KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE

Creative Writing and studio double major Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree Requirements

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GRAPHIC DESIGN 81 Studio Hours) 2018				
	Course	Course Title	Credit	
	Number		Hours	
Freshman Year				
Fall Semester	FOUN 100	Foundation	9	
Spring Semester	FOUN 110	Foundation	9	
Sophomore Year				
Fall Semester	DESN 200	Visual Communication I: Graphic Form	3	
	DESN 240	Graphic Design History	3	
	DESN 263	Image	3	
	DESN 268	Typography I: Intro to Typography	3	
Spring Semester	DESN 230	Visual Communication II: Graphic Systems	3	
	DESN 235	Applied Communication Theory	3	
	DESN 288	Typography II: Type and Meaning	3	
Junior Year				
Fall Semester	DESN 300	Human Centered Design	3	
	DESN 340	Narrative	3	
	DESN 360	Typography III: Typographic Systems	3	
Spring Semester	DESN 305	User Experience	3	
	DESN 315	Professional Practices	3	
	DESN 387	Information Architecture	3	
Senior Year				
Fall Semester	DESN 405	Design Systems	3	
	DESN 425	Multi Media Experience	3	
	DESN 435	Visual Advocacy	3	
Spring Semester	DESN 400	Spatial Experience	3	
	DESN 484	Typography IV: Experimental Typography	3	
	DESN 495	Senior Studio: Degree Project	3	
Required Studio		Any Department Studio Elective	3	
Electives or		Any Department Studio Elective	3	
Internships: (2)				
Note:		It is strongly suggested that students take an internship in graphic design during		
	the summer following their junior year. Internships are discouraged in the fall or			
	spring. No more than 3 credit hours can be earned through any internship.			

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CREATIVE WRITING AND LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS (60 credits)				
LOWER-DIVISION LIBERAL ARTS REQUIRED COURSES				
	Course No.	Course Title	Credits	
Freshman Year				
Fall Semester	*FYS 1001	First Year Seminar	3	
	*HRT 1001	History of Art I	3	
Spring Semester	*HTH 1001	History of Thought I	3	
	*HRT 1002	History of Art II	3	
Sophomore Year				
Fall Semester	HTH 1002	History of Thought II	3	
NOTE:	*These courses are pre-requisites for upper-division courses.			
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UPPER-DIVISION LIBERAL ARTS *Upper-division courses are to be taken sop	phomore, junior, senior years.
Art History	3
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History	3
Philosophy	3
The Sciences (Science or Social Science)	3
CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOPS & COURSES IN LITERATURE	
Subject Requirement	Credits
Creative Writing Workshop	3
Literature	3
NOTE: WITHIN LIBERAL ARTS	<u>.</u>
*At least 15 credit hours (5 courses) must be taken at the 3000/4000 levels.	Y/N
*At least one course must be a course in Global/Comparative Studies (G/C)	Y/N

B.F.A. TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 141

In addition to fulfilling the course/credit requirements, the student must also have the following:
Final semester GPA minimum 2.0
Overall GPA minimum 2.0
Major studio GPA minimum 2.0
Cum. GPA of Art History, major of double major, minimum 2.0
Last 30 credit hours must be completed at KCAI
This is a student tool only and does not guarantee degree completion. Please meet with your academic
advisor regarding requirements. It is the student's responsibility to ensure they will complete all requirements
by the projected graduation date.