Year One

Five Foundation Courses:

- Des 1101W: Introduction to Design Thinking .......................... 4
  (Arts/Humanities; Writing Intensive)
- Des 2101: Design and Visual Presentation ............................... 2
- GDes 1311: Foundations: Drawing & Design in
  Two and Three Dimensions .................................................. 4
- GDes 1312: Foundations: Color & Design in Two
  and Three Dimensions ....................................................... 4
- GDes 1315: Foundations: The Graphic Studio ......................... 4

- Freshman Writing .................................................................. 4
  You will be placed in one of the following:
  Writ 1201: Writing Studio*
  Writ 1301: University Writing
  Writ 1401: Writing and Academic Inquiry

*If placed in Writ 1201, you must also complete
Writ 1301 to fulfill the first-year writing requirement.

- Liberal Education Requirements ................................. 6-8

Semester Credits: 28-30 for year one

Year Two

Fall Semester

- GDes 2345: Typography ...................................................... 4
- Photography Core .............................................................. 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
- Public Speaking Core .......................................................... 3
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
  Courses may overlap with Civic Life and Ethics.
- Grand Challenge Course or Diversity and Social
  Justice ................................................................. 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
  Courses may overlap with Diversity and Social Justice.
- Liberal Education Requirement .......................................... 3-4

PORTFOLIO REVIEW HELD EARLY IN THE TERM

Upon passing portfolio review, you will be assigned a faculty
adviser in addition to your professional adviser.

Semester Credits 16-19

Spring Semester

- GDes 2342: Web Design .................................................... 3
- GDes 2399W: Design and Its Discontents ......................... 3
- GDes 3312: Color and Form in Surface Design ................... 4
- GDes 3351: Text and Image ................................................ 3
- Des 3201: Career and Internship Preparation for Design ....... 1

Semester Credits 14

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## Year Three

### Fall Semester
- GDes 3352: Identity and Symbols ........................................... 3
- GDes 4131W: History of Graphic Design (fall only) ......................... 4
- **Program Elective** ...................................................................... 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
- **Liberal Education Requirement** ................................................ 3-4

### Spring Semester
- GDes 3353: Packaging and Display ............................................ 3
- GDes 4345: Advanced Typography .............................................. 4
- **Business Core (one course)** .................................................... 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
  Courses may overlap with Social Sciences.
- **Liberal Education Requirements** ............................................. 6-8

### GOOD STUDY ABROAD TERM
- **Semester Credits** ................................................................. 13-15

### Year Four

### Fall Semester
- GDes 4196: Internship .............................................................. 1-3
- GDes 4361W: Thesis Studio & Writing ......................................... 3
- **Program Elective** ...................................................................... 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report.
- **Liberal Education Requirements and/or electives,**
  if needed ...................................................................................... 6-8

### Spring Semester
- GDes 4362: Senior Thesis and Exhibition ................................... 3
- GDes 4363: Graphic Design Portfolio .......................................... 3
- **Program Elective** ...................................................................... 3-4
  For course options, refer to your APAS report
- **Liberal Education Requirements and/or electives,**
  if needed ...................................................................................... 6-8

### GOOD STUDY ABROAD TERM
- **Semester Credits** ................................................................. 15-18

### Liberal Education Requirements Not Met by Program Requirements

#### Diversified Core
- Biological Science
- Historical Perspective
- Literature
- Mathematical Thinking
- Physical Science
- Social Sciences
  (may overlap with Business Core)

#### Designated Themes (Complete 4 of the 5.)
- Civic Life and Ethics
  (may overlap with Public Speaking Core)
- Diversity and Social Justice in the U.S.
  (may overlap with Global Challenge Course or Diversity and Social Justice requirement)
- Global Perspectives
- Technology and Society
- The Environment

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This is a sample plan subject to change prior to the start of Fall Term 2016.