

TO: College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee

FROM: Karen O'Day, Chair, Art & Design

DATE: 11-30-20

RE: Program Change

We request implementation of the following program change with the next possible *Catalog*.

Name of Program: Comprehensive Major: Art, Illustration

Program Code: 020-019

Date of Department/Program Approval: 11-13-20

From Current Catalog Web Page: <https://catalog.uwec.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/art-design/art-comprehensive-major-illustration-bfa/>

To:

Under Area Requirements 21 credits:

1. Delete ART 241 and ART 443.
2. Add ART 240.
2. Add new language: choose one of the following: ART 344, ART 347, or ART 377.

Under Area Support Options, Choose Four: 12 credits

1. Delete Note 1.
2. Add ART 377.

Add a footnote indicating that students may count ART 344, ART 347, and ART 377 in only one category: either the Area Requirements or the Area Support Options.

Why:

ART 241 is no longer in the catalog and ART 443 is being deleted this year. ART 240 is now the intermediate drawing class. ART 377, Digital Painting, is a relatively new course in the curriculum that the Illustration faculty person created and he teaches it annually. It is important to the Illustration profession so it is a good choice for either the Area Requirements or Area Support Options. It has become a high-demand course. We also want to give students some choice regarding the area requirements.