

Accessories Design

Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree Program (BFA)

Applications accepted for fall only. HEGIS 1009

The major in Accessories Design offers students the technical, design, and business skills needed for entry into the accessories industry in positions such as assistant or full-fledged designers, stylists, merchandisers, production personnel, patternmakers, and entrepreneurs.

Semester 5		Credits
MAJOR AREA	LD 228 - Accessories Computer Design I	2
	LD 332 - Theatrical and Character Footwear	3
	LD 342 - Zippered Handbag Design, Hardware, and Construction	2.5
RELATED AREA	FA 203 - Drawing for Accessories	1.5
LIBERAL ARTS	HA 344 - History of Western Costume	3
	SS 376 - Clothing and Society	3
Semester 6		
MAJOR AREA	LD 331 - Athletic Footwear Design	3
	LD 341 - Experimental Handbag Techniques	3
RELATED AREA	FF 341 - Computer Art for Accessories Design	1.5
	FS 341 - Role of Fabrics in Fashion: 1860 to Present	3
	SD 481 - Screen Printing: Scarves	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Other World Civilizations* G9	3
Semester 7		
MAJOR AREA	LD 333 - Nontraditional Footwear Design and Construction	3
	LD 451 - Sports-Specific Bags and Carrying Gear	3
	LD 471 - The Accessories Industry	2
RELATED AREA	JD 231 - Objects Design and Rendering or PK 303 - Packaging Design for Accessories Design	1.5-2
LIBERAL ARTS	EN 322 - Writing in the Art and Design Professions	3
	choice - see Foreign Language* G8	3.5
Semester 8		
MAJOR AREA	LD 491 - Accessories Design Senior Project	3
	LD 492 - Portfolio Development	2.5
RELATED AREA	IC 498 - Senior Internship D: Career Planning	4
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see American History* G10	3
	choice - see Foreign Language* G8	3-3.5
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS		
	MAJOR AREA	27
	RELATED AREA	13.5-14
	LIBERAL ARTS	21.5-22
	Total Credits:	62-63

SUNY General Education Requirements:

A "G" followed by a number 1-10 identifies specific courses that meet SUNY General Education baccalaureate degree requirements (or visit fitnyc.edu/gened).

G1 Basic Communication; G2 Mathematics; G3 Natural Sciences; G4 Social Sciences; G5 Western Civilization; G6 The Arts; G7 Humanities; G8 Foreign Language; G9 Other World Civilizations; G10 American History.

***Requirements:** See below.

American History: 3 credits

CHOICE of EN 271 or 272, or LA 221 or 392 (any one of these meets G10).

Foreign Language: 6.5-7 credits

Two semesters of the same foreign language, one of which must be a 3.5 credit nonconversational course (G8).

Other World Civilizations: 3 credits

CHOICE of HA 121, 221, 223, 224, 225, or 226 (any one of these meets G9).