

B.F.A., Fashion Design

College of Visual Arts and Design Suggested Four-Year Curriculum

2021-2022 • Exp. August 2030

Key: ■ UNT Core Requirement

Freshman Fall Semester: 15 credits
ART 1700: FNDN-Space
ART 1800: FNDN-N & R
■ ART 2350: Art History Survey I
ADES 1550: Intro. to Fashion Design (req. for entry review)
■ ENGL 1310: College Writing I (1311: Honors)

Freshman Spring Semester: 15 credits
ART 1600: FNDN-P & T (req. for entry review)
ART 1900: FNDN- S & T (req. for entry review)
■ ART 2360: Art History Survey II
■ ENGL 1320: College Writing II (1312: Honors)
■ College Math

Sophomore Fall Semester: 15 credits
■ ART 2370: Art History Survey III
ADES 1560: Intro to Industrial Sewing (req. for entry review)
ADES 2550: Fashion: Patternmaking I (req. for entry review)
Art Elective
MDSE 2650: Textiles for Apparel
Entry Review and Degree Plan at the end of the term

Sophomore Spring Semester: 15 credits
ADES 2555: Fashion: Patternmaking II
ADES 2560: Adv. Industrial Sewing Techniques
ADES 2570: Fashion Drawing
■ Social & Behavioral Sciences
Advanced Elective*
Sophomore Summer Semester: 6 credits
■ PSCI 2305: U.S. Pol. Behavior and Policy (2315: Honors)
■ PSCI 2306: U.S. and Texas Const. and Inst. (2316: Honors)

Junior Fall Semester: 15 credits
ADES 3550: Fashion: Draping
ADES 3570: Comp. in Fashion: Presentation
Advanced Art Elective
■ Life/Physical Science
ART 4120, ADES 3565, 4590, 4595 or 4700

Junior Spring Semester: 15 credits
ADES 3555: Fashion: Industry Techniques
ADES 3575: Computers in Fashion: Concept to Product
MDSE 3350: Historic and Contemporary Styles of Apparel
ADES 3560: Technical Design in Fashion
Advanced Elective*

Senior Fall Semester: 12 credits
ADES 4550: Fashion: Target Market
ADES 4560: Fashion Design Concepts
■ Life/Physical Science
■ HIST 2610: U.S. History to 1865 (2675: Honors)

Senior Spring Semester: 12 credits
ADES 4555: Fashion: Collection
ADES 4580: Professional Practices
■ Core Course (See Academic Advisor)
■ HIST 2620: U.S. History since 1865 (2685: Honors)
Total Required Credit Hours: 120

Note: 36 hours of art including 12 advanced hours must be completed at UNT. 42 hours must be advanced; 24 of the 42 advanced hours must be completed at UNT.

*Advanced elective recommendations: ADES 3565: Fashion Accessories, ADES 4590: Fashion Design Studio, ADES 4595: Exploration: Fashion Design, or ADES 4700: Professional Internship. Any 3000-4000 level courses either within or outside of CVAD can fulfill this requirement.

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Pre-Fashion Design majors must meet the following criteria for admission to the Fashion Design major.

Admission to the Fashion Design Major

Complete at least 30 hours of college courses, including courses below, and these steps:

- a. Complete ART 1600, 1700, 1800, 1900, and ADES 1550 with a grade of C or better. Once completed, students are eligible to register for ADES 1560 and 2550.
- b. Complete ADES 1560 and 2550 with a grade of C or better;
- c. Submit to and successfully pass Fashion Design Entry Portfolio Review at the end of ADES 2550;
- d. Have at least a 2.50 GPA on the required Art courses and a minimum 2.25 UNT grade point average.

Portfolio Reviews for Fashion Design Majors

Entry Portfolio Review

Students are admitted into the fashion design core courses (ADES 1560, 2550, etc.) after earning grades of C or better in ART 1600, ART 1700, ART 1800, ART 1900 and ADES 1550: Introduction to Fashion Design. The Entry Review will be held once each year at the end of the fall semester for students enrolled in or having successfully completed ADES 1560: Introduction to Industrial Sewing and ADES 2550: Fashion Patternmaking II. Top-ranked students will be accepted into the program, complete degree plans, and be granted access to ADES 2555: Fashion Design II, ADES 2560: Advanced Industrial Sewing Techniques, and ADES 2570: Fashion Drawing for the spring semester. Details regarding the required contents of the portfolio will be explained in ADES 2550.

Transfer Credit

Students must submit official transcripts of all prior collegiate-level coursework as part of the UNT admissions process. Transfer information is reviewed with the student at Orientation. All students, regardless of academic status, must be admitted to the Fashion Design Program through the Fashion Design Portfolio Review.

Important Note: Students who do not have an official degree plan on file before the semester they plan to graduate may not apply for graduation.

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