School of Art and Design

Applications accepted for fall only. NYSED: 00735 HEGIS 1009

Building upon the success of the AAS studies in Fashion Design, courses in the BFA program advance in complexity as students hone their expertise in the children's wear concentration. Through applied experiential learning and the creative application and development of critical problem-solving challenges, students become adept fashion designers. Students attain a greater understanding of the fashion design process, further perfect their conceptual/technical skills, and advance in the development of a personal design aesthetic and their adaptive abilities. This program prepares graduates for success in children's wear careers, related design fields and for other careers not yet imagined. Registering for this concentration is based on availability. Curriculum below is for the entering class of Fall 2017.

Semester 5		Credits
MAJOR AREA	FD 357 - Introduction to Knitwear Design	3
	FD 381 - Stretch Fundamentals	2.5
	FF 311 - Lifestyle Collection Design	2.5
	FF 322 - 20th Century Style for the 21st Century Aesthetic	3
	choice - see Major Area Electives**	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Foreign Language*	3
Semester 6		
MAJOR AREA	FD 365 - Explorations in Childrenswear Design	2
	FD 366 - Fundamentals of Childrenswear Design	2
	FF 342 - Digital Childrenswear Design	2
	FF 343 - Childrenswear Design	2.5
	choice - see Major Area Electives**	2
RELATED AREA	choice - see Related Area Electives***	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Foreign Language*	3
Semester 7		
MAJOR AREA	FD 467 - Childrenswear Niche Market	2
	FD 498 - Childrenswear Practicum	1.5
	FF 493 - Senior Portfolio: Childrenswear Design	2.5
RELATED AREA	choice - see Related Area Electives***	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts/Art History*	3
	choice - see Liberal Arts Requirements*	3
Semester 8		
MAJOR AREA	FD 488 - Senior Thesis: Childrenswear Design	3
	FF 491 - Internship	2
	choice - see Major Area Electives**	2
RELATED AREA	choice - see Related Area Electives***	2
LIBERAL ARTS	choice - see Liberal Arts*	3
	choice - see Liberal Arts/Art History*	3
TOTAL CREDIT REQ	UIREMENTS	
	MAJOR AREA	36.5
	RELATED AREA	6
	LIBERAL ARTS	18
	Total Credits:	60.5

Fall 2017 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 Sciences). 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 the General Education Foreign Language requirement (G8)

**Major Area Electives: 6 credits minimum

CHOICE of major area courses (for which prerequisites have been met) from the following: FD 231, FD 281, FD 321, FD 341, FD 342, FD 343, FD 364, FD 366, FD 374, FD 383, FD 384, FD 385, FD 386, FD 461, FD 467, FD 475, FF 312, FF 323, FF 324, FF 343, FF 344, FF 345, FF 353, FF 398. The same course cannot be used to fulfill a required Major Area and a Major Area Elective.

***Related Area Electives: 6 credits

CHOICE of any two to four elective courses (for which prerequisites have been met) totaling 6 credits from the following: AC 114, BE 261, CD 123, DE 102, DE 143, EP 311, EP 321, FA 101, FA 103, FA 104, FA 105, FM 324, FM 301, IC 496, IN 322, IN 443, LD 112, LD 133, LD 136, LD 143, MG 301, PH 162, TD 101, TD 183, TD 227, TS 368, TD 481

Note: The assortment of Major Area Elective and Related Area Elective courses available and offered during a given semester is subject to change. All courses will not be available or offered each semester. The list of course options may evolve over time; contact the Fashion Design Department for details.