

Menswear AAS Degree Program

School of Art and Design

Applications accepted for fall only. NYSED: 00762 HEGIS 5012

The major in Menswear offers qualified students the opportunity to prepare for careers with retail and wholesale organizations as designers, assistant designers, or stylists with an understanding of merchandising, or as merchandising executives with design aptitudes.

Semester 1		Credits
MAJOR AREA	MW 131 - Menswear Flat Patternmaking Design I	3
	MW 141 - Menswear Construction	1.5
	MW 151 - Menswear Design I	1.5
RELATED AREA	FA 107 - Basic Design	1.5
	IL 103 - Illustrating the Male Figure	1.5
	TS 111 - Fundamentals of Textiles	3
GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	HA 112 - History of Western Art and Civilization: Renaissance to the Modern Era	3
	choice - see Requirements*	3
Semester 2		
MAJOR AREA	MW 152 - Menswear Design II	1.5
	MW 232 - Menswear Flat Patternmaking Design II	2
	MW 241 - Tailoring the Jacket	2
	MW 254 - Computer Design I	2
RELATED AREA	FA 105 - Life Drawing	1.5
GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	HA 215 - History of Menswear G7	3
	choice - see Requirements*	3
Semester 3		
MAJOR AREA	MW 251 - Menswear Design III	1.5
	MW 253 - Advanced Computer Fashion Design	2
	MW 262 - Presentation/Portfolio	2
	MW 231 - Menswear Flat Patternmaking Design III	4
RELATED AREA	FM 202 - The Marketing of Menswear	3
GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	choice - see Requirements*	6
Semester 4		
MAJOR AREA	IC 296 - AAS Internship B: Career Exploration	2
	MW 221 - Digital Art for Menswear	1.5
	MW 252 - Menswear Design IV	5
GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	choice - see Requirements*	6
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS		
	GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	24
	MAJOR AREA	31.5
	RELATED AREA	10.5
	HEALTH AND/OR PHYS. ED	2
	Total Credits:	68

***Art and Design Programs: FIT's General Education and Art History Requirements**

FIT's Gen Ed courses are organized along the following categories: 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.

See list of Gen Ed approved courses under FIT's General Education Requirements and Courses . An FIT Gen Ed course cannot be used to meet more than one General Education area.

Associate Degree: (Effective for students entering AAS programs in Fall 2014)

- Three (3) credits from each required area, totaling 9 credits: G1, G2 and G3
- Six (6) credits from two (2) different areas in **liberal arts** courses in G4-G10
- Three (3) credits of any 200 or 300 level English literature or speech course
- Six (6) credits from Art/Design History courses: HA112 (3 credits, required for all Art & Design majors), plus another 3 credit HA course.

Upper Division Alternatives:

Graduates of this program are eligible to apply for admission to the Bachelor of Fine Arts programs in Fabric Styling and Textile/Surface Design , and the Bachelor of Science programs in Direct and Interactive Marketing , Production Management: Fashion and Related Industries , Technical Design , and Textile Development and Marketing . By completing certain course requirements, graduates may also apply for admission to the Bachelor of Science programs in Fashion Merchandising Management and International Trade and Marketing for the Fashion Industries .