

# Illustration – General Illustration Option AAS Degree Program

## School of Art and Design

Applications accepted for fall only. NYSed: 00763 HEGIS 5012

The major in Illustration offers qualified students the opportunity to prepare for staff positions and a freelance career as illustrators in graphic design firms, ad agencies, and publishing houses. Curriculum below is for the entering class of Fall 2016.

<b>Semester 1</b>		<b>Credits</b>
MAJOR AREA	IL 114 - Fashion Applications	1.5
	IL 123 - Principles of Illustration I	1.5
	IL 133 - Anatomical Life Drawing for the Illustrator I	2
	IL 141 - Fashion Expression in Drawing	1.5
	IL 151 - Dynamic Drawing Techniques for the Illustrator	2
RELATED AREA	PH 118 - Beginning Digital Photography	2
ELECTIVE		
GENERAL EDUCATION /	choice - see Requirements*	6
ART HISTORY		
<b>Semester 2</b>		
MAJOR AREA	IL 124 - Principles of Illustration II	3
	IL 125 - Introduction to Adobe Photoshop for the Illustrator	2
	IL 127 - Applying Color to Illustrate the Written Word	1.5
	IL 128 - Perspective Drawing, Composition, and Concept	1.5
	IL 134 - Anatomical Life Drawing for the Illustrator II	1.5
	IL 152 - General Illustration Figure Drawing I	1.5
GENERAL EDUCATION /	choice - see Requirements*	6
ART HISTORY		
<b>Semester 3</b>		
MAJOR AREA	IL 223 - Illustration as Visual Communication I	3
	IL 251 - General Illustration Figure Drawing II	1.5
	IL 272 - Illustration Rendering Techniques	1.5
RELATED AREA	CD 201 - Computer Typesetting and Design	2
	CD 271 - Designing with Type	1.5
GENERAL EDUCATION /	choice - see Requirements*	6
ART HISTORY		
<b>Semester 4</b>		
MAJOR AREA	IL 225 - Illustration Concept Techniques	1.5
	IL 227 - Illustration as Visual Communication II	3
	IL 231 - Anatomical Life Drawing for the Illustrator III	1.5
	IL 252 - General Illustration Figure Drawing III	1.5
RELATED AREA	CD 122 - Digital Layout I	2
	FA 104 - Sculpture - Basic	1.5
GENERAL EDUCATION /	choice - see Requirements*	6
ART HISTORY		
ELECTIVE(S)	choice - General Elective(s)	1.5-3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS</b>		
	RELATED AREA ELECTIVE	2
	GENERAL EDUCATION / ART HISTORY	24
	ELECTIVE(S)	1.5-3
	MAJOR AREA	33
	RELATED AREA	7
	Total Credits:	67.5-69

\*Fall 2015 Requirements: see below

## **FIT's General Education and Art History Requirements for Art and Design Associate Degree Programs:**

- 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 and Design History courses: HA 112 (3 credits, required for all Art and Design majors), plus another 3-credit HA course.

FIT's Gen Ed courses are organized into 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.**

### **Upper Division Alternatives:**

Graduates of this program are eligible to apply for admission to the Bachelor of Fine Arts programs in Computer Animation and Interactive Media , Illustration , Textile/Surface Design , and Toy Design .