

What can I do with a major in...

ART EDUCATION

The FIU Art Education curriculum is designed to train artists to teach art/art history, aesthetics and criticism in a school or studio settings. The program emphasizes the blending of research and theory with rigorous studio experience, and considers the urban, multicultural nature of the university community, as well as more general national trends within the discipline.

INDUSTRIES:

Education, Art Museums/Galleries, Fine Arts, Commercial Art, Media, Photography, Art Sales

Salary

\$35,000 - \$43,000
ENTRY LEVEL

\$47,000 - \$56,000
MEDIAN LEVEL



Skills

- Oral/Written Communication
- Active Listening
- Public Speaking
- Critical Thinking
- Problem Solving
- Creativity/Innovation
- Time Management

Tools

- Graphics/photo imaging software
- Video creation/editing software
- Music/sound editing software
- Electronic mail software
- Internet browser software



Common Job Titles

Art Teacher
Design and Craft Teacher
Music Teacher
Painting and Sculpting Teacher
Private Art Instructor
Community Arts Program
Director

Knowledge

Arts and Humanities
Education and Training
Communications
Technology

Popular Employers

Elementary, Middle and Secondary Schools
Colleges, Universities and Professional Schools
Technical and Trade Schools
Daycare Centers and Nursery Schools
Board of Education

Department of Education
Performing Arts Companies
Nonprofit Organizations
Community Recreation Centers

Related Occupations

Graphic Designer
Art Director
Museum Educator
Curator
Exhibit Designer
Art Therapist



Advice from professionals is great

It's important for art education majors to network and build relationships when attending professional events. Professional associations allows for networking, mentoring, learning the industry trends and finding career or internship opportunities. Professional associations within the art education industry include:

Professional Associations

National Art Education Association
Florida Art Education Association
Arts Education Partnership

