



Entertainment Design

Course Requirements 2023-2024

FRESHMAN 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

FD151 Fundamentals of Figure Drawing	Units	3	Prerequisites
FD162 Fundamentals of Digital Painting	Units	3	
FD166 Sketching for Entertainment Design	Units	3	

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

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

FRESHMAN 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 17)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

ED148 Fundamentals of 3D for Entertainment Design	Units	2	Prerequisites
FD153 Fundamentals of Figure + Portrait Sculpture	Units	3	
FD163 Fundamentals of Entertainment Design	Units	3	FD151, FD166
FD168 Pictorial Design for Entertainment	Units	3	

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

LA111 Critical Reasoning	Units	3	Prerequisites
Art History: Ancient Civilizations	Units	3	LA104
AH114 Mesoamerican Empires of the Aztec and Maya			LA111 or concurrent
AH115 Intro to Asian Art and Culture			
AH116 Ancient Civilizations: Egypt-Greece-Rome			

SOPHOMORE 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

ED212 3D Design 2 (Intro to Zbrush)	Units	3	Prerequisites
ED220 Figure Painting for Entertainment	Units	3	FD133 or FD158
FA205 Artistic Anatomy	Units	3	ED220
IL224 Advanced Perspective For Illustration	Units	3	FD166, FD133

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Art History: Medieval Worlds: Pick One	Units	3	Prerequisites
AH204 The Medieval World			
AH205 Nature in Art: Japan, Korea, Tibet			
Social Science: Pick One	Units	3	
LA235 Introduction to Psychology			
LA236 Introduction to Linguistics			
LA245 Introduction to Philosophy			
LA247 Introduction to Sociology			
LA248 Interpersonal Communication			

SOPHOMORE 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 18)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

ED001 Illustration Advancement Review	Units	0	Prerequisites
ED218 Visual Storytelling for Entertainment	Units	3	IL224 or concurrent, FD160, ED219 or concurrent
ED219 Digital Landscape Painting	Units	3	
ED235 Environment Design for Entertainment	Units	3	FD160, FD166, IL224
ED401 Organic 3D Sculpture (Advanced Zbrush)	Units	3	ED212

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Art History: Renaissance + Early Modern Worlds: Pick One	Units	3	Prerequisites
AH206 Illuminating Women: Female Artists, Scientists			AH114 OR AH115
AH207 Age of Michelangelo, 1450-1550			
AH305 Worldly + Otherworldly Creatures			
Quantitative Reasoning: Pick One	Units	3	
LA231 Mathematics			
LA237 Financial Literacy			

JUNIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

ED241 Character Design 1	Units	3	Prerequisites
ED327 Costume Design for Entertainment	Units	3	ED220, ED327 or concurrent
ED301 Concept Design for Entertainment	Units	3	ED401, ED235

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AH304 History of Entertainment Design	Units	3	Prerequisites
Science: Pick One	Units	3	
LA125 Scientific Anatomy			
LA204 The Science of Sight			
LA239 Project Green: Hillside			
LA242 Project Green: Oceans			
LA250 Human Evolution			
LA255 Human Diversity			
LA260 Human Sexuality			



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JUNIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 15)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

Pick One

- ED328 Environment Design for Entertainment 2
- ED341 Character Design 2

Pick One

- ED235 Storyboarding for Entertainment- Live Action Film + TV
- ED340 Digital Matte Painting for Entertainment - Live Action TV + Film
- ED402 Themed Entertainment Design 1

Units

3

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Prerequisites

ED241

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

LA327 Professional Studies for Entertainment Design

Language Arts: Pick One

- LA103 Directed Research + Writing: Special Topics
- LA175 Poetry Workshop
- LA192 Poetry Survey and Analysis
- LA193 Creative Writing Summer Intensive (travel)
- LA194 Creative Writing Multi-Genre Workshop
- LA196 Creative Writing Fiction Workshop
- LA197 Creative Non-Fiction
- LA198 Creative Writing Script Writing Workshop
- LA199 Creative Writing Storytelling
- LA209 Dystopian Literature
- LA218 American Literature
- LA281 Graphic Novel
- LA290 World Literature

Units

3

3

Prerequisites

LA111

SENIOR 1ST SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 12)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

- ED403 New Technologies
- ED404 Themed Entertainment Design 2
- ED418 Senior Portfolio 1: Entertainment Design

Units

3

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Prerequisites

ED401, ED340

ED402

Senior Status. Completion of all Junior, Sophomore and Freshman level classes.

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
- AH411. Vision, Passion + Rebellion – Modern Art

Units

3

Prerequisites

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

SENIOR 2ND SEMESTER (TOTAL UNITS: 12)

STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

- ED419 Senior Portfolio 2: Entertainment Design
- EDELEC Entertainment Design Elective

Units

3

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Prerequisites

ED418

LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

LA424 Senior Capstone and Thesis Defense

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

3

Prerequisites

ED418

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

TOTAL UNITS TO GRADUATE: 122