

# Graphic Design Course Plan

## Catalog Year 2020-2021

### Legend

\* Major Requirement

Must be taken to fulfill major requirements.

† Major Elective

Must be taken to fulfill major requirements, or replaced with an equivalent course.

‡ Gen-Ed Requirement

Must be taken to fulfill general education requirements.

§ Elective

Can be chosen from a selection of courses.

See MyGFU for detailed academic requirements.

### First Year

#### Fall Semester

Basic Design 2D (ARTS 101) *	3 credits
Drawing I (ARTS 111) *	3 credits
Professional Networking (ARTS 105) *	1 credits
Knowing and Being Known (LIBA 100) ‡	3 credits
I Believe (THEO 101) ‡	3 credits
Intro to Communication (COMM 100) ‡	3 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>16 credits</b>

#### Spring Semester

Creative Suite (ARTD 110) *	3 credits
ARTS 217 or ARTS 382 (Art History Requirement) *	3 credits
Professional Networking (ARTS 105) *	1 credits
I Believe (THEO 102) ‡	3 credits
Social Science GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Math GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>32 credits</b>

## Second Year

### Fall Semester

Typography (ARTD 220) *	3 credits
Web Design I (ARTD 270) *	3 credits
History of Visual Communication (ARTD 363) *	3 credits
Bible Elective GE Requirement (THEO 215) ‡	3 credits
Elective §	3 credits
Suggested Elective: Internships - Finding and Landing (CPAS 216) §	1 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>48 credits</b>

### Spring Semester

Illustration & Logo Craft (ARTD 211) *	1 credits
Image Construction & Photoshop (ARTD 212) *	1 credits
Print & Packaging (ARTD 250) *	3 credits
Design Process & Thinking (ARTD 200) *	3 credits
Professional Networking (ARTS 105) *	1 credits
History or Politics GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Philosophy and Literature (HUMA 205) ‡	3 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>15 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>63 credits</b>

## Third Year

### Fall Semester

Interaction Design (ARTD 383) *	3 credits
Creative Action Studio (ARTD 373) *	3 credits
Print & Digital Layout (ARTD 213) *	1 credits
Professional Networking (ARTS 305) *	1 credits
Natural Science GE Requirement ‡	4 credits
Elective §	3 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>15 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>78 credits</b>

### Spring Semester

Portfolio Development (ARTD 492) *	2 credits
Professional Networking (ARTS 305) *	1 credits
Intercultural GE Requirement (Suggested: Non-western Art History) ‡	3 credits
Lifelong Fitness (HHPA 120) ‡	2 credits
Elective §	9 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>17 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>95 credits</b>

## Fourth Year

### Fall Semester

Art and Christ (ARTS 460) *	3 credits
Design in Practice (ARTD 393) *	3 credits
Systems and Identity (ARTD 453) *	3 credits
Engaging Christ in Transition (LIBA 400) ‡	3 credits
HUMA 290 or Fine Arts GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>15 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>110 credits</b>

### Spring Semester

Collaborative Design (ARTD 481) *	3 credits
Suggested Elective: Web Design II or Collaborative Design II (ARTD 470 or 482) †	3 credits
Elective §	9 credits
Suggested Elective: Navigating College to Career (CPAS 318) §	1 credits
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>16 credits</b>
<b>Cumulative Total</b>	<b>126 credits</b>

## Notes

Some courses are offered on an every other year basis. Speak with your faculty advisor about when specific classes are being offered and adjust your plan accordingly.