

# **GRE GUIDE FOR ART HISTORY**

## **FACT SHEET FOR GRADUATE RECORD EXAMINATIONS**

### **1. Get clicking on www.gre.org**

### **2. Grab that Seat Early! Why?**

- In RI – only one Warwick location – fill up quickly.
- Scores are due at time of graduate school application (usually Dec. or Jan.); takes 10-15 days after test is taken, so leave two weeks minimum.
- Leave room to retake the test.

### **3. Can I Retake the Test?:**

- Yes, the General Test may be taken on computer only once per calendar month and no more than five times within any 12-month period.

## **Test Preparation Materials**

- **GRE POWERPREP Software (FREE)** – Includes two computer-based GRE General Tests, sample analytical writing topics, scored sample essays and reader commentary, test-taking strategies, a math review, and test tutorials. Sent to individuals who register for the computer-based GRE General Test or download now.
- **GRE Practice General Test (FREE)** – Contains one full-length paper-based GRE General Test, test-taking strategies, sample verbal and quantitative questions with explanations, sample analytical writing topics, and scored sample essays and reader commentary. Sent to individuals who register for the paper-based GRE General Test or download now.
- **An Introduction to the Analytical Writing Section of the GRE General Test (FREE)** – Contains a description of the analytical writing section, strategies for each task, directions, scoring information, scoring guides, score level descriptions, a sample test, and scored essay responses with reader commentary.
- **ScoreItNow! Online Writing Practice (US \$10 for two essay submissions)** – Assists GRE test takers in preparing for the analytical writing section of the GRE General Test. Users receive immediate scores on their responses to GRE analytical writing tasks, diagnostic feedback on grammar, usage, mechanics, style, and organization and development, and more.
- **Math Review (FREE)** – Contains information on the mathematical skills and concepts likely to be tested on the GRE General Test.
- **GRE Enhanced Diagnostic Service (US \$15)** – Provides feedback on the General Test verbal and quantitative skills.
- **Practicing to take the GRE General Test, 10th Edition (US \$21 plus shipping)** – Contains review questions from the verbal and quantitative sections of 7 actual GRE tests, test-taking strategies for the analytical writing section, and more.
- **Interactive General Test sample questions (FREE)**.
- **Preparing for the Verbal and Quantitative Sections of the GRE General Test (FREE)** – Contains sample questions with explanations.
- Test-taking strategies for the **computer-based** and the **paper-based** General Test (FREE)