

AAS in Graphic Design

FOR STUDENTS ENTERING THE PROGRAM IN FALL OF 2016, 2017, OR 2018



Two-Year Plan

Getting Started	Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring
MTH020 Basic Math 4	ART115 Basic Design B&W* 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy* 4	ART118 Digital Design and Color 4
RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART131 Intro to Drawing 1* 4	ART224 Type Design 1 4	ART225 Type Design 2 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	VC115 Introduction to Digital Layout 4	ART234 Figure Drawing 1* 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4	Graphic Design Elective ¥ 2	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
		WR121 The College Essay § 4	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4
11	16	18	20
	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	ART222 Graphic Design 2: Logo Design 4	ART223 Graphic Design 3: Package Design 4
	ART238 Introduction to Illustration OR ART265 Photography 1 4	ART239 Introduction to Digital Illustration 3	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4
	VC225 Layout 2: Intermediate Page Design † 4	PSY104 Psychology in the Workplace § 4	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
	VC246 File Prep † 3	VC226 Layout 3: Publication Design 4	VC284 Portfolio † 4
	VC272A Design Studio ‡ 2	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC285A Design Portfolio Preparation † 2
	16/17	18	18
			Total Required Credits 106/107

* Indicates class can often be taken during Summer term

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† Co-requisites

‡ May be taken term 4, 5, or 6

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WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	WR121 The College Essay § 4	ART234 Figure Drawing 1* 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4		
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	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy* 4	ART223 Graphic Design 3: Package Design 4
	ART238 Introduction to Illustration OR ART265 Photography 1 4	ART222 Graphic Design 2: Logo Design 4	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4	Graphic Design Elective ¥ 2	PSY104 Psychology of the Workplace § 4
	<hr/> 11/12	<hr/> 10	<hr/> 12
	Term 7 Fall	Term 8 Winter	Term 9 Spring
	VC225 Layout 2: Intermediate Page Design † 4	ART239 Introduction to Digital Illustration 3	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
	VC246 File Prep † 3	VC226 Layout 3: Publication Design 4	VC284 Portfolio Preparation † 4
	VC272A Design Studio ‡ 2	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC285A Design Portfolio Preparation † 2
	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4		
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Interactive Media Option

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MTH020 Basic Math 4	ART115 Basic Design B&W* 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy* 4	ART118 Digital Design and Color 4
RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART131 Intro to Drawing 1* 4	ART224 Type Design 1 4	ART225 Type Design 2 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	VC115 Introduction to Digital Layout 4	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4	Interactive Media Approved Elective ¥ 2	VC237 Web Design 1 4
		WR121 The College Essay § 4	
11	16	18	16
	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
* Indicates class can often be taken during Summer term	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	ART222 Graphic Design 2: Logo Design 4	VC241 Interactive Media 4
§ General Education course may be taken any term, including summer	VC238 Web Design 2 4	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
† Co-requisites	VC272B Web Studio ‡ 2	VC239 Web Design 3 4	VC284 Portfolio † 4
‡ May be taken term 4, 5, or 6	CIS121 Introduction to Programming 4	CIS133SC Fundamentals of Scripting Languages 4	VC285B Web Portfolio Preparation † 2
¥ Can be taken any term. See Approved VC Electives handout for details. Credits vary between 2-4.	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4	PSY104 Psychology in the Workplace § 4	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4
	18	19	18
			Total Program Credits 105

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RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART131 Basic Drawing* [or higher] 4	ART224 Type Design 1 4	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	VC115 Introduction to Digital Layout 4	VC237 Web Design 1 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4		
11	16	12	12
	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
	CIS121 Introduction to Programming 4	VC239 Web Design 3 4	ART225 Type Design 2 4
	VC238 Web Design 2 4	CIS133SC Fundamentals of Scripting Languages 4	PSY104 Psychology of the Workplace § 4
	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4	Interactive Media Elective ¥ 2	VC241 Interactive Media 4
	12	10	12
	Term 7 Fall	Term 8 Winter	Term 9 Spring
	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	ART222 Logo Design 4	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC284 Portfolio Preparation † 4
	WR121 The College Essay § 4	VC272B Web Studio ‡ 2	VC285B Web Portfolio Preparation † 2
	12	9	10

Total Program Credits 105

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AAS in Multimedia Arts

FOR STUDENTS ENTERING THE PROGRAM IN FALL OF 2019



Two-Year Plan

Getting Started	Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring
MTH020 Basic Math 4	ART115 Basic Design B&W* 4	ART120 Digital Media Time Design 4	ART266 Photography 2 4
RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART265 Photography 1 4	ART202 History of Photography or FA255 Film History 4	FLM230 Audio Prod. & Sound Design 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	ART203 New Media Art 4	ART237 Photo Illustration 4	JNL 240 Multimedia Journalism 3
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4	ART131 Intro to Drawing 4	WR121 The College Essay § 4
	16	16	15
* Indicates class can often be taken during Summer term	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
§ General Education course may be taken any term, including summer	FLM265 Documentary Filmmaking 3	FLM266 Narrative Filmmaking 3	FLM268 Independent Filmmaking 3
† Co-requisites	VC243 Animation & Motion Graphics 1 4	VC244 Animation & Motion Graphics 2 4	ART249 Emerging Multimedia Arts & Tech 4
	VC272D Multimedia Arts Studio 2	PSY104 Psychology in the Workplace § 4	VC286 Multimedia Arts Portfolio 4
	ART267 Portrait Photography or ART268 Documentary Photography (Sp) 4	Multimedia Arts Elective 4	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4
	COMM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4		
	17	15	15
			Total Required Credits 94

AAS in GD & IM



Three-Year Plan

EMPHASIS IN GRAPHIC DESIGN | For students entering the program in Fall of 2016, 2017, or 2018

Students receiving Financial Aid should get advice from a FA counselor to determine if funding is available for both degrees. This is calculated on an individual basis depending on previous credits and loan amounts.

Getting Started	Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring
MTH020 Basic Math 4	ART115 Basic Design B&W* 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy* 4	ART118 Digital Design and Color 4
RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART131 Intro to Drawing 1* 4	ART224 Type Design 1 4	ART225 Type Design 2 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	VC115 Introduction to Digital Layout 4	ART234 Figure Drawing 1* 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4	Graphic Design Elective ¥	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
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	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	ART222 Graphic Design 2: Logo Design 4	ART223 Graphic Design 3: Package Design 4
	ART238 Introduction to Illustration OR ART265 Photography 1 4	ART239 Introduction to Digital Illustration 3	VC237 Web Design 1 4
	VC225 Layout 2: Intermediate Page Design † 4	VC226 Layout 3: Publication Design 4	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4
	VC246 File Prep † 3	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4	WR121 The College Essay § 4
	<hr/> 16/17	<hr/> 15	<hr/> 16
	Term 7 Fall	Term 8 Winter	Term 9 Spring
	CIS121 Introduction to Programming 4	CIS133SC Fundamentals of Scripting Languages 4	VC241 Interactive Media 4
	VC238 Web Design 2 4	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
	VC272B Web Studio †† 2	VC239 Web Design 3 4	VC284 Portfolio † 4
	VC272A Design Studio † 2	PSY104 Psychology of the Workplace § 4	VC285A Design Portfolio Preparation † 2
	Interactive Media Elective ¥		VC285B Web Portfolio Preparation † 2
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§ General Education course may be taken any term, including summer

† Co-requisites

†† May be taken term 4 or 5

††† May be taken term 7 or 8

¥ Both Graphic Design and Interactive Media electives are met by required courses in the student's second degree.

Total Program Credits: Dual Degrees 136/137

AAS in IM & GD



Three-Year Plan

EMPHASIS IN INTERACTIVE MEDIA | For students entering the program in Fall of 2016, 2017, or 2018

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Getting Started	Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring
MTH020 Basic Math 4	ART115 Basic Design B&W* 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy* 4	ART118 Digital Design and Color 4
RD115 Academic Thinking & Reading 3	ART131 Intro to Drawing 1* 4	ART224 Type Design 1 4	ART225 Type Design 2 4
WR115 Introduction to Composition 4	VC111 Intro to Visual Communications 4	VC115 Introduction to Digital Layout 4	VC224 Layout 1: Page Design 4
	VC114 Introduction to Digital Graphics 4	MTH060 Introductory Algebra [or higher] § 4	VC237 Web Design 1 4
<hr/> 11	<hr/> 16	<hr/> 16	<hr/> 16
	Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring
* Indicates class can often be taken during Summer term	ART221 Graphic Design 1: Icons & Symbols 4	CIS133SC Fundamentals of Scripting Languages 4	ART234 Figure Drawing 1* 4
§ General Education course may be taken any term, including summer	CIS121 Introduction to Programming 4	VC235 Interface Design 3	VC241 Interactive Media 4
† Co-requisites	VC238 Web Design 2 4	VC239 Web Design 3 4	WR121 The College Essay § 4
‡ May be taken term 7 or 8	VC272B Web Studio ‡‡ 2	<i>Interactive Media Elective</i> ¥	
‡‡ May be taken term 4 or 5	COM112 Persuasive Speaking § 4		
¥ Both Graphic Design and Interactive Media electives are met by required courses in the student's second degree.	<hr/> 18	<hr/> 11	<hr/> 12
	Term 7 Fall	Term 8 Winter	Term 9 Spring
	ART238 Introduction to Illustration OR ART265 Photography 1 4	ART222 Graphic Design 2: Logo Design 4	ART223 Graphic Design 3: Package Design 4
	VC225 Layout 2: Intermediate Page Design † 4	ART239 Introduction to Digital Illustration 3	VC283 Business of Graphic Arts † 4
	VC246 File Prep † 3	VC226 Layout 3: Publication Design 4	VC284 Portfolio † 4
	VC272A Design Studio ‡ 2	PSY104 Psychology in the Workplace § 4	VC285A Design Portfolio Preparation † 2
	<i>Graphic Design Elective</i> ¥		VC285B Web Portfolio Preparation † 2
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Program Electives

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Graphic Design AAS

Course	Cr	Terms Offered
ART120 Digital Media Time Design	4	Winter
ART237 Photo Illustration	4	Winter
ART238 Into to Illustration	3	Fall
ART240 Advanced Digital Illustration	3	Spring
ART265 Photography 1	4	All terms
ART266 Photography 2	4	Spring
ART267 Portrait Photography	4	Winter
ART268 Documentary Photography	4	Spring
ART289 Medium & the Message	4	As needed
VC130 Photoshop 1	2	All terms
VC133A InDesign 1	2	Spring
VC134 Dreamweaver 1	2	As needed
VC139 Illustrator 1	2	Winter
VC147 Cascading Style Sheets	2	As needed
VC237 Web Design 1	4	Spring

Interactive Media Option

Course	Cr	Terms Offered
ART120 Digital Media Time Design	4	Winter
ART224 Graphic Design 3: Package Design	4	Spring
ART237 Photo Illustration	4	Winter
ART238 Into to Illustration	3	Fall
ART265 Photography 1	4	All terms
VC130 Photoshop 1	2	All terms
VC133A InDesign 1	2	Spring
VC134 Dreamweaver 1	2	As needed
VC139 Illustrator 1	2	Winter
VC147 Cascading Style Sheets	2	As needed
FLM265 Documentary Filmmaking	3	Fall

Multimedia Arts AAS

Course	Cr	Terms Offered
ART118 Digital Design & Color	4	Spring
ART234 Figure Drawing	4	Fall / Winter / Spring
ART261 Darkroom & Film Photography	4	Fall / Winter / Spring
WR262 Screenwriting: Feature Films	4	As needed
WR263 Screenwriting: Short Films	4	As needed

Additional VC Courses

All classes are open to non-program students who meet the prerequisites

This list is for general planning and is not a guarantee that courses will be available each year during these terms. All courses required for the VC program will be offered as indicated on the term-by-term program schedule for each degree.

FALL	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER
Day	Day	Day	Day
ART238 Intro to Illustration * GD IM 3	ART120 Digital Media Time Design GD IM 4	ART265 Photography 1 GD IM 4	ART265 Photography 1 GD IM 4
ART265 Photography 1 GD IM 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy 4	ART266 Photography 2 GD 4	
	ART237 Photo Illustration * GD IM 4	ART268 Documentary Photography * 4	
	ART265 Photography 1 GD IM 4		
	ART267 Portrait Photography GD 4		
Evening	Evening	Evening	Evening
ART142 Intro to Photography 3	ART142 Intro to Photography 3	ART142 Intro to Photography 3	No class offerings
FLM265 Documentary Filmmaking IM 3	ART239 Intro to Digital Illustration * 3	FLM268 Independent Filmmaking 3	
	FLM266 Narrative Filmmaking 3	VC133A InDesign 1 GD IM 2	
	VC139 Illustrator 1 GD IM 2	VC140 Illustrator 2 2	
Online	Online	Online	Online
ART202 History of Photography 4	VC130 Photoshop 1 GD IM 2	ART202 History of Photography 4	ART207 Graphic Design Literacy 4
VC130 Photoshop 1 GD IM 2		VC130 Photoshop 1 GD IM 2	

* Indicates courses that are generally taken by students with second-year or greater standing in the Visual Communications program

GD Graphic Design Approved Elective
IM Interactive Media Approved Elective