

GRAPHIC DESIGN + DIGITAL MEDIA W/ACTION SPORTS EMPHASIS COURSE REQUIREMENTS 2022-2023

FRESHMAN 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 14)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FD118 Fundamentals of Comp & Color - Digital	2	
FD127 Fundamentals of Digital Imaging 1 (Photoshop)	2	
FD129 Fundamentals of Digital Imaging 2 (Illustrator)	2	
FD145 Design Drawing	2	

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
LA100 First-Year Seminar	3	
LA104 English Composition	3	English Diagnostic

FRESHMAN 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 17)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
FD123 Fundamentals of Graphic Design	2	FD127
FD142 Fundamentals of Motion Graphics	2	FD127, FD129
FD144 Fundamentals of Type	2	FD145
FD137 Fund of 3D	2	FD127, FD129

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
LA111 Critical Reasoning	3	LA104

Art History: Ancient Civilizations: Pick One

- AH114 Mesoamerican Empires of the Aztec and Maya
- AH115 Intro to Asian Art and Culture
- AH116 Ancient Civ: Egypt-Greece-Rome

Social Science: Pick One

- LA235 Introduction to Psychology
- LA236 Introduction to Linguistics
- LA245 Introduction to Philosophy
- LA247 Introduction to Sociology
- LA248 Interpersonal Communication

SOPHOMORE 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
GD223 Typography 1	3	FD127, FD129, FD123
GD224 Graphic Design 1	3	FD127, FD129, FD123
GD230 Computer Imaging	3	FD127, FD129
GD275 Digital Photography	3	FD127

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Art History: Medieval Worlds in Motion: Pick One

- AH204 The Medieval World
- AH205 Nature in Art: Japan, Korea, Tibet

Quantitative Reasoning: Pick One

- LA231 Mathematics
- LA237 Financial Literacy

SOPHOMORE 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

	Units	Prerequisites
GD001 Graphic Design + Digital Media Advancement Review	0	
GD225 Typography 2	3	GD223, GD224
GD226 Graphic Design 2	3	GD223, GD224
GD351 Action Sport Industry 1	3	
GD411 Motion Graphics + Visual Effects 1	3	FD142

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LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
Art History: Renaissance + Early Modern Worlds: Pick One	3	
AH206 Illuminating Women: Female Artists, Scientists, Poets, Philosophers of the Renaissance		AH114 OR AH115
AH207 Age of Michelangelo, 1450-1550		AH114 OR AH115
AH305 Worldly + Otherworldly Creatures		AH114 OR AH115
AH334 History of Graphic Design	3	
JUNIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)		
STUDIO REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
GD202 User Interface Design	3	GD223, GD224
GD232 Action Sports Video 1	3	GD225, GD226
GD251 3D-1: Animation for Motion Graphics	3	FD137
GD312 Communication Design 1	3	GD225, GD226
GD319 Brand Strategy	3	GD225, GD226
LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
Science: Pick One	3	
LA125 Scientific Anatomy		LA104 or concurrent
LA204 The Science of Sight		LA104 or concurrent
LA239 Project Green: Hillside		LA104 or concurrent
LA242 Project Green: Oceans		
LA250 Human Evolution		
LA255 Human Diversity		
LA260 Human Sexuality		
JUNIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 12)		
STUDIO REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
GD314 Package Design 1	3	GD225, GD226
GD451 Action Sport Industry 2	3	GD351
GDELEC Graphic Design Elective	3	
LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
Language Arts: Pick One	3	
LA103 Directed Research + Writing: Special Topics		LA111
LA175 Poetry Workshop		LA111
LA192 Poetry Survey and Analysis		LA111
LA193 Creative Writing Summer Intensive (travel)		LA111
LA194 Creative Writing Multi-Genre Workshop		LA111
LA196 Creative Writing Fiction Workshop		LA111
LA197 Creative Writing Non-Fiction		LA111
LA198 Creative Writing Script Writing Workshop		LA111
LA199 Creative Writing Storytelling		LA111
LA209 Dystopian Literature		LA111
LA218 American Literature		LA111
LA281 Graphic Novel		LA111
LA290 World Literature		LA111
SENIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 12)		
STUDIO REQUIREMENTS	Units	Prerequisites
GD234 Action Sport Business, Brand + Culture	3	GD225, GD226
GD418 Senior Portfolio 1: Graphic Design	3	GD001, senior status
GDELEC Graphic Design Elective	3	

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LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Art History: Modern Movements: Pick One

- AH404 Los Tres Grandes: Mexican Muralist Movement
- AH405 Traditional Arts of Western Africa
- AH406 Modern Visualities: 19th-20th Century Photography in South and East Asia

Units

3

Prerequisites

AH114 OR AH115, AH204 OR AH205 OR AH206
OR AH207 OR AH305

SENIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 13)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

- GD419 Senior Portfolio 2
- GDELEC Graphic Design Elective

Units

3

Prerequisites

GD418

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Art History: Contemporary Movements: Pick One

- AH407 Exiles in L.A.: Art, Architecture, Film of Wartime Émigrés

- AH408 Living Through History: American Culture Wars

- AH409 Exhibition Design

Units

3

Prerequisites

AH114 OR AH115, AH204 OR AH205 OR AH206
OR AH207 OR AH305

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- LA326 Professional Studies for Designers

- LA424 Senior Capstone and Thesis Defense

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Language Arts, Concurrent with GD419

TOTAL UNITS TO GRADUATE: 122