

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Design Graphic Design/Illustration/Dual/Sequential Art

Applies to students who file their Degree Program effective August 2020

All statements in the document concerning requirements, prerequisites, or other matters are for informational purposes and subject to change. Effective academic advisement is a partnership, with advisees sharing in the responsibility.

Refer to your DEGREE AUDIT to verify degree requirements have been met.

Major requirements (78 - 93 hours):

Major core (60 hours):

Foundations (12 hours)

Two-Dimensional Design	3	ART 100	_____
Three-Dimensional Design	3	ART 101	_____
Introduction to New Media	3	ART 110	_____
Drawing I	3	ART 115	_____

Design Core (18 hours)

Intermediate Design	3	ART 202	_____
Drawing II	3	ART 215	_____
Design Systems	3	DES 202	_____
Intro to Computer Graphic Design	3	DES 210	_____
Graphic Production	3	DES 301	_____
Typography	3	DES 303	_____

Art History (15 hours)

History of Western Art I	3	ART 271	_____
History of Western Art II	3	ART 272	_____
Survey of Art of Africa, Oceania, and Americas	3	ART 273	_____
Survey of Asian Art	3	ART 274	_____
History of Graphic and Applied Design	3	ART 377	_____
300 or 400 level Art History course chosen with advisement	3	_____	_____

Studio Art (12 hours)

Painting	3	ART 225	_____
Photography	3	ART 255	_____
Drawing III	3	ART 315	_____
Sculpture	3	ART 235	_____
Printmaking	3	ART 242	_____

Practicum - Capstone (3 hours)

Professional Design Practicum	3	DES 490	_____
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All baccalaureate degrees require 40 hours of upper level (300 or above) credit. Speak with your advisor about how best to meet that requirement.

Complete one of the following options:

option **Graphic Design (18 hours)**

Communication Design/Methodology	3	DES 330	_____
Advanced Typography	3	DES 331	_____
Image Design	3	DES 332	_____
Basic Web Design	3	DES 340	_____
Advanced Graphic Design	3	DES 430	_____
Basic Media Design	3	DES 345	_____
Advanced Web Design	3	DES 440	_____
Special Topics	3	DES 497	_____
Design Internship	3	DES 499	_____

option **Illustration (18 hours)**

Materials and Techniques for Illustration	3	DES 250	_____
Illustration	3	DES 350	_____
Intermediate Illustration	3	DES 452	_____
6 hours, may not repeat the same topic:			
Special Topics	3	DES 497	_____
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3 hours ART or DES elective from:	3	_____	_____
Computer Animation-ART 230(3)			
Digital Arts-ART 310(3), 410(3)			
Drawing & Painting-ART 315(3)*, 316(3), 325(3)			
Photography-ART 354(3), 355(3), 356(3), 357(3), 358(3)			
Printmaking-ART 242(3)*, 243(3), 342(3), 343(3)			
Design-DES 345(3), 497(3)- may not be same topic, 499(3)			

*ART 315 and ART 242 cannot be counted both here and toward Studio Art requirement, however, ART 315 may be repeated.

option **Sequential Art (18 hours)**

Introduction to the Graphic Novel	3	ENG 216	_____
Sequential Art	3	DES 220	_____
Intermediate Sequential Art	3	DES 320	_____
Literature of Sequential Art	3	DES 323	_____
Advanced Sequential Art	3	DES 420	_____
Creative Writing, Literature, or studio course with approval of advisor	3	Elective	_____

option **Graphic Design & Illustration (Dual) (33 hours)**

Materials and Techniques for Illust.	3	DES 250	_____
Communication Design/Methodology	3	DES 330	_____
Advanced Typography	3	DES 331	_____
Image Design	3	DES 332	_____
Basic Web Design	3	DES 340	_____
Illustration	3	DES 350	_____
Advanced Graphic Design	3	DES 430	_____
Intermediate Illustration	3	DES 452	_____
6 hours, may not repeat the same topic:			
Special Topics	3	DES 497	_____
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Basic Media Design	3	DES 345	_____
Advanced Web Design	3	DES 440	_____
Special Topics (may not repeat same topic)	3	DES 497	_____
Design Internship	3	DES 499	_____

First Year

ART 100 ART 115 _____ _____ _____ _____	F	S	ART 101 ART 110 ART 215 _____ _____ _____ _____	<p>Advisory Review</p> <p>Students interested in majoring in Design should attend an informational meeting (Advisory Review in Design) during the spring semester. Application to the Design Coordinator for provisional admission is required. Both your cumulative and major GPA must be 2.5 to be admitted to DES 202 & 210.</p>
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Second Year

DES 202 DES 210 ART 202 or 255 * _____ _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 301 DES 303 ART 202 or 255 ART HIST _____ _____ _____ _____	<p>Candidacy Review</p> <p>Administered by a committee of Design faculty. Student must choose an option (Graphic Design, Illustration, Dual, Sequential Art). Requirements: 3.0 in your major and 2.5 cumulative GPAs, submit a portfolio with work from ART 202, DES 202, 210, 301, 303, and drawings 12-20 pieces.</p> <p>* ENG 216 should be taken for Sequential Art option</p>
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Third Year

Graphic Design & Illustration

DES 330 DES 331 DES 250 ____ART HIST _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 332 DES 340 DES 350 ART HIST 377* _____ _____ _____
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Graphic Design

DES 330 DES 331 ART 225 or 315 ____ART HIST _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 332 DES 340 ART 225 or 315 ART HIST 377* _____ _____ _____
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Illustration

DES 250 ART 225 or 315 ____ART HIST DES 497 _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 350 ART 225 or 315 ART HIST 377* DES 497 _____ _____ _____
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Sequential Art

DES 220 ART 225 or 315 ____ART HIST Seq Art Elective _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 323 ART 225 or 315 ART HIST 377* DES 497 _____ _____ _____
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Fourth Year

DES 497 DES Elective Studio* ____ART HIST _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 497 ART 225 or 315 Studio* ART HIST _____ _____ _____ _____
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DES 430 ____ART HIST Studio* _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 490 ART HIST _____ Studio* _____ _____ _____
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DES 452 ____ART HIST Studio* _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 490 ART HIST _____ Studio* _____ _____ _____
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DES 420 ____ART HIST Studio* _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 490 ART HIST _____ Studio* _____ _____ _____
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Fifth Year

DES 430 DES 452 _____ _____ _____ _____	F	S	DES 490 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
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Baccalaureate requirements:
 120 credit hours minimum required, of which 40 hours minimum must be 300 or above.

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*Recommended Schedule
 Classes offered only in the Fall: DES 202, 210, 250, 330, 331, 430, 440, 452
 Classes offered only in the Spring: ART 377, DES 301, 303, 332, 350, 490