MASTER OF EDUCATION IN ART EDUCATION

The program of study leading to the degree of Master of Education in Art Education is designed to provide advanced level study for students of two main kinds. It serves as professional development for art teachers and supervisors in the public schools and as preparation for those interested in a variety of careers, such as museum education, arts advocacy or community arts.

In addition to required courses in art education, students may choose electives in studio, art education or art history, and any other graduate courses offered by the university that complement their studies or professional aspirations. Specific course selection is determined in consultation with the student's adviser. Students may simultaneously study for teaching certification but graduate credit is not usually granted for such study. A thesis is not required.

ARTE 402  Artistic Development  4
ARTE 502  Curriculum Development in Art  4
ARTE 505  Foundations of Art Education  4
Electives  20

Total Hours  32

Other Requirements ¹

Other requirements may overlap
Candidates must spend at least two semesters or the equivalent in residence.
Minimum 500-level Hours Required  12
Overall:
Certification requirements, if needed  40-44
Minimum GPA:  2.75

¹ For additional details and requirements refer to the department's graduate studies requirements and the Graduate College Handbook (http://www.grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook).