

## Visual Communication Design, B.F.A.: 120 units 2020-2021 Academic Year

	Fall		Units	Spring		Units	Comments
	Courses	Requirements/Comments		Courses	Requirements/Comments		
<b>Year 1</b>	VCD 1311A Foundations in Drawing 1 Activity [FSp]		3	VCD 1312A Foundations in Drawing 2 Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in VCD 1311A or ART 141A.	3	[ ] = Term Typically Offered F = Fall Sp = Spring Su = Summer e = even years o = odd years
	VCD 1321A Foundations in 2D Design Activity [FSp]		3	VCD 1331A Foundations in 3D Design Activity [FSp]		3	
	VCD 1341A Foundations in 4D Design Activity [FSp]		3	VCD 1351A Foundations in 5D Design Activity [FSp]		3	
	GE Area A2: Written Communication [FSp]		3	GE Area A1: Oral Communication [FSP]		3	
	GE Area B4: Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning [FSp]		3	GE Area A3: Critical Thinking [FSp]		3	
	<b>Total Units</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>Total Units</b>		

Year 2	Fall		Units	Spring		Units	Comments
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	VCD 2301A Typography Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 1311A or ART 140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART 242A or 244A; VCD 1321A or ART 150A/ART 253A; VCD 1331A or ART 180A,190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART 155A; and VCD 1351A.	3	VCD 2321A Visual Communication Design 1 Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 1311A or ART 140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART 242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART 150A; VCD 1321A or ART 253A; VCD 1331A or ART 180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART 155A; VCD 1351A; and VCD 2301A or ART 251A.	3	
VCD 2361A Digital Photography Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 1311A or ART 140A/141A; VCD 1321A or ART 150A/253A; and VCD 1331A or ART 180A/190A/342A/395A.	3	VCD 2311A Illustration Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 1311A or ART 140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART 242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART 150A; VCD 1321A or ART 253A; VCD 1331A or ART 180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART 155A; VCD 1351A; and VCD 2301A or ART 251A.	3		
AH 2302 World Art: Renaissance through Modern Europe and the United States (C1) [FSp]	Prereq: Completion of GE Area A2.	3	VCD 2370 Visual Thinking (E) [FSp]		3		
GE Area D1: U.S. History American Ideals [FSp]		3	GE Area C2: Literature, Modern Languages, Philosophy and Civilization [FSp]		3		
GE Area B1: Physical Sciences [FSp]	May include GE B3	3	GE Area D2: U.S. Constitution and California Government [FSp]		3		
<b>Semester Total Units</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>Semester Total Units</b>		<b>15</b>		

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<b>Year 3</b>	VCD 3321A Visual Communication Design 2 Activity [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 1311A or ART 140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART 242A, 244A, 150A or 253; VCD 1311A or ART 180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART 155A; VCD 1351A; VCD 2311A or ART 255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART 252A; VCD 2361A or ART 375A; and VCD 2301A or ART 251A.	3	Major Electives	Select from Curriculum Sheet	3	<i>Graduation Writing Test must be taken before completion of 75 units.</i>
	Major Electives	Elective Workshop, Prerequisite(s): VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A/253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A/190A/342A/395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; VCD 2311A or ART255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART252A; and VCD 2361A or ART275A/375A.	4	Major Electives	Elective Workshop, Prerequisite(s): VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A/253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A/190A/342A/395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; VCD 2311A or ART255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART252A; and VCD 2361A or ART275A/375A.	4	
	Major Electives	Select from Curriculum Sheet	3	AH 3333 History of Design	Prereq: Junior or senior standing.	3	
	Major Required	AH 1XXX/AH 2XXX Lower Division Art History course other than AH 2302	3	GE Area B2: Life Sciences		2	
	GE Area D3: Social Sciences: Principles, Methodologies, Value Systems, and Ethics [FSp]		3	GE Area B3: Laboratory Activity		1	
			0	GE Area C1 or GE Area C2	Prereq: Select either C1: Visual and Performing Arts or C2: Literature, Modern Languages, Philosophy and Civilization course	3	
	<i>Take the Graduation Writing Test</i>						
	<b>Semester Total Units</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>Semester Total Units</b>		<b>16</b>	

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<b>Year 4</b>	VCD 4610 Professional Practices in Visual Communication Design [FSp]	Prereq: C- or better in: VCD 3321A or ART 351A; and VCD 3321A or ART 352A.	4	Major Electives	Elective Workshop, Prerequisite(s): VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A/253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A/190A/342A/395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; VCD 2311A or ART255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART252A; and VCD 2361A or ART275A/375A.	4	
	Major Electives	Elective Workshop, Prerequisite(s): VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A/253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A/190A/342A/395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; VCD 2311A or ART255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART252A; and VCD 2361A or ART275A/375A.	4	Major Electives	Select from Curriculum Sheet	4	
	GE Area B5: Science and Technology Synthesis [FSp]		3	GE Area D4: Social Science Synthesis [FSp]		3	
	Major Required	AH 3XXX/4XXX Any Upper Division Art History course other than AH 3333	3	GE Area C3: Arts and Humanities Synthesis [FSp]		3	
	<i>File an application to graduate</i>						
<b>Semester Total Units</b>			<b>14</b>	<b>Semester Total Units</b>		<b>14</b>	
<b>Total Units</b>						<b>120</b>	