Cinematic Arts - Animation 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

History of U.S. Cinema or History of International Cinema in Spring (CINE 160 or CINE 220) *	3 credits
Drawing I (ARTS 111) *	3 credits
Introduction to Communication (COMM 100) ‡	3 credits
Knowing & Being Known (LIBA 100) ‡	3 credits
I Believe (THEO 101) ‡	3 credits
Semester Total	**15 credits**
Cumulative Total	**15 credits**

Spring Semester

Introduction to Video Production (CINE 230) *	3 credits
Introduction to Animation (CINE 212) *	3 credits
Creative Suite I (ARTD 110) *	3 credits
Natural Science GE Requirement ‡	4 credits
I Believe (THEO 102) ‡	3 credits
Semester Total	**16 credits**
Cumulative Total	**31 credits**

Second Year

Fall Semester

Storyboarding & Concept Design (CINE 210) *	3 credits
Film Theory & Criticism (CINE 280) *	3 credits
Fine Arts GE Requirement or HUMA 290 (THEA 100 recommended - Acting I) ‡	3 credits
Math GE Requirement (Intro to Computer Science recommended - CSIS 201) ‡	3 credits
HIST, PSCI or INTL GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Internships: Finding, Landing & Succeeding (CPAS 216 - optional/recommended) §	1 credits
Semester Total	**16 credits**
Cumulative Total	**47 credits**

Spring Semester

2D Computer Animation (CINE 214) *	3 credits
Introduction to Audio (CINE 243) *	3 credits
Mass Media & Popular Culture (COMM 230) *	3 credits
Social Science GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Electives §	3 credits
Semester Total	**15 credits**
Cumulative Total	**62 credits**

Third Year

Fall Semester

Scriptwriting for Media or Dramatic Scriptwriting (CINE 260 or CINE 320) *	3 credits
3D Computer Animation I (CINE 312) *	3 credits
Motion Graphics & Special Effects (CINE 363) *	3 credits
HUMA 205 or PHIL/LITR GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Electives §	3 credits
Semester Total	**15 credits**
Cumulative Total	**77 credits**

Spring Semester

3D Computer Animation II (CINE 410) *	3 credits
Intercultural GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Lifelong Fitness (HHPA 120) ‡	2 credits
Electives §	9 credits
Semester Total	**17 credits**
Cumulative Total	**94 credits**

Fourth Year

Fall Semester

Senior Portfolio (CINE 490) *	1 credits
Internship (CINE 475) *	3 credits
THEO Elective GE Requirement (choose 215 or 315) ‡	3 credits
Electives §	9 credits
Semester Total	**16 credits**
Cumulative Total	**110 credits**

Spring Semester

Advanced Production Workshop (CINE 481) *	3 credits
Engaging Christ in Transition (LIBA 400) ‡	3 credits
Navigating College to Career (CPAS 318 - optional/recommended) §	1 credits
Electives §	9 credits
Semester Total	**16 credits**
Cumulative Total	**126 credits**

Notes

Math requirement may be waived with a math SAT score of 620 or higher.