



## WORLD ARTS AND CULTURES Major

### Fall 2018 - Undergraduate Supplemental Application Worksheet

*Use this worksheet to help prepare your materials for electronic submission via the UCLA Arts Supplemental Application website.*

Access to the UCLA Arts Supplemental Application is granted on a rolling basis to all applicants who have completed the UC Undergraduate Application between November 1-30 and have selected World Arts and Cultures as their first choice major to UCLA.

Approximately 1-5 business days after submitting your UC Undergraduate Application, you may access your department supplemental application at <https://supplemental.arts.ucla.edu>. To log in, you will need your UC Application ID.

There will be a \$55.00 non-refundable processing fee associated with this supplemental application. You will be prompted when you sign in to the online upload system, and this fee is payable by credit card or e-check. If you have received a UC fee waiver, you will not be responsible for this additional fee and will not see the payment prompt.

Please turn off your email spam filter and/or include "arts.ucla.edu" and "ucla.edu" as accepted recipients.

All applicants are required to meet minimum UC academic eligibility to be considered for admission. To view eligibility requirements for prospective freshmen, please visit <http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/freshman/requirements/index.html>. Prospective transfers, please visit <http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/transfer/index.html>.

Applicants must select World Arts and Cultures as their first choice major to be eligible for review. **If you want to change your major, the UC application will accept changes up through November 30 (11:59pm PST).**

**Your supplemental application must be submitted by December 15 (11:59pm PST). This is a strict deadline, please plan ahead to avoid any unexpected technical delays at the last minute.** Late, incomplete, or hard copy application material will not be considered.

Make sure you review all categories before you submit your supplemental application. You may log in/log out of the system as many times as needed during the filing period, but once the application is submitted, you will not be able to make **ANY** corrections or additions. If you have questions, there is an FAQ document at <http://www.arts.ucla.edu/supplemental-info>, or you may email [supplemental@arts.ucla.edu](mailto:supplemental@arts.ucla.edu).

You will receive an email confirmation within 24 hours after you have submitted your supplemental application.



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*NOTE: World Arts and Cultures is a separate and distinct major from Dance.  
If you wish to perform an audition, please apply to Dance. More info at <http://wacd.ucla.edu/education>*

#### 1. QUESTIONNAIRE

- Confirm Contact Information
- Survey Question: “How did you learn about the World Arts and Cultures major at UCLA?”
- Academic History
  - Schools you have attended (beginning with the most recent)
  - Courses currently in progress
  - Courses planned for winter, spring, and summer
- Extracurricular Activities

#### 2. UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS (in PDF format)

If you are a freshman applicant, upload a PDF copy of your current high school transcript.

If you are a sophomore-level transfer applicant, upload PDF copies of all colleges you have attended since high school, as well as your final high school transcript.

If you are a junior-level transfer applicant, upload PDF copies of all colleges you have attended since high school.

**Do not mail your transcripts.** The University of California only requests hard copy transcripts from students who have been admitted and matriculated to a campus.

All unofficial transcripts **MUST** be generated from their respective institutions, and must include the name of the institution as well as the student’s full name. Please redact/black out your Social Security number.

### 3. PERSONAL STATEMENT

After reflecting upon the department's mission statement (<http://www.wacd.ucla.edu/about>), please explain what makes you an especially well-suited candidate for this BA program. Your response must reflect whether and how you see cultures and arts as tools for expression and social transformation.

You will have 3500 characters (including spaces) / approximately 500 words. We recommend that you write your statement in a separate word processing program, then cut and paste it into the web application.

### 4. RELATED TOPIC RESEARCH PAPER

A sample research paper that you have written for a class, demonstrating your critical thinking skills.

- 6-12 pages, double-spaced, Times New Roman, 12 point font
- At least **three (3)** external research sources (books, journals, films, etc.) that you have identified. Your reference list may count towards the total paper count.
- A cover sheet or abstract is optional. If you include a cover sheet and/or abstract, they will count towards the 12-page maximum.
- Place your full name and page number in the header of each page.
- Your paper may cover any topic that you see relates to the WAC BA. In this paper, faculty are looking to see how you select a research topic and present your analysis and critical thinking in relation to it.
- Write simply and clearly. A person who has no background in your subject matter, should be able to understand and appreciate your viewpoint.

**File type accepted:** PDF

Page size: 8.5"x11"

**Maximum file size:** 20MB

### 5. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Two (2) Letters of Recommendation are required; one of the two letters must come from an academic instructor. Letters of Recommendation are uploaded through the online supplemental application. The department does not accept hard copy letters.

Recommenders must upload their letters by **January 10 (11:59pm PST)**.

You will list your recommenders in the online supplemental application. A recommendation request will be sent, by email, to each of your references. The email will provide a link where recommenders may upload their letters. The request can be sent at any time provided you meet department deadlines. You can change references or send a reminder through your application.

Contact your references ahead of time, so that they can expect your request for recommendation.

## 6. OTHER EVIDENCE OF CREATIVITY (Optional)

In support of your application to the World Arts and Cultures major, you may also choose to include relevant work in alternate genres and forms, such as:

**Short stories / Creative Writing / Poetry / Visual artwork / Photography / Music**

You will be able to upload a maximum of two (2) files in PDF, video, or sound format. You may submit any combination of files, ex. PDF + Video, PDF + Video/Sound, PDF + PDF, etc.

Please provide a brief description of the material(s) you are submitting indicating any source(s) and/or inspiration(s) for your work. You will have a maximum 200 words.

### Format Guidelines:

#### PDF

Ten (10) pages maximum

Page size: 8.5"x11"

Maximum file size: 20MB

#### VIDEO

File types accepted: Dvix (Div3/4/5)/DX50, DV, H263, H264/AVC, MPEG-4 Visual, MPEG-1/2, MJPG, MP42/3, IV40/50 (Indeo codecs), RV30/40, RMVB, FLV1/4, VP3/5/6/7/8, SVQ1/3 (Sorenson), XVid, Theora, WMV1/2/3, VC1, VP8, ProRes 422, ICOD, DVCPRO. PXL, TCS2, G2M3/4

#### SOUND

File types accepted: MP3, MP1/2, AC3, AAC, Vorbis, AMR, PCM, WMA7/8/9, WMSpeech, FLAC, QDM2, RA, Nellymoser, Cook, GSM, SPEEX.

Your media file may consist of video, sound, or the two compiled together as a reel. The total length of the entire compilation should be no more than four (4) minutes.

There is no formal file size limit set for the media files. However, smaller file sizes (less than 480p) may yield faster and easier upload times from most home internet connections, and will be of sufficient quality for the faculty review.

## 7. PERFORMANCE RESUME (Optional)

List major experiences as a performer, choreographer, teacher, etc. (type of activity & role)

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## ACADEMIC HISTORY

### Schools Attended

List, in chronological order, all the schools (high school and colleges) that you have attended (start with high school):

School Name	City	State	Attended	
			Date	to Date
<i>Example: Bruin High School</i>	<i>Los Angeles</i>	<i>CA</i>	<i>09/2013</i>	<i>06/2017</i>

### Current Coursework

List all courses currently in progress:

School Name	Course #	Subject and/or Course Title	Units/Credits
			(if any)
<i>Example: College of California</i>	<i>10A</i>	<i>Introduction to Psychology</i>	<i>2.0</i>

### Future Coursework

List all courses planned for winter, spring, and summer of this upcoming year:

School Name	Course #	Subject and/or Course Title	Units/Credits
			(if any)
<i>Example: College of California</i>	<i>10B</i>	<i>Advanced Topics in Performance</i>	<i>2.0</i>

**Extracurricular Activities**

List any awards, honors, exhibitions, internships, community service, employment, et al.

Description	Date	to Date
<i>Example: Customer Service Representative for Apparel Retailer</i>	03/2015	12/2017

*Note: The online system will allow for unlimited entries in this category.*

**Other Evidence of Creativity – Optional**

You may submit additional creative work in support of your application.

Media Type	Title of Work	Brief Description and Explanation of Work	Date
<i>Example: Video</i>	<i>Composting and Its Importance</i>	<i>Educational short film made for gardening class with the intention to empower high school students to start composting.</i>	2017

**PRIVACY NOTICE:** The California Information Privacy Act requires the University to list the following information for individuals who are asked to provide information about themselves.

1. The principal purpose for requesting the enclosed information is to consider your application for admission to World Arts and Cultures/Dance at UCLA.
2. This information is solicited in accordance with University policy, adopted pursuant to Article IX, Section 9, of the California Constitution.
3. Failure to furnish each item of information will delay or may prevent completion of the purpose for which this questionnaire is intended.
4. Information furnished in this questionnaire may be used by various University departments and may be transmitted to State and Federal government agencies if required by law.
5. This questionnaire is maintained by the Counselor for the Department of World Arts and Cultures/Dance, UCLA, 148 Kaufman Hall, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1608.

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### ACADEMIC

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
POSITION OR TITLE \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF INSTITUTION OR BUSINESS \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
POSITION OR TITLE \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF INSTITUTION OR BUSINESS \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
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