



Academic Department Learning Outcomes

Core Theme 1: Studio Practice

- Ability to problem-solve and perform research
- Integrate making skills with conceptual understanding
- Ability to connect creative endeavor with academic rigor
- Willingness to experiment and innovate
- Demonstrate persistence, discipline, and patience

Core Theme 2: Critical Inquiry and Discourse

- An ability to think, speak, and write clearly and effectively
- Ability to address culture and history from a variety of perspectives
- Ability to articulate one's views effectively and rationally
- Understanding of mathematical and experimental methods
- Ability to understand, respect and evaluate work in a variety of disciplines
- Understand art forms beyond the visual arts
- Engage in critical discourse that demonstrates a thorough understanding of their work

Core Theme 3: Supportive Mentor-Based Learning Community

- Ability to work collaboratively with an open exchange of ideas and skills
- Ability to identify, access, assess how and where to find what you need to sustain your creative practice

Core Theme 4: Emphasis on Global Consciousness

- Engage in opportunities to participate in the global network
- Ability to investigate, interpret and apply cultural, political and historical awareness to creative practice