Bachelor of Fine Arts Art: Ceramics

College of Arts and Sciences

Ceramics at The Ohio State University is one of the oldest, most complete, and diverse programs in the country. Students pursuing ceramics are encouraged through a supportive environment to develop a personal aesthetic that relies on persistent curiosity and hard work. Students in the area are exposed to a wide range of traditional and contemporary concepts and techniques, and are encouraged to take independent study hours with visiting artists and faculty from all areas of the Department of Art.ⁱ

Career Areas/Job Titles:

Management and Industry

Artistic Director Ceramicist Model Builder Applique Artist Craftsperson Gallery Assistant / Director Mold Maker Puppeteer Retail Store Art Director Theatre Set Design Window Display Workshop Coordinator Automobile Designer Museum Director Exhibition Planner Curator Antiques Appraiser Set Designer **Communication and Media** Art Consultant Editor Publisher Art Critic Grant Writer **Health Professions** Art Therapist **Science and Technology** Architect Historic Preservation

Non-Profit/Advocacy

Volunteer Coordinator Fundraiser/Development Director Education

Librarian Teacher K-12 Professor Researcher

Government/Politics

Art Policy Analysts Lobbyists Lawyer

*Some careers may require licensure, certification, or further education. Talk to an advisor about specific requirements.

Transferable Skills:

- Artistic Design Basic Computer Skills Editing Expressing Ideas Public Speaking Use Technology Effectively Written Communication
- Social Perceptiveness Teamwork Creativity/Imagination Identifying Problems Adaptability/Flexibility Attention to Detail Implementing Decisions
- Initiative Managing Time/Stress Administrative Skills Organization Skills Planning

*This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here: <u>http://ccss.osu.edu</u>

Professional Links:

Arts in Ohio: <u>http://www.artsinohio.com/</u> Ohio Arts Council: <u>http://www.oac.state.oh.us/</u> College Art Association:.<u>http://www.collegeart.org/</u> National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts: <u>http://nceca.net/</u>