

BFA in Graphic Design

Curriculum Sheet 2023 to Present 124 credits required

Student Name: _____
Student ID # _____

University Requirement	6.0	
International Perspectives		
US Cultures & Communities		
* see http://www.public.iastate.edu/~registrar/courses/div-ip-guide.html		

Communications	10.0	
ENGL 1500 (C or better) Critical Writing and	3.0	
ENGL 2500 (C or better) Written, Oral, Visual and	3.0	
Select 1 course from COMST 1010, 1020, SPCM 1100, 2120	3.0	
LIB 1600	1.0	

Humanities	6.0	
	3.0	
	3.0	

** See approved list of humanities on the back page

Social Sciences	6.0	
	3.0	
	3.0	

** See approved list of social sciences on the back page

Mathematical, Physical & Biological Science	6.0	
COMS 1060 Intro to Web Programming	3.0	
	3.0	

** See approved list of math and sciences on the back page

Additional General Education Courses	12.0	
3000-4000 Level	6.0	
	3.0	
	3.0	

** See approved list of General Education Courses on the back

College of Design Core	13.0	
DSNS 1830 Design in Context	3.0	
DSNS 1020 Design Studio 1	4.0	
DSNS 1310 Drawing 1	4.0	
DSNS 1150 or DSN S 1100 Design Seminar	1.0	
DSNS 1320 Digital Design Literacy	1.0	

Art & Design History	15.0	
ART H 2800 History of Art I	3.0	
ART H 2810 History of Art II	3.0	
ARTGR 3870 Graphic Design History/Theory/Criticism	3.0	
Art History Selectives (ARTGR 388, ARTH, ARCH, DSNS, INDD, ARTID, LA)	6.0	

Studio Selectives (ARTIS Studios at 200 level or higher)	6.0	
	3.0	
	3.0	

Graphic Design	49.0	
ARTGR 2720 Digital Photography	3.0	
ARTGR 2700 Graphic Design Studio I	3.0	
ARTGR 2730 Typography I	3.0	
ARTGR 2710 Graphic Design Studio II	3.0	
ARTGR 2740 Typography II	3.0	
ARTGR 3700 Graphic Design Studio III	3.0	
ARTGR 3710 Graphic Design Studio IV	3.0	
ARTGR 3720 Graphic Design Materials and Processes	3.0	
ARTGR 3770 Graphic Design Internship Seminar	1.0	
ARTGR 4700 Graphic Design Studio V	3.0	
ARTGR 4890 Design Ethics	3.0	
ARTGR 4710 Graphic Design Capstone	3.0	
ARTGR** Graphic Design Selectives	12.0	
Select 1 course from the following:		
ARTGR 4800 Graphic Design Internship - Summer	3.0	
ARTGR 4900i Graphic Design Internship - Academic Year	3.0	
ARTGR 4950, DSNS 3010 Study Abroad	3.0	

**Students can only take one ARTGR Selective studio per semester. Choose from ARTGR 4630, 4640, 4720, 4730, 4740, 4750, 4760, 4770, 4780, 4790, 4820, 4840, 4910, 4920. Topics change each semester.

Electives (Remaining credits sufficient to complete graduation requirements for a minimum of 124)		

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Approved List of General Education Courses Recommended Four year Sequence of classes

[For a complete list of courses for Humanities, Social Sciences, and Math & Sciences, please consult the General education approved course list*, 2023-24](#)

**Courses from the College of Design will not count towards General Education requirements.*

Admission into the BFA in Graphic Design Program will be determined a cumulative grade point average for the following courses: DSNS 1100/1150, 1020, 1310, 1830, 1320.

<u>Fall Year 3 - Semester in Rome Option</u>	3
ARTGR 3700	1
ARTGR 3770	3
ARTGR Option	0/R
ARTGR 4960	3
Art & Design History (ARTH 4920)	1
DSNS 4920 - Italian Culture	3
ARTIS Studio Selective	13

	Fall Semester		Spring Semester		
1	DSNS 1020 or DSNS 1310	4	DSN S 1020 or DSN S 1310	4	
	DSNS 1830 or General Education	3	DSN S 183 or General Education	3	
	ENGL 1500 or General Education	3	ENGL 1500 or General Education	3	
	DSNS 1100 or DSNS 1150	1	General Education	3	
	DSNS 1320	1	General Education	3	
	COMS 1060	3			
		15		16	
	2	<u>ARTGR2700 Graphic Design Studio I</u>	3	<u>ARTGR2710 Graphic Design Studio II</u>	3
		<u>ARTGR2730 Typography I</u>	3	<u>ARTGR2740 Typography II</u>	3
		<u>ART H2800 Art History I</u>	3	<u>ARTGR2720 Digital Photography</u>	3
	General Education	3	<u>ARTH 2810 Art History II</u>	3	
	ENGL 2500 or General Education	3	General Education	3	
	LIB 1600 Information Literacy	1	DSN S 3010 (Rome Option Only)	1	
	16		15 (16)		
3	<u>ARTGR3700 Graphic Design Studio III</u>	3	<u>ARTGR3710 Graphic Design Studio IV</u>	3	
	<u>ARTGR Option</u>	3	<u>ARTGR Option</u>	3	
	<u>ARTGR3770 Internship Seminar</u>	1	<u>ARTGR3720 Graphic Design Materials & Process</u>	3	
	Studio Selective	2-3	<u>ARTGR 3870 Graphic Design History/Theory/Criticism</u>	3	
	Art & Design History	3	General Education	3	
		15-16		15	
S			<u>ARTGR 4800 Graphic Design Internship OR ARTGR 4950 Graphic Design in Europe</u>	3	
4	<u>ARTGR4700 Graphic Design Studio V</u>	3	<u>ARTGR4710 Capstone</u>	3	
	<u>ARTGR Option</u>	3	<u>ARTGR Option</u>	3	
	<u>ARTGR4890 Design Ethics</u>	3	Studio Selective	3	
	Art & Design History	3	General Education	3	
	General Education	3	General Education	3	
		15		15	