



ART 400: *Teaching Artist = Change Agent*

SPRING 2019, Th, 2:30-5:40

Instructors: Stephen Bradley, Associate Professor, Visual Arts in collaboration with Hana Morford, Education Director, Young Audiences.

This hands-on, interdisciplinary course will show students how they can **use their art form to connect with their community** through a teaching artist career path. Teaching artists (not to be confused with “art teachers”) are paid professional artists who provide artist-in-residence experiences to students in schools across the nation.



Designed for Dance, Music, Theatre, Visual Arts, Individualized Study, and Media Communication Studies majors, this course will include seminars with guest artists on budgeting, marketing, and pedagogy, as well as **teaching fieldwork throughout the semester at a local elementary school**. Students are eligible to receive **service learning hours** as part of the course.

Ultimately, students will leave the course with the skill set necessary to apply for paid teaching artist opportunities.



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Questions? Contact Professor Stephen Bradley - sbradley@umbc.edu



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Practicing Artist!*