Graphic Design C.A.

Career Community: Art, Design, and Media
Curriculum Code: 1020
Effective: Fall 2023 – Summer 2028

Description

This certificate is designed for students who hold a post-secondary degree (A.A., B.A., B.F.A., or M.F.A.) in the visual arts and wish to acquire or enhance their graphic design skills to prepare for employment.

Milestone

Completion of ARTS 102 and ARTS 162 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses is the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Contact Information

For further information, including career options, course substitutions and waivers, etc., contact the Communication, Media and the Arts Department, Gannon Building, Room 1222, telephone number 517-483-1546 or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building – StarZone, telephone number 517-483-1904.

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ARTS 102	Design & Communication	3 / 4
ARTS 162	Type Communications	3 / 4
ARTS 164	Digital Illustration	3 / 4
ARTS 171	Adobe Photoshop	3 / 4
ARTS 173	Web Design I	3 / 4
ARTS 175	Creative Design and Publishing	3 / 4
ARTS 179	Web Design II	3 / 4
ARTS 183	Design History and Influences	3 / 3
ARTS 195	Employ/Busn Issues for Artists	1 / 1
ARTS 229	Web Design III	3 / 4
ARTS 251	Graphic Design Communications	3 / 4
ARTS 252	Graphic Design Publications	3 / 4
ARTS 253	Graphic Design Branding	3 / 4
ARTS 269	The Portfolio	2 / 2

Minimum Total Credit Hours

39 credits / 50 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I
ARTS 102 – Milestone course
ARTS 162 – Milestone course
ARTS 171
ARTS 173

Semester II
ARTS 164
ARTS 175
ARTS 179
ARTS 183

Semester III
ARTS 195
ARTS 229
ARTS 251

Semester IV
ARTS 252
ARTS 253
ARTS 269

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