# ART AND DESIGN, BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

## Graphic Design Concentration

### 2017-2018 Degree Plan

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<th>University Core Requirements (42 Hours):</th>
<th>UHCL Course Title</th>
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<td>Communications (6 hours):</td>
<td>WRIT 1301—English Composition I</td>
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<td>WRIT 1302—English Composition II</td>
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<td>Mathematics (3 hours):</td>
<td>Choose ONE course from the core approved list</td>
<td>MATH 1314</td>
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<td>MATH 1332 or MATH 1342</td>
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<td>Life and Physical Sciences (6 hours):</td>
<td>Choose TWO courses from the core approved list</td>
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<td>Language, Philosophy, and Culture (3 hours):</td>
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<td>Creative Arts (3 hours):</td>
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<td>ARTS 1303</td>
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<td>U.S. History (6 hours):</td>
<td>HIST 1301—U.S. History I</td>
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<td>Government/Political Science (6 hours):</td>
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<td>POLS 2306—Texas Government</td>
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<td>Social Behavioral Science (3 hours):</td>
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<td>Public Speaking (3 hours):</td>
<td>COMM 1315—Public Speaking</td>
<td>SPCH 1315</td>
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<td>Additional Coursework (3 hours):</td>
<td>PSYC 1100—Learning Frameworks</td>
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*Two 1 hour Natural Science Labs—required co-requisites for the chosen science courses*

## Graphics Major Requirements (78 Hours):

### IHS Core Requirements (3 hours):

- WRIT 3305—Writing for the Humanities or WRIT 3307—Advanced Writing (grade must be at least C or better)
- 48 hours of upper level credit must be C or better

### Major Requirements (63 hours):

- Choose one course from the following (3 hours):
  - HUMN 3375—Ideas in Transition
  - PHIL 4314—The Great Philosophers I
  - PHIL 4315—The Great Philosophers II
  - ARTS any 4000 level Art History (This Art History elective is in addition to the one required in the major.)

### Foundation Courses (15 hours):

- ARTS 1303—World Art Survey I
- ARTS 1304—World Art Survey II
- ARTS 1311—Design Foundations
- ARTS 1316—Drawing Foundations
- ARTS 2371—Digital Photography

### Art History requirements (6 hours):

- ARTS 4358—History of Graphic Design or any upper-level Modern or Contemporary Art History course
- ARTS 3300/4300-level Art History course

### Studio Requirements (15 hours):

- ARTS 3310—Sculpture
- ARTS 3320—Ceramics
- ARTS 3360—Graphic Design
- ARTS 3333—Life Drawing
- ARTS 3340—Printmaking

### Graphics Concentration Requirements (21 hours):

- Choose 7 courses at the 3000/4000 level with the help of a faculty advisor
### Capstone Requirement (3 hours)

**ARTS 4390—Senior Seminar (to be taken during the final semester)**

### Electives (12 hours)

Choose FOUR elective courses, any level

### General Degree Requirements

- Students must complete at least 120 semester credit hours. A minimum of 45 hours of the 120 semester hours must be advanced (3000-4000 level) course work according to the requirements of the respective major.
- Students must complete the University Core Curriculum requirements (refer to Core Curriculum Requirements in the UHCL Catalog).
- Students must fulfill the statutory requirements of the Texas State Education Code, including the following:
  - Six hours of U.S. History (three hours may be Texas History).
  - Six hours of Constitutions of the United States and Texas.
- Students must demonstrate writing proficiency by completing nine hours of lower-level (1000-2000 level) and upper-level (3000-4000 level) English composition course credit with a minimum grade of "C-" or better. Some majors may require higher grades in English composition.
- Students must complete at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree (i.e., 30 semester credit hours for a 120 credit hour program) through instruction offered by UHCL to fulfill the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) residency requirements.
- Students must complete the final 30 semester hours of 3000 and 4000 level course work in residence at UHCL.
- Students must complete a minimum of 12 semester credit hours of upper-level (3000-4000 level) coursework in the major in residence at UHCL.
- Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.000 on course work completed at UHCL with grades of "C" or better on at least 30 hours of resident upper-level work. Grades of "C-" or below cannot be applied toward the 30 hours of resident upper-level work.