# DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS SENIOR PRESENTATION REVIEW ARTT 401

# **Statement of Purpose**

The Senior Presentation Review is a capstone event designed to measure student proficiency in BA in Art and BA in Art History. BA Art and BA Art History degree seeking students must enroll in and successfully complete ARTT 401 prior to graduation.

### **Presentation-BA Art**

For students seeking a BA degree in ART, Proficiency will be evaluated by one of the following:

- A research paper and verbal presentation
- A website and verbal presentation
- A project subject to the approval of the Chair of the Department and a verbal presentation.

## **Presentation-BA Art History**

For Students seeking a BA degree in Art History, the level of proficiency will be evaluated by a written research paper and an oral presentation.

The presentation will be reviewed by faculty as a component of the Senior Seminar for BA in Art students and a capstone Art History course for BA in Art History students. These reviews will occur at the end of the student's senior year in the Department of Fine Arts. The following will be considered in the evaluation:

- Communication is effective whether visual, verbal or written.
- Evidence of research, problem solving, risk taking and innovation.
- Evidence of critical thinking and ability to develop concepts.
- Evidence of multiple areas being synthesized.
- Understanding of content and contextualization of ideas information and theories.

### Presentation Review "Satisfactory"

Satisfactory results on the Presentation Review is a requirement of all BA degree seeking students

## Presentation Review "Unsatisfactory"

A student who receives unsatisfactory results on the Presentation Review will receive recommendations from the Chair of the Department as to a course of action.

### **Appeals**

A student, who receives "Unsatisfactory" in the Presentation review and feels they have reason to appeal, will initiate the appeal with a typed letter to the Chair of the Department. The Chair will convene a meeting with a faculty committee to review and make a decision about the appeal. If an appeal is made, one may not make any changes to the components of the Presentation. In other words, an appeal can only be considered if the <u>IDENTICAL</u> information is submitted.