

BFA | GRAPHIC DESIGN

Recommended Four-Year Plan—Updated FALL 2025

FALL SEMESTER		SPRING SEMESTER
<i>Classes only offered in this order. Qualifying Examination required at the conclusion of the Spring Semester.</i>	DSGN 10103 Intro to Creative Practice DSGN 10153 Intro Computer Graphics Core Core Core	DSGN 10123 2D Design Principles DSGN 10113 Drawing for Design ARHI 10043 Intro. to Art History Core Core
Freshman	<i>Semester Hours = 15 (Total = 15)</i>	<i>Semester Hours = 15 (Total = 30)</i>
Sophomore	ARGD 20301 Pro. Development (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 20323 Typography ARGD 20503 Digital Portfolio DSGN 10133 Color & Light Theory Core/Elective Core/Elective	ARGD 20301 Pro. Development (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 20333 Intermediate Design Practice ARGD 30453 Computer Apps I DSGN 10143 3D Design Principles Upper-Division Design/Art History Core/Elective
Junior	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 30323 Advanced Design Practice ARGD 30473 Computer Apps II ARGD 30523 Advertising Design Upper-Division Design/Art History Core/Elective	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 30423 Publication Design ARGD 30443 Corporate Identity Upper-Division GD Elective (1 of 2) Upper-Division Design/Art History Core/Elective
Senior	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 30433 Packaging Design Upper-Division GD Elective (2 of 2) Core/Elective Core/Elective	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 40413 Portfolio & Marketing ARGD 40143 Senior Thesis Core/Elective Core/Elective
SUMMER, REQUIRED: ARGD 40410 GD Internship Semester Hours = 3 (<i>Total = 97</i>)		
	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 30433 Packaging Design Upper-Division GD Elective (2 of 2) Core/Elective Core/Elective	ARGD 30301 Prof. Recognition (<i>1 hr.</i>) ARGD 40413 Portfolio & Marketing ARGD 40143 Senior Thesis Core/Elective Core/Elective
	<i>Semester Hours = 13 (Total = 110)</i>	<i>Semester Hours = 13 (Total = 123)</i>

Graduation Requirements: **120** total hours | **39-63** Core Curriculum hours | **42** upper division hours