# TCU GRAPHIC DESIGN BFA DEGREE PLAN: UPDATED FALL SEMESTER 2018

**Bachelor of Fine Arts – Graphic Design**

_____
*student's name*

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*student's ID number*

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*date*

_____
*advisor*

Hours transferred from:

# BFA

**Undergraduate Core**

***Essential Competencies—12 semester hours***

| | | | grade |
|---|---|---|---|
| WCO | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| WCO | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| MTH | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| OCO | _____ | 3 | _____ |

*Writing Emphasis—6 semester hours*

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| WEM | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| WEM | ARGD 40143 Senior Thesis | X | _____ |

***Hum. Exp. & Endeav.—27 semester hours total:***

*Humanities—9 semester Hours*

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|---|---|---|---|
| HUM | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| HUM | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| HUM | _____ | 3 | _____ |

*Social Sciences—9 semester Hours*

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|---|---|---|---|
| SSC | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| SSC | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| SSC | _____ | 3 | _____ |

*Natural Sciences—6 semester Hours*

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|---|---|---|---|
| NSC | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| NSC | _____ | 3 | _____ |

*Fine Arts—3 semester Hours*

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|---|---|---|---|
| FAR | ARHI 10043 Survey Art Hist. | X | _____ |

***Her., Miss., Vision & Val.—18 possible semester hours***

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|---|---|---|---|
| RT | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| HT | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| LT | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| CA | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| GA | _____ | 3 | _____ |
| CSV | _____ | 3 | _____ |

**Total Hours in Core (excluding ARHI 10043)=** _____

**Art Courses**

***Art & Art History Foundation—21 semester hours***

| | | | grade |
|---|---|---|---|
| ARST 10103 | Drawing I | 3 | _____ |
| ARST 10123 | Design & Color | 3 | _____ |
| ARST 20743 | Photography | 3 | _____ |
| ARHI 10043 | Survey of Art Hist. | 3 | _____ |
| ARHI 20833 | History of Vis.Comm. | 3 | _____ |
| ARHI 3_____ | Upper-Division Art Hist. | 3 | _____ |
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***Graphic Design Curriculum—57 semester hours;***

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|---|---|---|---|
| ARGD 10143 | Intro. to Vis.Com. | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 20301 | Prof. Development GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 20301 | Prof. Development GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 20323 | Typography I | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 20333 | Intermediate Design | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 20453 | Intro. Computer | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 20503 | Digital Portfolio | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30301 | Prof. Recog. GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 30301 | Prof. Recog. GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 30301 | Prof. Recog. GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 30301 | Prof. Recog. GD | 1 | _____ |
| ARGD 30323 | Advanced Design | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30400 | Illustration | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30453 | Computer Apps I | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30473 | Computer Apps II | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30523 | Advertising Design | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30433 | Packaging | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30443 | Corporate Identity | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 30423 | Publication Design | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 40410 | Internship | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 4_____ | GD Elective | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 40413 | Portfolio & Marketing | 3 | _____ |
| ARGD 40143 | Senior Thesis (WEM) | 3 | _____ |

**Required Hours in Major = 78**
**Required Upper-Division Hours in Major = 46**

**Electives**

***GD Courses—3 – 6 semester hours recommended***

| | | grade |
|---|---|---|
| **ARGD 30400 Illustration (rpt.)** | **3–12** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40203 Business of Design** | **3** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40233 Design Entrprnship** | **3** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40300 Visiting Designers** | **3** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40403 Portfolio Enhan.** | **3** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40410 Internship (repeat)** | **3** | _____ |
| **ARGD 40970 Directed Study** | **3** | _____ |

***Other Electives***

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |
| _____ | Elective | 3 | _____ |

**Total Elective Hours =** _____
**Total Hours Earned =** _____
**Total Required Hours = 124**

***The Student is responsible for understanding and fulfilling all degree requirements.***