# Art History, MA

## Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2024-2025

Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#/70](http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#/70)).

### Thesis Option

**Total Hours: 30**

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**Hours Subtotal: 6**

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**Hours Subtotal: 18**

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**Hours Subtotal: 6**

**Total Hours: 30**

1 At least 21 credit hours must be graduate (5000 or 6000) level courses.

### Other Thesis Requirements

- Completed master’s thesis and oral defense.
  - Thesis and defense will be supervised and evaluated as to its success or failure by a committee of 3 full-time faculty members with graduate college standing.
  - At least 2 members of the committee must be drawn from the art history faculty, with one of those being the committee chair.
- Plan of Study grade-point-average of 3.0.

### Non-Thesis Option

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2 At least 27 hours of the 36 total must be graduate (5000 or 6000) level courses.

### Other Non-Thesis Requirements

- Submission of qualifying paper (after the completion of 27 hours) judged satisfactory by a committee of 3 full-time faculty members with graduate college standing. The qualifying paper must be between 15-20 pages in length. It may take one of the following forms: 1) A research paper on a focused topic (a traditional seminar paper); or 2) A scholarly catalog essay. The public presentation may take place in the department as part of the art history roundtable series of talks or at an academic conference.
- Plan of Study grade-point-average of 3.0.

## Graduate College Master's Program Requirements

Learn more about Graduate College 2024-2025 Master’s Degree Program Requirements ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/](http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/)). Check the General Graduate College academic regulations for minimal GPA, language proficiency and other general requirements.