

# Macaulay Honors College

## Art, BFA

Academic Plan: MHCART-BFA  
Program Code: 60197

This degree map is a term-by-term sample course schedule designed to assist you and your advisor in planning your 4-year academic path to graduation with an Art BFA degree.

You and your advisor will use it, along with the program of study for your major (found in the [Lehman Bulletin](#) for the year of your major declaration) and Degree Works (degree audit system), to formulate your customized plan.

**30**

**CUNY Common Core Credits**

**9-18**

**Additional Macaulay Honors Requirements**

**12**

**Lehman College Option Credits**

**60**

**Major Credits**

**0-9**

**Elective Credits**

### LEGEND:

<b>Course Abbreviation</b>	<b>Credits</b>
Class Name	
Blue: Lehman Core Requirement (LCR) & Macaulay Honors College Requirement <i>Requirement fulfilled</i>	
Green: Major Requirement	
Gold: Elective, Minor, or Certificate	
# - see footnote	
<u>Underlined information</u> is hyperlinked	

# FRESHMAN

## FALL

**ENG 111** 3 CR  
English Composition I  
*Required Core – Communication*

**MHC 350** 3 CR  
The Arts in New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Creative Expression*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language I  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**MAT 104** (depending on your math placement) or **Elective** 3 CR

**ART 100** 3 CR  
Basic Drawing

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

## SPRING

**MHC 351** 3 CR  
The Peopling of New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – US Experience in Its Diversity*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language II  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Required Core-Quantitative skills*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Flexible Core – World Cultures and Global Issues*

**ART 101** 3 CR  
Introduction to Two-Dimensional Design

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 30 CREDITS

# SOPHOMORE

## FALL

**MHC 352** 3 CR  
Science and Technology in New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Scientific World*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language III  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**LSP ###/ MHC ###** <sup>[9]</sup> 3 CR  
*Select one LSP/MHC Seminar*

**ART 102** 3 CR  
Introduction to Three-Dimensional Design

**ART 112** 3 CR  
Introduction to Digital Imaging

**ARH 167-LCR** 3 CR  
Tradition & Innovation in the Art of the West  
*Flexible Core – Any area* <sup>[1]</sup>

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

## SPRING

**ENG 121** 3 CR  
English Composition II  
*Required Core – Communication*

**MHC 353** 3 CR  
Shaping the Future of New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Individual and Society*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Required Core- Life and Physical Science*

**ART 108** 3 CR  
Introduction to Photography

**ARH 1##** <sup>[2]</sup> 3 CR  
Art History Courses

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Art History Courses

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30 PRIOR CREDITS + 18 FALL CREDITS + 18 SPRING CREDITS = 66 CREDITS

# JUNIOR

## FALL

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language IV  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**LSP ###/ MHC ###** <sup>[9]</sup> 3 CR  
*Select one LSP/MHC Seminar*

**ARH ###** <sup>[2]</sup> 3 CR  
Art History Course

**ART 2##, 3## and 4##** <sup>[5]</sup> 3 CR  
Art Specialization

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Note: Additional Macaulay Requirements <sup>[7]</sup>

## SPRING

**Internship or Study Abroad** 3 CR  
**or Elective** <sup>[8]</sup>

**LSP ###/ MHC ###** <sup>[9]</sup> 3 CR  
*Select one LSP/MHC Seminar*

**ART 1##, 2##, or 3##** <sup>[4]</sup> 3 CR  
General Studio Work

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Art Specialization

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66 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 96 CREDITS

# SENIOR

## FALL

**Senior Year Option 1 or 2** <sup>[10]</sup> 3-6 CR

**ART 1##, 2##, or 3##** <sup>[4]</sup> 3 CR  
General Studio Work

**ART 2##, 3## and 4##** <sup>[5]</sup> 3 CR  
Art Specialization

**ART 488** 3 CR  
Professional Practices in the Visual Arts

**ART 494** 3 CR  
Bachelor of Fine Arts Thesis I

## SPRING

**Senior Year Option 1 or 2** <sup>[10]</sup> 3-6 CR

**ART 1##, 2##, or 3##** <sup>[4]</sup> 3 CR  
General Studio Work

**ART 2##, 3## and 4##** <sup>[5]</sup> 3 CR  
Art Specialization

**ART 496** 3 CR  
Bachelor of Fine Arts Thesis II

96 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 12 SPRING CREDITS = \*120+ CREDITS

[1] No more than two courses in one discipline may be used to satisfy Flexible Core requirements.

[2] Three Art History courses; at least one of which must be at the 100 level

[3] These are variable topics courses, where each section covers a special topic. Take two courses with two different numbers. Pre-requisite: You must have achieved 60 credits and declared your major. Integration Courses: LEH 351: Studies in Science & Applied Perspectives, LEH 352: Studies in Literature, LEH 354: Studies in Historical Studies, LEH 355: Studies in Philosophy, Theory & Abstract Thinking. (LEH 353: Studies in Arts, is NOT a College Option for this Major).

[4] 12 credits in General Studio work needed to be selected from any 100-, 200-, or 300- level ART courses.

[5] 15 credits in Art Specialization in 200-, 300-, and 400- level courses. (ART (CGI) 451, ART (CGI) 480, ART (CGI) 481, ART 486, ART 487 may be counted in this category, pending approval by faculty in area of specialization) in one of the following disciplines: ceramics, computer imaging, design, drawing, painting, photography, printmaking, or sculpture. Students should consult the Department for specific courses that constitute a sequence.

[6] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to meet with the Macaulay Honors Advisor prior to registration during their first four terms.

[7] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete a minimum of 30 hours of community service by their senior year.

[8] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete at least one (1) qualifying internship or study abroad experience. Students may fulfill this requirement with a paid, unpaid, and credit-bearing or non-credit bearing experience. In all instances, students must complete an MHC internship agreement form and subsequent internship evaluation, in order to be acknowledged for fulfilling this requirement.

[9] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete nine (9) credits in Upper Level honors courses (MHC or LSP). These courses can be taken at the Macaulay Honors College, which may require an ePermit (See Advisor). They may also be taken on campus by enrolling in an LSP Seminar.

[10] Macaulay Honors students may chose a Senior Option 1 or Senior Option 2 based on the following

Senior Option 1

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar)

Spring Semester: Honors in Major (Where offered) or LSP 481: Honors Tutorial

Senior Option 2

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar) and MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 1

Spring Semester: MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 2)

**NOTE: Writing Intensive Sections: Complete 4 sections designated as writing-intensive, 3 prior to earning 60 credits and 1 following. These sections may be searched by class attribute and are offered in General Education, major, minor and elective courses.**

**\*NOTE: Kindly speak with your Macaulay Honors advisor or Honors Program Director. For further information, kindly view the following link:**

**<https://macaulay.cuny.edu/admissions/tuition-and-merit-scholarship/tuition-information/>**

**See other degree maps.**