

CINEMA, A.F.A.

Location(s): AL, WO

NOVA Code: 5630

Purpose

This curriculum is designed for individuals who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university to complete a baccalaureate degree program in the Visual Arts with a major in cinema, film, or media production.

Transfer Information

Since four-year colleges can vary in their course and GPA requirements for the business major, please consult your Cinema, AFA Academic Advisor regarding specific requirements and course selection.

Recommended Preparation

Satisfactory completion of the following high school units or equivalent: 4 units of English; 2 units of mathematics (algebra and geometry); 1 unit of laboratory science; and 1 unit of social studies.

Two Years

Course	Title	Credits
1st Semester		
ART 160	Film Production	3
CST 115 or CST 126	Small Group Communication or Interpersonal Communication	3
CST 151	Film Appreciation I	3
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
SDV 101	Orientation to: (Fine Arts)	1
Social/Behavioral Sciences (p. 1) ¹		3
Credits		16
2nd Semester		
ENG 112	College Composition II	3
CST 120	Screenwriting	3
CST 140	Acting for the Camera	3
CST 152	Film Appreciation II	3
CST 198	Seminar And Project	1
Select one of the following: ²		3
MTH 154	Quantitative Reasoning	
MTH 155	Statistical Reasoning (or Higher)	
Credits		16
3rd Semester		
ART Elective ³		3
ART 161	Cinematography	3
CST 250	The Art of The Film	3
PHT 274	Digital Film Editing and Post Production	3
Physical or Life Science Elective w/Lab (https://catalog.nvcc.edu/general-education-electives/#ge_phy_life_sci_elec)		4
Credits		16
4th Semester		
Select one of the following ART or CST Electives: ⁴		3
ART 140	Introduction to Graphic Skills	
ART 150	History of Film & Animation	
CST 110	Introduction to Human Communication	
CST 114	Introduction to Mass Media	
ENG 2XX - Literature Elective (https://catalog.nvcc.edu/general-education-electives/#ge_literature)		3
CST 270	Film Directing	3
CST 290	Coordinated Internship	3

CST 298	Seminar And Project	3
Credits		15
Total Credits		63

Electives should be chosen with the advice of an academic advisor to meet the requirements of the intended transfer institution.

- ¹ May choose Social/Behavioral Science Elective with Advisor approval from the table below; three from this list-strongly recommended.
- ² Credit will not be awarded for both MTH 155 Statistical Reasoning and MTH 245 Statistics I.
- ³ May choose ART Elective with Advisor approval for maximum transferability.
- ⁴ May choose ART or CST Elective with Advisor approval.

Social/Behavioral Science Elective

Code	Title	Credits
ECO 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECO 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
GEO 200	Introduction to Physical Geography	3
GEO 210	People & the Land: Intro. to Cultural Geography	3
GEO 220	World Regional Geography	3
HIS 101	Western Civilizations Pre-1600 CE	3
HIS 102	Western Civilizations Post-1600 CE	3
HIS 112	World Civilizations Post-1500 CE	3
HIS 121	United States History to 1877	3
HIS 122	United States History Since 1865	3
PLS 135	U.S. Government and Politics	3
PLS 200	Introduction to Political and Democratic Theory	3
PLS 241	Introduction to International Relations	3
PSY 200	Principles of Psychology	3
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3
SOC 200	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC 211	Cultural Anthropology	3
SOC 212	Principles of Anthropology II	3