

DEGREE(S)

- + B.A. in Art History
- + Minor in Art History

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Art history is a program of study in the humanities that teaches the essential skills of critical analysis, research, and communication through the examination of the social contexts in which art was historically – and continues to be – created.

The art history program at SLU-Madrid prepares students for demanding jobs in academia and the arts as well as other fields that require understanding of our visually based culture and the ability to express intelligent, well-researched opinions. Career options include the art market, journalism and advertising, picture research, art licensing, art tourism, arts administration, teaching, and work in museums or galleries. Recommended combinations with other majors and minors available at the Madrid Campus: Ibero-American studies, communication, history, international business and political science.

Located in one of the top art capitals of Europe, the program offers the opportunity to intern at a museum or gallery in Madrid.

In keeping with the Jesuit tradition of promoting the development of the whole person, the art history major requirements include the Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum. The Core provides a framework for acquiring a broad foundation of knowledge in the humanities, natural sciences and social sciences.

CURRICULUM

Art history courses offered at SLU-Madrid:

- + History of Spanish Art
- + The Art and History of Madrid
- + Art of the African Diaspora
- + Nineteenth-Century Art: Goya to Van Gogh
- + Art from Michelangelo to Goya: Great European Masters
- + Art in Madrid and Paris
- + Catalan Modernismo and the Spanish Avant Garde
- + Museums and Palaces: The Art and Architecture of Madrid
- + The Architecture and Urbanism of Spain
- + Modern Art in Latin America
- + Spanish Modern Art: from Goya to Dali
- + Islamic Art and Society
- + High and Late Renaissance Art and Culture
- + The Golden Age of Spanish Art
- + Modern Art in Spain and France
- + Art and Power in Renaissance and Baroque
- + Manet to Dalí: Modernism and the Avant Garde
- + The Life and Work of Francisco Goya
- + Jewish and Muslim Art on the Iberian Peninsula
- + Modern Art in Latin America

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<https://www.slu.edu/madrid/academics/departments/humanities-and-social-sciences/fine-performing-arts.php>



WHY CHOOSE THIS PROGRAM?

The academic and personal advantages of studying art in Madrid are numerous. Situated in the heart of Spain, Madrid offers a unique opportunity to explore the cultural and artistic richness of the Iberian Peninsula. Home to some of the most important art collections in Europe, Madrid's museums provide an excellent resource for the study of Western and non-Western art. Most of our classes are complemented by visits to these collections, and with study trips to nearby cities. We offer courses on periods such as the Renaissance and Baroque as well as courses on Latin-American Modern Art and Islamic Art.

Our partnership with the St. Louis campus is strong, and both campuses now deliver courses via video technology to students at the other campus in real time.

At SLU-Madrid, the art history faculty offers expertise in a broad chronological and geographical field of study ranging from Ancient Greece to modern and contemporary art in Europe and the Americas.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- + Online Application Form // Common Application
- + 2 letters of recommendation (encouraged)
- + Curriculum vitae/résumé (encouraged)

First-year Students:

- + Secondary school academic transcripts
- + University entrance exam scores (SAT/ACT, IB diploma, A levels, PAU/Selectividad, etc.)

Transfer Students:

- + College transcript(s)
- + Proof of high school graduation

Non-native English speakers must submit an official English exam (TOEFL or IELTS).

Detailed information is available on our website.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

SLU-Madrid is committed to supporting students—and their families—who choose to invest in themselves and their future by studying at the Madrid Campus. Each student, from any state in the U.S., any region in Spain, or any country in the world, is eligible for University-funded aid. Scholarship/financial aid programs available include:

- + Merit Scholarships
- + Visiting Student Scholarships
- + Grants and Loans
- + Departmental Support Scholarships
- + Jesuit High School Award
- + Catholic High School Award
- + Madrid Campus Antiguos Alumnos Award
- + Family Award

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