



YEREVAN STATE ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS

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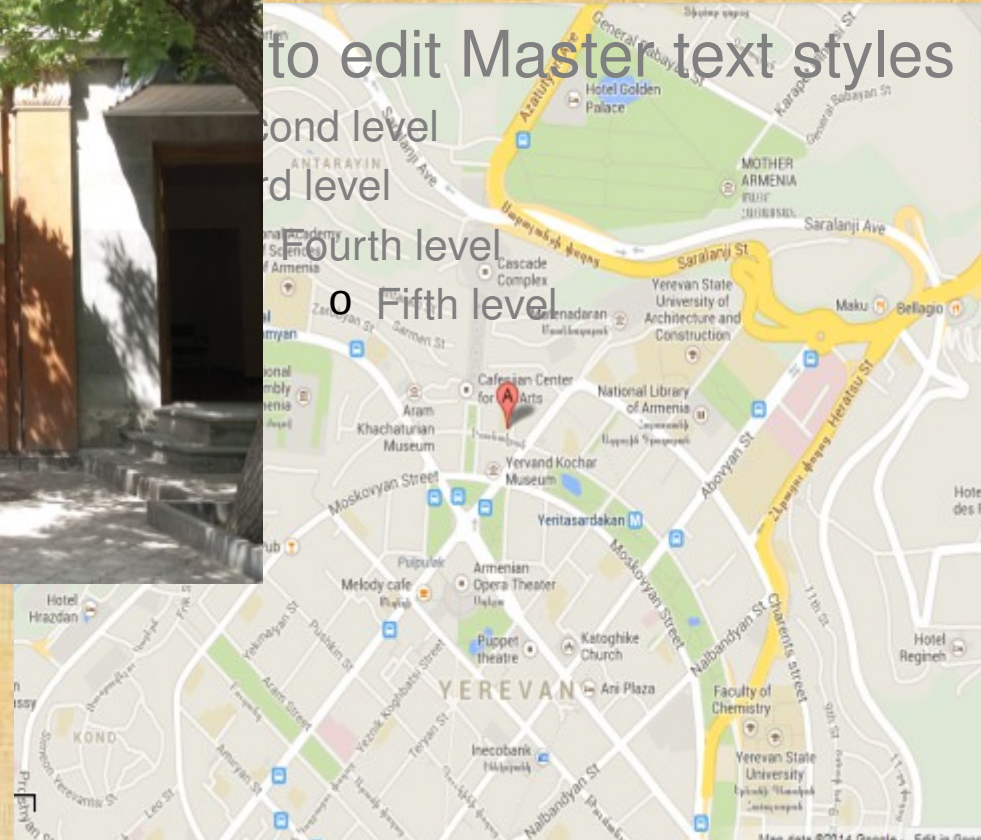
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YSAFA: Location



36 Isahakyan Street
0009, Yerevan, Armenia

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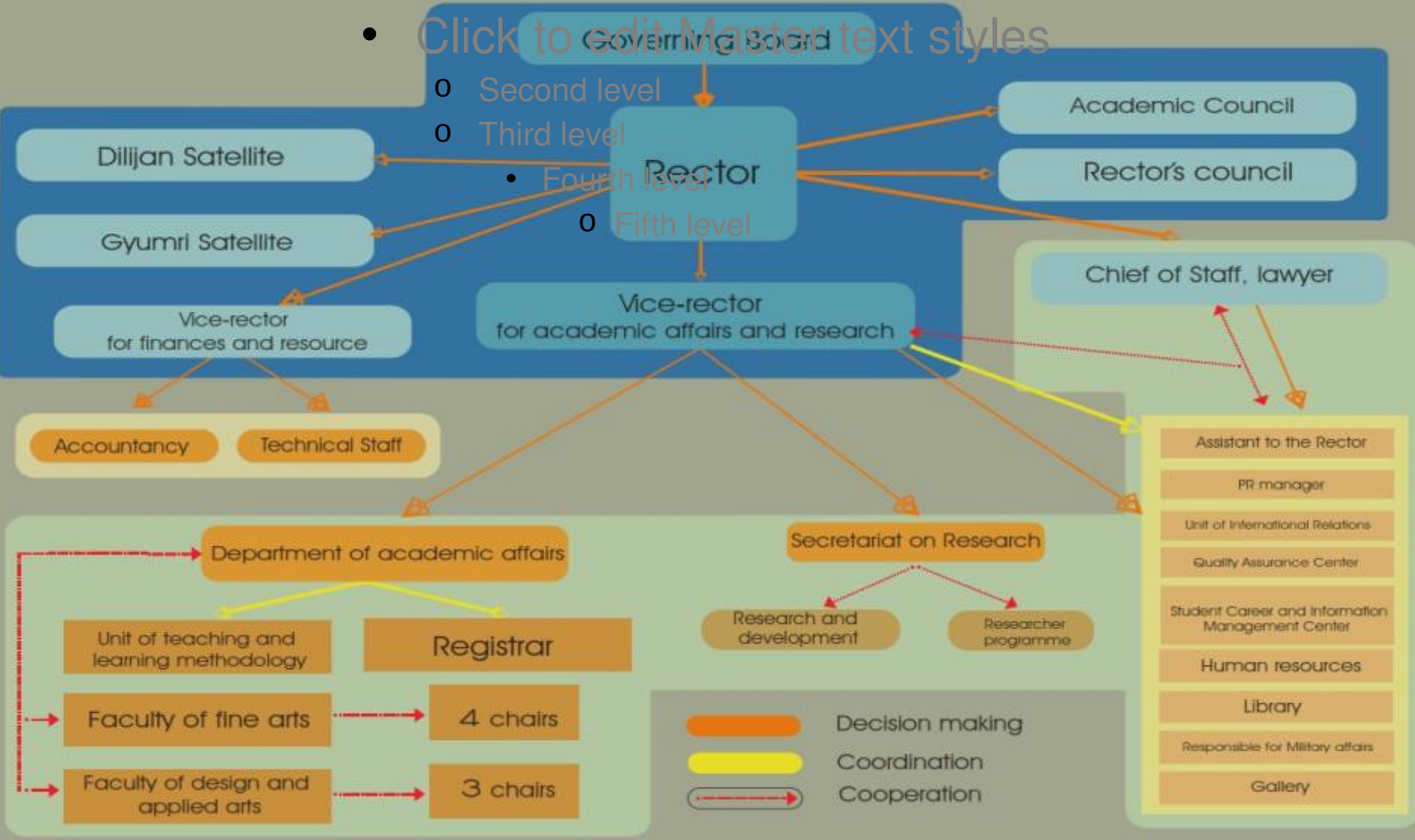


History: brief overview

- Establishment in 1945 – functioning jointly with the Institute of Cinema and Theater under the same umbrella
- Throughout its history YSAFA has had major contributions to the development of fine arts – establishment of educational traditions in Design, Computer Graphics Design, Graphics, Paintings, and the like

YSAFA Structure

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Educational Levels

Researcher
3 years, 180 credits
7 students

Master
2 years, 120 credits
160 students

Bachelor
4 years, 240 credits
764 students

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Department of Fine Arts

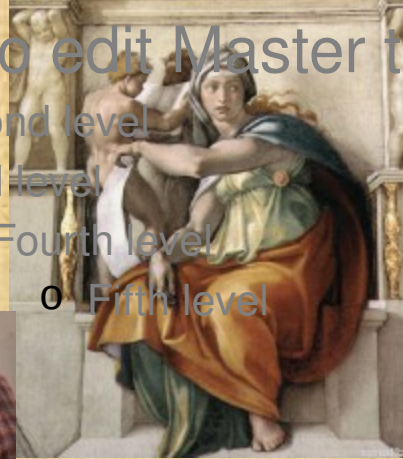


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Second level

Third level

- Fourth level
 - Fifth level



Painting

Graphics

Sculpture

Art History and Theory



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Department of Design and Applied Arts

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Design

Art Computer Graphics

Fashion Design

Applied Arts

YSAFA Branches

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Second level

Third level

• Fourth level

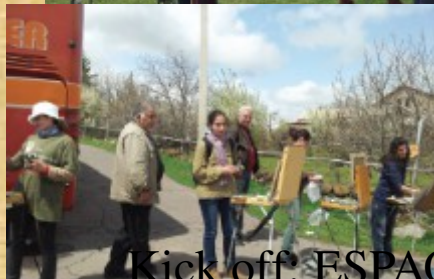
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Gyumri branch



Dilijan branch



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YSAFA Exhibitions and Studios

- **Albert and Tove Boyajian Exhibition Hall –**
established in 2001

- Constantly holds exhibitions of renowned artists in Armenia as well as those of its students



- **A Studio in the center of Paris**

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- A unique opportunity for the staff and students to work on their pieces while learning from the cultural and arts values in Paris



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Internationalization

Cooperation for student and staff exchange

- **Europe**

- Marseille School of Fine Arts in France
- Reims School of Art and Design
- Limoges-Aubusson National School of Art
- Lyon State School of Fine Arts (France)
- Fine Arts School of Tours Angers Le Mans (France)

- **Former Soviet Countries**

- State Hermitage in St. Petersburg
- Burganov Culture Center in Moscow
- Stieglitz Art Academy in St. Petersburg
- Art Academy of Latvia
- Estonian Academy of Arts
- Belarusian State Academy of Arts

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Internationalization

Projects

- **World Bank projects**
 - Competitive Innovation Fund – revision of 4 programmes
 - Enhancement of quality assurance
- **Tempus projects**
 - In total: 10 projects
 - QATMI project on QA of internationalization
 - Current: 6 projects
- **Tempus project coordinator**
 - GOVERN project: kick off 15-16 January, 2104
- **Erasmus Mundus**

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Internationalization

Students

- **About 18% of student population are foreign students**
 - **Former Soviet Union Countries**
 - **Europe**
 - **Iran**
 - **USA**

Expectations

Develop and launch a system that will ensure the student's involvement in the educational management and QA procedures of YSAFA

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Team involved in the project

- Academic affairs unit
- Quality Assurance Center
- Postgraduate students
- Students

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