



School of Fine Arts

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES



Careers with a Fine Arts Degree,

- Actors/Actresses
- Advertising Directors
- Church Musicians
- Communication Directors
- Composers/Arrangers
- Film Music Editors
- Graphic Artists
- Lighting Directors
- Music Teachers
- Newscasters
- Photographers
- Play Directors
- Speech Writers
- Station Programmers
- Studio Artists
- Webpage Designers
- Videographers
- ...and so much more!

The School of Fine Arts at East Central University houses the creative departments within the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences. The Department of Art + Design : Media + Communication and Department of Performing Arts are located inside the Hallie Brown Ford Fine Arts Center which opened in 2009.

> HBFFAC Facility Amenities

- 25 classrooms and three computer labs
- Dr. Arthur W. Kennedy ('41) Band Hall - includes percussion rehearsal space, instrument storage, band library & eight practice rooms
- William C. Thrash Television Studio
- Recording Studio
- Pogue Art Gallery - exhibits nationally renowned and locally known artists as well as student shows
- Sculpture Garden displays the Ruth Walker Landrum Sculpture Collection
- Chalmers Herman Theatre - intimate theatre with versatile seating up to 200 and balcony performance/seating area
- Ataloa Theatre - seats more than 1,000 patrons with floor and balcony seating
- Peshehonoff Scene Shop - construction, painting and technical office work
- Comprehensive art collection



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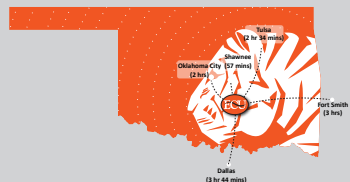
How Much Money!

The *Chicago Tribune* reports college grads earn 75% more than high school degrees. College graduates with a Fine Arts degree typically earn between \$28,000 and \$50,000 for entry-level jobs.

> Scholarships

The School of Fine Arts makes scholarships available to qualified students through the following programs:

- Ada Artist's Association
- Band Scholarships
- Choral Scholarships
- D.J. Nabors Scholarship
- Dorothy I. Summers Scholarship
- Emma Box Scholarship
- Gladys Kendall Scholarship
- Lee Blaney Scholarship
- Leon Polk Smith Scholarships
- Blakesley Scholarship
- Linscheid Scholarship
- R. Grant Thorp Scholarship
- Ruth Walker/Landrum Sculpture Scholarship
- Higginbotham Family Scholarships
- Piano Scholarships
- and more!



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> DEGREE & PROGRAM INFORMATION

Art + Design : Media + Communication

A quick glance at this department will reveal students striving to develop their own artistic styles while also maintaining a tight-knit community. Their work ranges from traditional to contemporary. Students exhibit their work in both student and professional exhibitions. While being led by an active faculty, students also take an active role in influencing and motivating one another.

Within the Art Program, students can pursue a bachelor of fine arts with concentrations offered in Studio Art, Art Education and Graphic Design. The concentration in Studio Art prepares students for positions as an artist or for further study in fine arts graduate programs.

Living in the information age, it is vital to know how to inform the masses be it through traditional means, electronic, or video and audio. Media + Communication prepares students for careers in media industries, government, business, or to enter graduate programs by offering two concentrations and two minors to students committed to the study of mass media and strategic communication. Graduates have skills employers need in our information-sensitive society.



Performing Arts

Performing Arts majors participate in a broad variety of activities. They perform and teach stage productions, represent the university in intercollegiate speech and debate competition, and participate in both the American College Theatre Festival and the American College Dance Association Festival. Majors can choose from Theatre or Musical Theatre. Minors are offered in Theatre and Musical Theatre as well.

In Music, students are provided a musical foundation and professional preparation for selected major fields in music and cultural enrichment for both the campus and community. ECU offers performance opportunities for all students, regardless of major, through membership in various ensembles including bands, choirs and chamber music groups. Study in Opera is also available. These degree programs contain a variety of concentrated areas that include Teacher Certification and Music Business.



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Dean: Dr. Kate Lang,
College of Liberal Arts
& Social Sciences

Assistant Dean: Dr. Melissa Inglis

Director: Dr. Brad Jessop

Programs: 6

Degrees: 4

Concentrations: 10

Faculty: 20 full-time

Organizations: 10

Scholarships: 36+

Director's Office: 134A HBFFAC



ECU at a Glance

Undergraduate Enrollment: 3,000

Undergraduate Majors: 70+

Student to Faculty Ratio: 13 to 1

Average Class Size: 22

Faculty with PhDs: 65%

States Represented: 28

Countries Represented: 30+

Year Founded: 1909

Campus Size: 140 Acres

Area Location: Ada, Oklahoma



Tiger Spirit

Mascot: Roary the Tiger

School Colors: Orange & Black

Student Organizations: 60+

Athletics: NCAA Division II

Men's: Football, Cross Country, Baseball, Track & Field, Basketball

Women's: Basketball, Soccer, Volleyball, Cross Country, Softball, Track & Field

We educate and empower students to understand and transform our world.

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