Everyone's Berkeley experience is different and activities in this map are suggestions. Always consult with your advisors whenever possible for new opportunities and updates.

Visit ue.berkeley.edu/majormaps for the latest version of this major map.

CONNECT WITH US

Cal Day

Come to UC Berkeley's annual **Open House** in April for information sessions, campus tours, special talks, and more.

Golden Bear Orientation

Join your peers in the campus-wide UC Berkeley **orientation** program for all new students.

Events

Attend department events with students, faculty, and staff. Visit art.berkeley.edu for news and updates.

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ART PRACTICE

Bachelor of Arts

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INTRODUCTION TO THE MAJOR

The **Art Practice** major provides technical and conceptual training in most traditional and new media: painting, drawing, printmaking, sculpture (wood, metal, ceramic, and mixed media), digital photography, installation, performance, social practice, video, sound, and selected classes in animation, game design, and comics. Art Practice majors are expected to round out the required studio courses with Art History and theory classes.

The Art Practice Department seeks to graduate students who demonstrate an original vision in their approach to practice, form, and content and who have the potential for significant artistic and cultural impact.



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“ *Art does not supply easy answers, and yet it plays a crucial role in how we act in and with the world.* ”

– Al-an deSouza, Art Practice Professor

COURSEWORK IN ART PRACTICE

- Studio practice courses with frequent feedback foster a supportive and responsive community, creative momentum, and collaborative thinking.
- Great student/faculty ratios allow for individual attention and support.
- Art history, theory and innovation courses complement studio courses.
- Most upper division studio courses involve exhibiting work and considering questions of audience, distribution, context, site, and timing.

AMPLIFY YOUR MAJOR

- Gain experience in art exhibitions, galleries, and libraries with the **Art Practice Internship Program**.
- Join **CREATE** and serve as an arts teacher to local schools and community organizations.
- Attend the **artist lecture series** to hear from artists visiting Berkeley.
- Apply to the Art Practice **Honors Studio**, a shared studio space for Art Practice Major seniors doing outstanding work.

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