

Fashion Design – Special Occasion

School of Art and Design

Applications accepted for fall only. NYSED: 00735 HEGIS 1009

The BFA in Fashion Design's Special Occasion concentration provides students with the knowledge, skills, and hands-on experience needed to excel in the fashion industry in the area of Special Occasion. Registering for the concentration is based on availability. Curriculum below is for the entering class of Fall 2015.

Semester 5		Credits
MAJOR AREA	FD 321 - Computerized Pattern Design	1.5
	FD 351 - Body Contour	1.5
	FD 352 - Knitwear Design: Flat Pattern Design and Sewing	1.5
	FD 353 - Knitwear Design: Machine Knitting	2
	FF 321 - 20th-Century Style and the Modern Designer	2
	FF 351 - Knitwear Design I	1.5
RELATED AREA	FM 301 - Fashion Merchandising for Apparel Designers	3
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Art History*	3
Semester 6		
MAJOR AREA	FD 231 - Haute Couture Sewing Techniques	2
	FD 232 - Haute Couture Decorative Techniques and Embellishments	2
	FD 374 - Flat Pattern Design for Special Occasion	1.5
	FF 391 - Bridal Design: Portfolio	2
RELATED AREA	FM 324 - Business of Licensing	3
	MG 301 - Apparel Production: Labor Analysis	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Foreign Language*	3
Semester 7		
MAJOR AREA	FD 375 - Textile Lace and Technology I	1.5
	FD 471 - Foundation Design	2
	FD 472 - Foundation Fitting Techniques	1.5
	FD 474 - Bridal Design	2
	FF 397 - Senior Portfolio: Special Occasion	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Art History*	3
	choice - see Liberal Arts/Foreign Language*	3
Semester 8		
MAJOR AREA	FD 495 - Senior Collection: Special Occasion	3
	FF 491 - Internship	2
	FF 492 - E-Portfolio	1
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts elective(s)*	3
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ELECTIVE(S)	choice - General Elective(s)	1.5-3
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS		
	ELECTIVE(S)	1.5-3
	MAJOR AREA	32.5
	RELATED AREA	8
	LIBERAL ARTS	18
Total Credits:		60-61.5

Fall 2015 Requirements: See below.

*** Liberal Arts: 18 credits**

- **Liberal Arts electives: 6 credits.** Select Liberal Arts courses from the following subject areas: **CH** (Chinese), **EN** (English), **FI** (Film & Media) - any FI course other than FI 261, 361, 461, 362, and 462, **FR** (French), **HA** (History of Art), **HE** (Health Education) 201, 301, **IT** (Italian), **JA** (Japanese), **MU** (Music), **HI** (History), **MA** (Math), **LA** (Liberal Arts), **MC** (Modern Languages & Cultures), **PE** (Physical Education & Dance) 215, 216, 217, **PL** (Philosophy), **SC** (Science), **SP** (Spanish), and **SS** (Social Science). See Liberal Arts Courses.
- **History of Art: 6 credits.** CHOICE of one (1) HA course that meets General Education Other World Civilizations requirement (G9) and one (1) additional HA course. See the full list of Art/Design History courses under HA: History of Art and Civilization .
- **Foreign Language: 6 credits.** Two semesters of the same foreign language, one of which must meet General Education Foreign Language requirement (G8).