## Graduate Council Resolution

## in Support of the Proposed M.A. in Art History and Visual Culture

**Whereas,** the School of Art and Design has proposed adding an M.A. in Art History and Visual Culture; and

**Whereas,** this program would provide interdisciplinary career preparation in a variety of fields including education, curatorial and gallery work, and provide students with funded teaching positions for which no new assistantship monies will be required; and

Whereas, this program would fill a regional lacuna in Art History programs and aid in the recruitment and retention of faculty without immediate added cost to the university,

**Therefore be it resolved** that the Graduate Council approves the creation of a M.A. program in Art History and Visual Culture.