The Program in Art & Art History at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign is unique. Housed in the School of Art & Design in the College of Fine and Applied Arts, the Program in Art History offers a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in a combined Art History and Studio/Design course of study, providing a broad cultural education that unites academic and studio training. Students who earn this degree will be qualified to pursue a range of careers, museum work, or graduate study in either art history or studio practice.

A portfolio review is required for admission to the School of Art & Design.

**Departmental Distinction:** a student must earn a 3.25 overall GPA, and 3.50 GPA in Art History. The student will complete at least 4 semester hours of independent research to write a senior research paper. See the undergraduate adviser for further details.