

Visual Communication Design, B.F.A.: 120 units
2019-2020 Academic Year

	Fall		Units	Spring		Units	Comments
	Courses	Requirements/Comments		Courses	Requirements/Comments		
Year 1	VCD 1311A Foundations in Drawing 1 Activity		3	VCD 1312A Foundations in Drawing 2 Activity	Prereq: VCD1311A or ART141A.	3	
	VCD 1321A Foundations in 2D Design Activity		3	VCD 1331A Foundations in 3D Design Activity		3	
	VCD 1341A Foundations in 4D Design Activity		3	VCD 1351A Foundations in 5D Design Activity		3	
	GE Area A2: Written Communication		3	GE Area A1: Oral Communication		3	
	GE Area B4: Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning		3	GE Area A3: Critical Thinking		3	
	Total Units			15	Total Units		15

Year 2	Fall		Units	Spring		Units	Comments
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	VCD 2301A Typography Activity	Prereq: VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A or 244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A or ART 253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A, ART190A, 342A or 395A; and VCD 1341A or ART155A.	3	VCD 2321A Visual Communication Design 1 Activity	Prereq: VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A; VCD 1321A or ART253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; and VCD 2301A or ART251A.	3	
VCD 2361A Digital Photography Activity	Prereq: 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	Prereq: VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A/244A; VCD 1321A or ART150A; VCD 1321A or ART253A; VCD 1331A or ART180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; and VCD 2301A or ART251A.	3		
AH 2302 World Art: Renaissance through Modern Europe and the United States (C1)	Prereq: Completion of GE Area A2.	3	VCD 2370 Visual Thinking (E)		3		
GE Area D1: U.S. History American Ideals		3	GE Area C2: Literature, Modern Languages, Philosophy and Civilization		3		
GE Area B1: Physical Sciences	May include GE B3	3	GE Area D2: U.S. Constitution and California Government		3		
Semester Total Units		15	Semester Total Units		15		

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Year 3	VCD 3321A Visual Communication Design 2 Activity	Prereq: VCD 1311A or ART140A/141A; VCD 1312A or ART242A, 244A, 150A or 253; VCD 1311A or ART180A, 190A, 342A or 395A; VCD 1341A or ART155A; VCD 2311A or ART255A/346A; VCD 2321A or ART252A; VCD 2361A or ART375A; and VCD 2301A or ART251A.	3	Major Elective	Select from Curriculum Sheet	3	<i>Graduation Writing Test must be taken before completion of 75 units.</i>
	Major Elective (Workshop)	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 Elective (Workshop)	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 Elective	Select from Curriculum Sheet	3	AH 3333 History of Design	Prereq: Junior or senior standing.	3	
	Major Core	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		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>						
	Semester Total Units			16	Semester Total Units		

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Year 4	VCD 4610 Professional Practices in Visual Communication Design	Prereq: VCD 3321A or ART 351A; and VCD 3321A or ART 352A.	4	Major Elective (Workshop)	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 Elective (Workshop)	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 Elective	Select from Curriculum Sheet	4		
	GE Area B5: Science and Technology Synthesis		3	GE Area D4: Social Science Synthesis		3		
	Major Core	AH 3XXX/4XXX Any Upper Division Art History course other than AH 3333	3	GE Area C3: Arts and Humanities Synthesis		3		
	<i>File an application to graduate</i>							
	Semester Total Units			14	Semester Total Units		14	
						Total Units	120	