



College of Design

BFA: Graphic Design

123.5 credits

The Department of Art and Design offers a four-year undergraduate program leading to a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design. After successfully completing the required first-year courses, students may apply for admission to the professional program. Because of enrollment-management policies, the number of spaces in the professional program is limited each year.

Core Design Program

1st Year	Fall
4	DSN S 102 Studio or DSN S 131 Design Representation
3	DSN S 183 Design Cultures or General Education
3	ENGL 150
3	General Education
3	General Education
16	Credits
	Spring
4	DSN S 131 Design Representation or DSN S 102 Studio
3	DSN S 183 Design Cultures or General Education
3	General Education or ENGL 250
3	General Education
3	General Education
.5	LIB 160 Library Instruction
14.5	Credits

Graphic Design Program

2nd Year	Fall		Spring
3	ARTGR 270 Graphic Design Studio	3	ARTGR 271 Graphic Design Studio II
2	ARTGR 275 Graphic Technology I	2	ARTGR 276 Graphic Technology II
3	ART H 280 Art History I	3	ART H 281 Art History II
1	ARTGR 290 Theories and Principles	3	ARTIS 229 Photography or
3	ART 230 Drawing II	3	ARTIS 227 Digital Photography
3	General Education or ENGL 250	3	General Education or ENGL 250
15	Credits	3	General Education
		17	Credits
3rd Year	Fall		Spring
3	ARTGR 370 Graphic Design Studio III	3	ARTGR 371 Graphic Design Studio IV
2	ARTGR Option**	2	ARTGR Option**
3	ARTGR 387 Graphic Design History/Theory/Criticism I	3	ART and Design History
3	ARTIS, ARTID, LA or ARCH Studio elective	2	ARTGR 372 Graphic Design Materials and Process
1	ARTGR 377 Internship Seminar	3	General Education
3	General Education	3	Elective
3	General Education	(1*)	(DSN S 301- Study Abroad Preparation*)
18	Credits	16 (or 17*)	Credits
	Summer		
3	ARTGR Graphic Design Internship or ART 495G – Graphic Design in Europe***		
4th Year	Fall		Spring
3*	ARTGR 470 Graphic Design Studio V	3	ARTGR Option**
2*	ARTGR Option**	3	ARTGR 482 Professional Presentation
3*	ARTIS, ARTID, LA or ARCH Studio Elective	3	ARTGR 481 Professional Practice
3*	General Design Education – History	3	General Education
R*	(ART 495G Art and Design Field Study)	3	Elective
1*	Elective (Rome: Italian*)	3	Elective***
12	Credits	17	Credits

* Courses also offered as part of the Rome Program while (*) represents unique courses to the Rome Program.

** Two-credit Options: Select ARTGR 378, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 478, 479, 484, 491, 492. ARTGR 477 may be substituted for ONE of the two-credit options.

*** Students who elect to participate in the Rome Program will need to take an additional 3 elective credits in any semester to reach 123.5 needed to graduate.