

Visual Communication

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) Degree Requirements and Program Structure

University Core Curriculum Requirements:			
ENG 103 English Composition 1	3 credits		
ENG 104 English Composition 2	3 credits		
MATHS 125 Mathematics and its Applications	3 credits		
HIST 150 Western Civilization	3 credits		
COMM 210 Fundamentals of Public Communication	3 credits	15 credits	
University Core Distribution Requirements:			
Physical, Earth, and Life Sciences	6 credits		
Social and Behavioral Sciences	6 credits		
Humanities and Fine Arts*	3 credits		
*Departmental Majors in BFA Programs, AHS 101 will count toward 3 credits in Fine Arts category.			
Distribution Elective	3 credits		
International and Global Studies	3 credits		
Physical Education: Fitness/Wellness	2 credits	23 credits	38 credits
Department of Art Core Requirements:			
ADS 101 Foundations 1	3 credits		
ADS 102 Foundations 2	3 credits		
AFA 101 Drawing 1	3 credits		
AFA 202 Drawing 2	3 credits		
AFA 211 Painting 1	3 credits		
ART 100 Art Orientation	1 credit		
ART 200 Introduction to Computer Art	3 credits	19 credits	
Department of Art, Art History Requirements:			
AHS 101 History of Art Survey 1*	3 credits		
AHS 102 History of Art Survey 2	3 credits		
AHS 2** or 3** Advanced Art History	3 credits		
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Department of Art Specialization:			
ADS 241 Introduction to Visual Communication	3 credits		
ADS 242 Type and Image	3 credits		
ADS 341 Visual Communication 1	3 credits		
ADS 342 Visual Communication 2	3 credits		
ADS 441 Visual Communication 3	3 credits		
ADS 442 Visual Communication 4	3 credits		
ADS 443 Special Topics in Visual Communication	3 credits		
AHS 310 Visual Communication History	3 credits		
Select one course from:			
ADS 471 Design Practicum			
ADS 480 Senior Design Thesis			
ART 369 Art Internship	3 credits		
Select two courses from: ADS 301, 302; ART 233, 311, or 321	6 credits	33 credits	
Department of Art Electives:			
ART 231 Photography 1	3 credits		
AFA 231 Introduction to Printmaking	3 credits		
Printmaking elective: AFA 341, 351, 361, or 371	3 credits		
Select one studio course from: ACR 211, ACR 221, or AFA 221	3 credits		
Art Studio Elective	3 credits		
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General Elective:	3 credits	3 credits	3 credits

Total 126 credits