Fine Arts Mission Statement

"The purpose of the Bachelor of Arts in Fine Arts is to allow students the opportunity of earning a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in fine arts that fits their academic and artistic interests or secondary art education. Students will have the option of pursuing their major with an emphasis in Painting, Sculpture, Printmaking, or New Media or may elect to fulfill the requirements for the secondary arts education degree. The objectives of the degree are to offer a course of study that will expose students to art history, contemporary arts theory, professional practices and a thorough understanding and application of studio arts with broad experience in a variety of media plus time to create their own art under the guidance of experienced and talented faculty. Through this course of study, majors will find themselves well prepared for future commercial or professional employment opportunities in art, graduate degrees in art, or secondary school teaching."