BACHELOR OF ARTS: STUDIO ART

University Requirements

General Education

UMKC Essentials is the university-wide curriculum that is designed for incoming first-time college students. The 31-credit hour program includes a First Year Experience course; three critical thinking courses in the areas of Arts & Humanities, Natural & Physical Sciences, and Social & Behavioral Sciences; a course in Culture and Diverse Perspectives; a course in Civic & Urban Engagement; two courses in Written Composition and one course in Oral Communication; a Math Pathway course; and a Constitution Course that meets the Missouri state requirement. Students with prior credit entering UMKC should meet with their academic advisor to select which General Education curriculum best suits their needs. Transfer students entering UMKC will elect from the UMKC Essentials General Education Program or the Missouri Core 42 General Education Curriculum. Academic advisors will meet with incoming transfer students to determine which option best serves the student's educational needs. More information about General Education may be found on the General Education Requirements (https://catalog.umkc.edu/undergraduate-academic-regulations-information/general-education-requirements/) page.

Exit Examinations

Information on exit examinations is available in the Undergraduate Academic Regulations and Information (https://catalog.umkc.edu/undergraduate-academic-regulations-information/graduation/exitexams/) section of the catalog.

Missouri Higher Education Civics Achievement Examination

In accordance with Missouri Senate Bill 807 (section 170.013.1), 'any student entering a public institution of higher education for the first time after July 2019 who is pursuing an associate's or bachelor's degree from such institution shall successfully pass an examination on the provisions and principles of American civics with a score of seventy percent or greater as a condition of graduation from such institution'. To satisfy this requirement at UMKC, students access the exam through the Canvas site. This requirement will be listed in the degree audit system as, 'Take State Mandated Missouri Higher Education Civics Achievement Examination', and listed on the transcript as 'Missouri Civics Examination'.

Student Learning Outcomes

Students graduating from this program will:

- Create artwork demonstrating effective formal aspects
- Explain own artwork clearly and thoughtfully, using vocabulary of the discipline
- Demonstrate and recognize own personal creative language
- Recognize and understand the historical, cultural, and/or creative influences that inform their practice of art.
- Demonstrate professional processes, documentation and presentation of their Art practice

Program Requirements

Students graduating with a B.A. degree in Studio Art will be prepared for entry into a professional school, a graduate program or the job market.

UMKC Essentials

Code	Title	Credits
GEFSE 101	First Semester Experience	1
Written Communication:		
ENGLISH 110	Introduction to Academic Prose	3
ENGLISH 225	English II: Intermediate Academic Prose	3
Oral Communication (choose one of the following):		3
COMM-ST 110	Fundamentals of Effective Speaking and Listening	
COMM-ST 140	Introduction to Communication	
COMM-ST 212	Argumentation And Debate	
COMM-ST 277	Interpersonal Communication	
Math Pathway (choose one of the following):		3
MATH 116	Mathematics For Liberal Arts	
STAT 115	Statistical Reasoning	
MATH 110	Precalculus Algebra	
MATH 120	Precalculus (5 credit hours)	
Any 200-level MATH or STAT course		
ACT Math Subscore of 28 or higher; or SAT Math Subscore of 660 or higher		

Critical Thinking in Arts & Humanities (GECRT-AH)	3
Critical Thinking in Natural & Physical Sciences (GECRT-SC)	3
Critical Thinking in Social & Behavioral Sciences (GECRT-SS)	3
Culture & Diverse Perspectives (GECDV)	3
Civic & Urban Engagement (GECUE)	3
Total Credits	**28**

Constitution Course Requirement

Section 170.011.1 of the Missouri Revised Statutes, 2015, states that all candidates for a degree issued by a college or university in the state of Missouri must have "satisfactorily passed an examination on the provisions and principles of the Constitution of the United States and of the state of Missouri, and in American history and American institutions."

Courses at UMKC that satisfy this state requirement are:

Code	Title	Credits
Choose one of the following:		3
CJC 364	The Supreme Court And The Criminal Process	
HISTORY 101	U.S. History to 1877	
HISTORY 102	U.S. History Since 1877	
HONORS 230	Honors American Government	
POL-SCI 210	American Government	
Total Credits		**3**

There are a few other ways this requirement can be satisfied for students transferring to UMKC:

- Take an equivalent course from the list above at a regionally accredited institution.
- Earn credit for one of the above courses through AP, IB, or CLEP.
- Take a course that directly satisfies the Missouri Constitution Requirement at another Missouri institution.
- Have a previous bachelor's degree (or higher) from a regionally accredited institution.
- Have an Associate of Arts degree from a regionally accredited institution.
- Complete the 42 Hour Core at a Missouri institution and have it listed on the official transcript.

School of Humanities and Social Sciences Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Writing Intensive Course (300-level or above):		3
Total Credits		**3**

Major Requirements

Students must successfully complete the major requirements below with at least 12 hours of the noted upper division (300+) course requirements completed at UMKC.

Intermediate and advanced courses typically require the foundation series and possibly other prerequisites. ART 495: Special Topics may be offered that can count towards the Studio Electives. Recent Special Topics include screenprinting, art book publishing, and advertising campaigns (with Communication Studies).

Another important part of the Studio Art program is the Junior Portfolio Reviews that happen each spring semester. Students gather around 10 of their strongest pieces to present to a group of faculty and guests for a comprehensive critique of their work with suggestions for areas of growth, classes to take before graduating, and more. Many students benefit from this process so much that they do it again as a senior.

Code	Title	Credits
Foundation Courses		**9**
ART 112	Foundation Drawing	
ART 114	Foundation Digital Design	
ART 121	Foundation 2D Design	
Studio Electives selected from at least 3 different areas:		**9**
DRAWING:		
ART 212	Intermediate Drawing	

GRAPHIC DESIGN:		
ART 337	Graphic Design and Typography I	
PRINTMAKING:		
ART 224	Print Media I	
PHOTOGRAPHY:		
ART 206	Photography I	
MULTIMEDIA:		
ART 310	Digital Video and Motion Design	
PAINTING:		
ART 221	Painting I	
Additional Studio Electives:		**9**
Any course not already completed above.		
ART 230	Fibers I	
ART 309	Print Media II	
ART 311	Painting II	
ART 312	Figure Drawing I	
ART 327	Interactive Media Design	
ART 330	Fibers II	
ART 338	Graphic Design and Typography II	
ART 340	3D Modeling and Animation	
ART 411	Painting III	
ART 412	Figure Drawing II	
ART 421	Painting IV	
ART 439	Student Design Lab	
ART 493	Directed Projects in Studio Art	
ART 495	Special Topics in Studio Art	
ART 498Q	Special Studies in Art: Internship	
Art History Requirements		
Select three from 200- and 300-level survey courses:		9
ART-HIST 201	From Cave Paintings to Cathedrals	
ART-HIST 202	From Michelangelo to Modernism	
ART-HIST 303	World Currents of Contemporary Art	
ART-HIST 315	Arts Of African and New World Cultures	
ART-HIST 319	Asian Art	
One 400-level Art History course:		3
ART-HIST 421	Made in the USA: Latinx Art and Experience	
ART-HIST 470	Art Museums: History and Practice	
ART-HIST 471	History of Exhibitions and Curatorial Practice	
ART-HIST 476	Site-Specific Art: Within and Beyond the Museum Walls	
ART-HIST 482	Scope & Methods Of Art History	
ART-HIST 495	Special Topics in Art History	
Required Studio (must be taken at least twice)		**6**
ART 375	Interdisciplinary Studio Projects	
Capstone:		**3**
ART 499WI	Professional Practices	
or ART 488	Creative Project Development	
Total Credits		**48**

General Electives

Students must take elective credit hours to meet the minimum credit hour requirement for their degree, including at least 36 credit hours of coursework at the 300-level or above. The minimum required by the university is 120 credit hours, of which at least 30 credit hours must be taken

at UMKC, but some degree programs require more. Students may choose either general electives or options available within their major to fulfill the general elective requirement.

Code	Title	Credits
General Electives		**38**

Minimum GPA: 2.0; 2.5 in the major

Total Credit Hours: 120
Program Length: 4 years

Tools for Planning and Fulfilling Academic Requirements

UMKC's Major Maps are detailed, semester by semester plans that lead a student to complete all degree requirements within four years. Plans include benchmarks and critical courses by term that assist a student's evaluation of progress and major "fit". In order to ensure that the appropriate courses are taken, students are encouraged to consult with the undergraduate advisor for this major. Please see the tab above to view the major map for this program.

UMKC's Transfer Guides (https://www.umkc.edu/transfer/transfer-credit/transfer-guides.html) provide detailed guidance on recommended transfer coursework, plans of study, transfer timelines, and transfer contact information. To ensure a seamless transfer experience, students are encouraged to work with both their community college advisor and a UMKC advisor when planning their coursework.

UMKC's PlanMyDegree 'Audit' (https://www.umkc.edu/registrar/academic-programs/plan-my-degree.html) degree audit system provides an individual evaluation of all degree requirements (General Education, Degree Specific, Major Specific, etc.) for students' officially recorded (Office of the Registrar) and "what if" exploratory plans of study. This evaluation is used to certify all graduation requirements.

UMKC's PlanMyDegree 'Plans' (https://www.umkc.edu/registrar/academic-programs/plan-my-degree.html) degree planning tool enables students to develop a personalized semester by semester plan of study towards completion of degree requirements for student's officially recorded (Office of the Registrar) and "what if" exploratory plans of study. Update and edit your full plan to degree completion each term and confirm accuracy each semester with your Academic Advisor(s).

Major Map

Four Year Graduation Plan - Courses & Critical Benchmarks for First Time College Students:

UMKC's Major Maps are detailed, undergraduate four-year course outlines that inform students on the classes they should take and when to take them. Outlines are updated yearly. Graduate students should visit their program's individual school for program outlines.

The following is a sample course of study. Your path to graduation may vary based on factors such as college credit you earned while in high school, transfer work from other institutions of higher learning, and placement in Mathematics. You are responsible for checking prerequisites to any courses. It is the Student's responsibility to ensure that all program requirements are met. This guide is not a substitute for academic advisement.

First Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ART 112, 114, or 121[CC]	3	ART 112, 114, or 121[CC]	3
GEFSE 101	1	ART 112, 114, or 121[CC]	3
ENGLISH 110	3	ENGLISH 225	3
GECRT-AH 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 112, 113, or 114	3	MATH 116 or STAT 115	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	2		
	15		**15**

Second Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ART-HIST 201, 303, or 315	3	ART 2XX Major Elective	3
COMM-ST 110, 140, 212, or 277	3	GECRT-SC 101, 102, or 103	3

GECDV 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, or 211	3	GECUE 201, 203, 204, 205, 206, or 272	3
GECRT-SS 101, 102, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, or 111	3	HISTORY 101, 102, or POL-SCI 210	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
	15		**15**

Third Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ART-HIST 201, 303, or 315	3	ART-HIST 202, 303, 315, or 319	3
ART 2XX Major Elective	3	ART 375	3
ART 2XX/3XX Major Elective	3	ART 3XX/4XX Major Elective	3
3XX/4XX General Elective	3	3XX/4XX General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
	15		**15**

Fourth Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ART 499WI or 488	3	ART-HIST 4XX Art History Elective	3
ART 375	3	ART 3XX/4XX Major Elective	3
ART 3XX/4XX Major Elective	3	General Elective (3XX/4XX if needed)	3
General Elective (3XX/4XXWI if needed)	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
	15		**15**

Total Credits: 120

CC Critical Courses provide feedback regarding major fit and help indicate likelihood of successful completion of chosen academic program and degree.

Recommendations to Maintain Progress toward 4-Year Degree Completion

- Completion of the First Semester Experience (FSE) course in first term.
- Early completion of Written Communication, Oral Communication, and Math Pathway requirements.
- Maintain the minimum GPA required for academic Good Standing for your degree program.
- Completion at least 15 credit hours toward degree each regular semester. *(Students may use the summer to ensure completion of 30 hours per academic year or to lighten Fall and Spring course loads.)*
- Enrollment in Critical Courses as listed on the Major Map is recommended in order to maintain timely progress and completion of prerequisite coursework.
- Early and continuous enrollment in Foreign Language through completion of level required for degree program is recommended. *(The Foreign Language placement exam is highly recommended to ensure placement in the correct course level.)*
- Regular consultation with Academic Advisor(s) for program(s) of study is strongly recommended and may be required for some degree programs..

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Milestones

Year 1

Fall Semester

- Login to PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html):
  - Review your degree audit in **PlanMyDegree**, and
  - Create an academic plan for the Spring semester in **PlanMyDegree**.
- Schedule appointment with Academic Advisor (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) to review Academic Plan and obtain Spring semester approval to **release advising hold**.
- Complete the Missouri Higher Education Civics Achievement Exam (https://catalog.umkc.edu/undergraduate-academic-regulations-information/graduation/civics-exam/).
- Activate your Handshake account (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/students/handshake.html) and take a look at on-campus positions.
- Take one of the following assessments (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/students/online-resources.html) to get a better understanding of yourself:
  - **Clifton Strengths,**
  - **Focus2, or**
  - **Agile Work Profiler**.
- Attend the Fall Jobs & Internship Fair or the STEM Fair (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) to understand who is recruiting UMKC students.
- Attend Convocation (https://www.umkc.edu/get-involved/events/convocation.html) and Roo Welcome Events.
- Join a student organization. (find them via RooGroups (https://roogroups.umkc.edu/home_login/))
- Attend an Undergraduate Research Symposium (August-SUROP or November).
- Investigate on-campus Undergraduate Research employment opportunities (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-resources/more-research-opportunities.html) (work-study funded UR Associates or grant-funded).
- Join a journal club or research-focused student group, if offered in your dept/unit.
- Connect with Emerging Research Scholars (https://www.umkc.edu/msa/scholar-programs/) in Multicultural Student Affairs (MSA).

Spring Semester

- Login to PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html):
  - Review your degree audit in **PlanMyDegree**, and
  - Create an academic plan for the Spring semester in **PlanMyDegree**.
- Schedule appointment with Academic Advisor (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) to review Academic Plan and Year 2 approval to **release advising hold**.
- Visit a faculty member during **office hours/student drop-in hours** to discuss their research.
- Attend a Resume Workshop, Resume Blitz (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/), (https://app.joinhandshake.com/login/) or have a Resume Appointment with Career Services.
- Attend an Employer Information Session (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or **Networking in the 816** event.
- Schedule a Choosing a Career Path / College Major appointment (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) with a career coach to reflect on your major and see that it is in-line with career paths you are interested in.
- Attend events and explore RooGroups (https://roogroups.umkc.edu/home_login/).
- Attend Leadership Workshops (https://www.umkc.edu/get-involved/programs/) through the Office of Student Involvement.
- Attend UMKC's Annual **Undergraduate Research Symposium** (April).
- Enroll in a EUReka (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/get-started/eureka-courses.html) class (UMKC Essentials or lower-level in your MAP).
- Identify potential faculty mentors (https://net2.umkc.edu/intapps/ur-links/) in your major (UR-Linked or Dept/Unit Web sites).
- Attend a **research lecture** or **creative presentation** in your major.

Thinking Ahead

- Explore **summer enrollment** to get caught up or get ahead.
- Explore study abroad opportunities with the Study Abroad and Global Engagement Office (https://www.umkc.edu/study-abroad/).
- Explore national competitive awards and scholarships (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/awards/).
- Gain a general understanding of **career outcomes for your chosen/desired majors**.
- Identify **2-3 career options**.

- Keep track of involvement using UMKC's Co-Curricular Transcript system (https://www.umkc.edu/get-involved/programs/co-curricular-engagement.html).

Year 2

Fall Semester

- Login to PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html):
  - Review your degree audit in **PlanMyDegree**, and
  - Create an academic plan for the Spring semester in **PlanMyDegree**.
- Schedule appointment with Academic Advisor (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) to review Academic Plan and obtain Spring semester approval to **release advising hold**.
- Attend the Fall Jobs & Internship Fair (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or any **career fair** to understand who is recruiting UMKC students.
- Have an employer or Career Coach (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/stu/appointments/new/) review your **resume**.
- Consider applying for an **on/off-campus internship** or **research opportunity**.
- Take on a **Leadership role** in a student organization or project team.
- Attend an **Undergraduate Research Symposium** (August-SUROP or November).
- Enroll in a EUReka (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/get-started/eureka-courses.html) class (UMKC Essentials or lower-level in your MAP).
- Investigate **on-campus** Undergraduate Research (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-resources/more-research-opportunities.html) employment opportunities (work-study funded UR Associates or grant-funded).
- Meet with **potential faculty research mentors** in your major.
- Investigate **off-campus** Undergraduate Research (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-resources/more-research-opportunities.html) opportunities.

Spring Semester

- Login to PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html):
  - Review your degree audit in **PlanMyDegree**, and
  - Create an academic plan for the Spring semester in **PlanMyDegree**.
- Schedule appointment with Academic Advisor (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) to review Academic Plan and ensure all program requirements are planned and obtain plan approval to **release advising hold**.
- Attend an Employer Information Session (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or **Networking in the 816** event.
- Take part in a job shadowing experience (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/job-shadowing.html) or a site visit.
- Attend any career fair (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/).
- Connect with Financial Wellness Center (https://www.umkc.edu/financial-wellness/) and attend financial literacy workshops.
- Attend UMKC's **Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium** (April).
- Enroll in a EUReka (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/get-started/eureka-courses.html) class (UMKC Essentials or lower-level in your MAP).
- Develop a plan with your faculty research mentor for years three and four.

Thinking Ahead

- Explore **summer enrollment** to get caught up or get ahead.
- Explore **study abroad opportunities** with the Study Abroad and Global Engagement Office (https://www.umkc.edu/study-abroad/).
- Explore national competitive awards and scholarships (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/awards/).
- Identify **three internships** or **research opportunities** that match your major and career goals.

Year 3

Fall Semester

- Review your degree audit and academic plan in PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html) to ensure you are on track for anticipated graduation date.
- Schedule an appointment (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) or confirm enrollment plans as required with academic advisor to **release advising hold**.
- Attend the Fall Jobs & Internship Fair (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or any **career fair** to discuss internship opportunities with employers.

- Attend a workshop or appointment (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) about **Cover Letters** and **LinkedIn.**
- Apply to a minimum of 3 internships (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) that are in-line with your major / career goals.
- Run for **executive positions** in student organizations (https://www.umkc.edu/get-involved/student-organizations/).
- Apply for on/off-campus research opportunities (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-grants/), including **SEARCH**.
- Enroll in upper-level EUReka (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/get-started/eureka-courses.html) Course in your major (investigate senior thesis options in your major).
- **Conduct research** with support of faculty mentor.
- Present at UMKC's Fall Research Symposium (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/presentations/).
- **Investigate opportunities to present your research** at regional or national conferences.

Spring Semester

- Review your degree audit and academic plan in PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html) to ensure you are on track for anticipated graduation date.
- Schedule an appointment (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) or confirm enrollment plans as required with academic advisor to **release advising hold**.
- Submit application for graduation (https://www.umkc.edu/registrar/academic-programs/graduation/) at the completion of 90 hours in Pathway.
- Meet with an employer for an informational interview (https://cdn.careers.bloch.umkc.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/130/2021/08/Bloch-Informational-Interviewing.pdf).
- Attend a Networking workshop (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or a **Networking in the 816** event.
- Attend any career fair (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/).
- Attend Grad Roo Fair (https://sgs.umkc.edu/admissions/gradroo.html).
- Apply for on/off-campus research opportunities (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-grants/), including **SUROP.**
- Enroll in upper-level EUReka (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/get-started/eureka-courses.html) Course in your major (investigate senior thesis options in your major).
- **Conduct research** with support of faculty mentor.
- Apply for Undergraduate Research Fellow (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/recognition/) transcript designation (March 1 deadline).
- Present at UMKC's Annual Symposium of Undergrad Research (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/presentations/) in April.

Thinking Ahead

- Explore summer enrollment to get caught up or get ahead.
- Explore national competitive awards and scholarships (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/awards/).
- Establish **one to two contacts** in your desired industry.
- Complete an **internship / employment opportunity** related to your major / career goals.

Year 4

Fall Semester

- Review your degree audit and academic plan in PlanMyDegree (https://planmydegree.umkc.edu/selfserviceK/general/home.html) to ensure all requirements are planned by anticipated graduation date.
- Schedule an appointment (https://umkc.starfishsolutions.com/starfish-ops/support/login.html) or confirm enrollment plans as required with academic advisor to **release advising hold**.
- Attend the Fall Jobs & Internship Fair (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or the **STEM fair** to identify jobs to apply to.
- Attend a workshop or appointment (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) about **Job Searching**.
- Have a mock interview appointment (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) with a Career Coach.
- Serve on one or more **student advisory boards**.
- Apply for on/off-campus research opportunities (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/student-grants/), including **SEARCH**.
- **Conduct research** with support of faculty mentor.
- Request nomination for Undergraduate Research Day @ the Capitol (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/presentations/undergraduate-research-day-at-the-capitol/) (URD@C) from your faculty mentor (November 1 deadline).
- Present Your Research at Fall UR Symposium (https://www.umkc.edu/undergraduate-research/presentations/) or at a **regional or national conference** in your discipline.
- **Feature research accomplishments** on résumé or grad/professional school applications.

Spring Semester

- Review your degree audit and academic plan in **PlanMyDegree** to ensure all requirements are planned by anticipated graduation date.
- Take UMKC HElghten Exam (https://net3.umkc.edu/intapps/exitexams/Home.aspx).
- Pay close attention to email for information about **Graduation Fair** and **Commencement Exercises**.
- Attend a Networking workshop (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/events/) or a **Networking in the 816** event.
- Attend any career fair (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/).
- Attend a **senior send-off** and Commencement-related events (https://www.umkc.edu/commencement/).
- Apply to a minimum of 5 jobs (https://umkc.joinhandshake.com/login/) or **submit applications** to professional / graduate programs as needed.
- **Conduct research** with support of faculty mentor.
- Present Your Research at UMKC's **Annual Symposium of Undergraduate Research** (April) or at a regional or national conference in your discipline.
- In Canvas, complete all requirements in your **Graduation Checklist** (will appear in the second 8 weeks of the semester).
- **Celebrate your awesomeness!**

Thinking Ahead

- Successfully obtain full-time work or graduate school admission and report your outcome in 12Twenty (https://www.umkc.edu/career-services/students/12twenty.html).
- Give back by **speaking at student leadership panels** or **participating in alumni events**.