

BFA Art--Graphic Design Concentration

Rev. Fall 2017

NOTE: This plan should be used in conjunction with regular consultation with an advisor

Required for Admission to UNC Charlotte in BFA Art	If 24 or more transfer hours Transfer admissions requirements AND Portfolio (see website for details)	OR	If less than 24 transfer hours Transfer admissions requirements AND Freshman Admissions Requirements Portfolio (see website for details)
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See [Transfer Requirements](#) on the Office of Undergraduate Admissions web page for more details

Additional Requirements for Admission to the BFA in Graphic Design: Art majors in the B.A. studio program apply to the B.F.A. degree program by taking and passing a 1-credit course (ARTA 3201) during their sophomore year. During the class, students assemble another portfolio of work and written documentation, which they later submit to the BFA Review Committees. Students may not take advanced studio courses without having passed this course and gained acceptance into the B.F.A. program.

***PLEASE NOTE: UNC Charlotte made changes to the General Education first year writing and Liberal Studies requirements effective Fall 2017; therefore, the UNC Charlotte General Education requirements and community college UGETC course alignment may vary if the associates degree is not completed. Please review your progression with your academic advisor.

Associate of Arts					
Courses in BOLD are required for the major					
UGETC -- Associate of ARTS					
Area	Prefix/Number	Course Name	Credits	UNC Charlotte Equivalent	Credits
English Composition (6 CR)					
English Composition	ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3	UWRT 1101	3
	ENG 112	Writing and Research in the Disciplines	3	UWRT 1102	3
Humanities / Fine Arts (9 CR)					
Arts	ART 114	Art History Survey I	3	ARTH 1211 (and LBST 1105 exemption)	3
Literature / Philosophy (choose <u>ONE</u>)	ENG 231	American Literature I	3	ENGL 2104 (and LBST 2212 exemption)	3
	ENG 232	American Literature II		ENGL 0001 (and LBST 2212 exemption)	
	PHI 215	Philosophical Issues		PHIL 2101 (and LBST 2211 exemption)	
	PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics		PHIL 0001 (and LBST 2211 exemption)	
COMM	COM 231	Public Speaking	3	COMM 1101	3
Social / Behavioral Science (9 CR)					
Social Science (choose <u>ONE</u>), recommend SOC	ECO 251	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 2102	3
	ECO 252	Principles of Macroeconomics		ECON 2101	
	POL 120	American Government		POLS 1110	
	SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology		SOCY 1101	
History (choose <u>ONE</u>)	HIS 111	World Civilizations I	3	HIST 1120 (and LBST 2101 exemption)	3
	HIS 112	World Civilizations II		HIST 1121 (and LBST 2101 exemption)	
	HIS 131	American History I		HIST 1160 (and LBST 2101 exemption)	
	HIS 132	American History II		HIST 1161 (and LBST 2101 exemption)	
Psychology	PSY 150	General Psychology	3	PSYC 1101	3
Science with Lab (4 CR)					
Natural Science (choose <u>ONE</u>)	AST 111/111A	Descriptive Astronomy and Lab	4	PHYS 1130 + L	4
	AST 151/151A	General Astronomy I and Lab		PHYS 1130 + L	
	BIO 110	Principles of Biology		BIOL 1110 + L	
	BIO 111	General Biology		BIOL 1110 + L	
	CHM 151	General Chemistry I		CHEM 1251 + L	
	GEL 111	Introduction Geology		GEOL 1200 + L	
PHY 110/110A	Conceptual Physics and Lab	PHYS 0001 + L			
Mathematics (4CR)					
	MAT 171	Pre-Calculus Algebra	4	MATH 1100 (3) + lab credit (1)	4
UGETC Subtotal			32		
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Additional General Education

	ANT 220 or 221	Cultural Anthropology or Comparative Cultures		ANTH 0001 (and LBST 2102 exemption)	
Global / Cross Cultural (choose <u>ONE</u>)	GEO 111	World Regional Geography	3	GEOG 1101 (and LBST 2102 exemption)	3
	GEO 112	Cultural Geography		GEOG 0001 (and LBST 2102 exemption)	
	POL 210 or 220	Comparative Politics or International Politics		POLS 1130 or POLS 1150 (and LBST 2102 exemption)	
	HIS 111	World Civilizations I		HIST 1120 (and LBST 2102 exemption ONLY if taken with HIS 112)	
Foreign Language I + LAB	xxx 111 + xxx 181	Foreign Language I (3) + Lab I (1)	4	Foreign Language 1201 exemption	4
Foreign Language II + LAB	xxx 112 + xxx 182	Foreign Language II (3) + Lab II (1)	4	Foreign Language 1202 exemption	4
2nd Math (choose <u>ONE</u>)	PHI 230	Introduction to Logic	3 or 4	PHIL 2105 (3)	3 or 4
	MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy		MATH 0001 (3) + lab credit (1)	
	MAT 152	Statistical Methods I		STAT 1220 (3) + lab credit (1)	
Gen Ed Subtotal			14-15		14-15

NOTE: For College of Arts + Architecture degrees, there is no automatic exemption from the foreign language requirement as part of completion of the Associate of Arts. If foreign language courses are not taken at the community college, they must be taken at UNC Charlotte.

PRE Major - Courses

	ACA 122	Academic Transition	1	TRNF 0001	1
	ART 121	Two-Dimensional Design	3	ARTB 1201 2D Design	3
	ART 122	Three-Dimensional Design	3	ARTB 1202 3D Design	3
	ART 131	Drawing I	3	ARTB 1203 Drawing I	3
	ART 115	Art History Survey II	3	ARTH 1212 Art History Survey II	3
	ART 135	Figure Drawing	3	ARTB 1205 Figure Drawing	3
Pre-major Subtotal			16		16
TOTAL AA Hours			62-63		62-63

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Courses in **BOLD** are pre-requisites for subsequent courses

NOTE: The majority of coursework in this degree is semester-specific and cannot be taken out of sequence.

Junior Year					
	Fall	ARTB 1206 Concept Practices ARTG 2180 Graphic Design Methods ARTM 2105 Digital Media I Any ARTH course		co-req for all 2000 level studios	3 3 3 3
	Spring	ARTH 2110 Contemporary Art History ARTG 2181 Graphic Design I 2000 level studio from 3D area 2000 level studio from different 3D area than studio above			3 3 3 3
Senior Year					
	Fall	ARTG 3183 Graphic Design 2 3000 level studio 3000 level studio Any ARTH course ARTA 3201 BFA Portfolio Review		see course descriptions--pre-reqs vary see course descriptions--pre-reqs vary	3 3 3 3 1
	Spring*	ARTG 3184 Typography ARTM 3101 Animation Any Art Elective 2000 level or above			3 3 3

Fifth Year			
	Fall*	ARTG 4180 Print Production	3
		ARTG 4181 Communications Design	3
		ARTM 3205 Interactive Art & Design	3
	Spring*	ARTG 4982 Graphic Design Projects	3
		ARTA 4600 Senior Seminar	3
		ARTA 4601 BFA Senior Exhibit	1
		co-req of ARTA 4601	
			62
TOTAL UNCC Hours			
		TOTAL HOURS	124-125

*The credit hours listed above reflect the courses required for the degree. A minimum of 12 credit hours per semester is required for full-time student status for financial aid purposes. Additional credit hours to achieve full-time student status (if needed) would be determined in consultation with your Academic Advisor.