**Degree programs**

**Undergraduate (34)**
- Acting
- Art education
- Art photography
- Art video
- Ceramics
- Communication and rhetorical studies
- Communications design
- Computer art and animation
- Drama (B.S.)
- Environmental and interior design
- Fashion design
- Film
- History of art
- Illustration
- Industrial and interaction design
- Jewelry and metalsmithing
- Music (B.A.)
- Painting
- Performance (organ, percussion, piano, strings, voice, and wind instruments)
- Printmaking
- Sculpture
- Sound recording technology
- Stage management
- Theater design and technology

**Graduate (26)**
- Art education
- Art photography
- Art video
- Audio arts
- Ceramics
- Collaborative design
- Communication and rhetorical studies
- Computer art
- Conducting
- Cultural heritage preservation
- Film
- Illustration
- Jewelry and metalsmithing
- Museum studies
- Music composition
- Music education
- Painting
- Performance (organ, percussion, piano, strings, voice, and wind instruments)
- Printmaking
- Sculpture
- Voice pedagogy

**Minors (17)**
- Advocacy and public rhetoric
- Art Photography
- Ceramics
- Communication and rhetorical studies
- Computer gaming
- Drama
- Jazz studies
- Leadership and management
- Leadership, stewardship, and communication
- Music industry
- Music performance
- Painting
- Physical computing
- Private music study
- Sculpture
- Visual culture

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Did you know?

- VPA was the first academic unit to begin implementing Syracuse University's Climate Action Plan, the blueprint designed to make the University climate neutral by 2040.
- Each academic year we host Screen LSU, an intimate screening and discussion space for VPA students and faculty to meet filmmakers and premiers the public, including exhibitions, performances by visiting artists and scholars. The majority of these events are free.
- VPA was the first degree-conferring institution of its kind in the United States. Its first alumnus graduated in 1875 with a bachelor of painting degree.
- VPA provides counsel to the college and its programs, and general advancement.
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Did you know?

- Fashion Without Limits, a design initiative that promotes the creation of size 12+ designs, was launched in the fall of 2013 with a design competition and a call for submissions.
- The college celebrated the 125th anniversary of the Crouse College chimes.
- The college opened 914Works, an intimate space for VPA students and faculty to present individual or group exhibitions, readings, and small-scale performances.
- The college focused on a $2.5 million initiative to help the Setnor School of Music become an All-Steinway School to ensure that Setnor faculty and students have the highest-caliber equipment on which to learn, practice, and perform.
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