# **Art and Popular Culture Minor**

#### **Career readiness**

#### **Goal Description:**

Students enrolled in the Arts and Popular Culture minor will enhance their preparation for careers in arts, media, and education, and explore the role and influence of multiple art forms in today's society.

#### **Providing Department:** Art and Popular Culture Minor

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## Job preparedness in the arts, media, and education

## **Learning Objective Description:**

Upon completion of the Arts and Popular Culture minor students will be prepared for jobs in arts, media and education in the state of Texas.

**RELATED ITEM LEVEL 2** 

#### **Success in the Job Market**

#### **Indicator Description:**

Students who complete the required coursework for the Arts and Popular Culture minor will be prepared to apply for jobs in the growing occupations. These courses cover a broad range of topics in the College of Arts and Media that provide the knowledge necessary to be competitive for jobs in arts, media, and education.

#### **Criterion Description:**

90% of students enrolled in the required coursework will maintain a 3.0 GPA.

#### **Findings Description:**

Currently, there are only two students that have selected this minor in Degree Works. Thus, there is not sufficient data to assess the success of this minor.

RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3

#### **Future recruitment**

#### **Action Description:**

In AY23, the College of Arts and Media will work with department advisors and the Sam Center to make sure that more students are aware of the Arts and Popular Culture minor and its marketable workforce benefits.

# Understanding of Art as a cultural practice

#### **Goal Description:**

Students enrolled in the Arts and Popular Culture minor will build an interdisciplinary orientation to the understanding of contemporary arts as a cultural practice.

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## **Curriculum supporting cultural practice**

# **Learning Objective Description:**

Students enrolled in the specific courses in the minor's curriculum will learn how to understand art as a cultural practice in the areas of arts, music, dance, theatre, and media.

#### Coursework preparedness for understanding

#### **Indicator Description:**

Students enrolled in the courses associated with the Arts and Popular culture minor will successfully complete the required 18 hours. These courses cover a broad range of topics in the College of Arts and Media that provide the necessary overview to support a thorough understanding of contemporary arts.

#### **Criterion Description:**

90% of students that complete the required courses will have a 3.0 GPA associated with the coursework.

#### **Findings Description:**

Currently, there are only two students that have selected this minor in Degree Works. Thus, there is not sufficient data to assess the success of this minor.

**RELATED ITEM LEVEL 3** 

#### **Coursework efficiency**

#### **Action Description:**

In AY23, the College of Arts and Media will work with faculty to make sure course offerings provide valuable skills to make the students workforce readiness

# New Update to Previous Cycle's Plan for Continuous Improvement Item

## Previous Cycle's Plan For Continuous Improvement (Do Not Modify):

This is a new plan for the 2021-2022 assessment cycle.

#### **Update of Progress to the Previous Cycle's PCI:**

This was a new plan for the 2021-2022 assessment cycle.

# **New Plan for Continuous Improvement Item**

#### **Closing Summary:**

In AY 23, the College of Arts and Media will continue to promote the Arts and Popular Culture minor on and off campus. The College will explore current courses offered and possibilities for future courses to reflect industry trends and ensure workforce readiness.