

ILLUSTRATION AND SEQUENTIAL ART, ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE



VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

Associate in Applied Science : AAS 3203

61-74 Credits

Program Contact

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Program Description

The Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Illustration and Sequential Art is designed for the student who wishes to develop an area of specialization in illustration and comics and sequential art. Students will develop narratives through traditional and digital media. The program emphasizes art principles, knowledge, and skills needed to solve design and compositional problems. Areas of emphasis include comic book and sequential art, illustration for publications, and storyboarding. It allows for the development of an individual's personal interest in this area, prepares students for employment, and upgrades skills of those already employed in this field. Employment opportunities are available in a variety of fields including, but not limited to, freelance artist-designer, concept artist, comics/sequential art, visual development artist for gaming/film, and storyboarder. A Certificate of Completion (CCL) in Illustration and in Sequential Art is also available.

Program Notes

Students must earn a grade of "C" or better for all courses required within the program. Overall program minimum GPA = 2.00.

++ indicates any suffixed course may be selected.

Program Requirements

Program Prerequisites: None

Code	Title	Credits	Semester
Required Courses			
ART111	Drawing I	3	
AVC100	Introduction to Digital Arts	1	
AVC169	2D Media Design	3	
AVC177	Digital Photographic Imaging I	3	
AVC289	Computer Illustration	3	
ART113 or AVC114	Color Digital Color	3	
ART116	Life Drawing I	3	
AVC178	Digital Arts Studies	3	

Capstone/Internship Course:		
Select one of the following:		1-3
AVC280AA	Digital Media Arts and Design Capstone	
or AVC280A++	Digital Media Arts and Design Capstone	
or AVC280A++	Digital Media Arts and Design Capstone	
AVC297AA	Commercial Art Internship	
or AVC297A++	Commercial Art Internship	
or AVC297A++	Commercial Art Internship	
FYE101	Introduction to College, Career and Personal Success	1-3
or FYE103	Exploration of College, Career and Personal Success	

Restricted Electives		
Select from one of the following areas of specialization:		9-18
Specialization 1: Sequential Art (18 credits)		
AVC119	Penciling for Sequential Art	
AVC120	Inking for Sequential Art	
AVC219	Coloring, Toning and Lettering for Sequential Art	
AVC220	Publishing for the Comic Industry	
AVC221	Comics Creation	
CRW172	Introduction to Comic Book Writing	
or CRW176	Writing Narrative for Video Games	
or CRW190	Introduction to Screenwriting	

Specialization 2: Illustration (9 credits)		
AVC248	Design Self Promotion	
or ART255	Art Marketing	
Students must select six credits from the following list of courses.		
Students may select from one emphasis or may select from different emphases to fulfill the six credit requirement.		
Animation Emphasis		
AVC/MMT184	Digital Animation I	
AVC/MMT185	3D Modeling and Animation I	

Drawing Emphasis			
ART117	Life Drawing II		
ART118	Art Anatomy		
ART122	Drawing and Composition II		
Painting Emphasis			
ART165	Watercolor Painting I		
ART166	Watercolor Painting II		
ART167	Painting I		
ART168	Painting II		
ART263	Figure Painting		
General Electives			
Select additional courses 100-level or higher to complete the minimum credits required for this degree. Consult with the Program Director or an Academic Advisor.		0-6	
General Education			
Core			
<i>First-Year Composition</i>			
ENG101	First-Year Composition	3	
or ENG107	First-Year Composition for ESL		
ENG102	First-Year Composition	3	
or ENG108	First-Year Composition for ESL		
<i>Oral Communication</i>			
Select one of the following:		3	
COM100	Introduction to Human Communication		
COM110	Interpersonal Communication		
COM225	Public Speaking		
COM230	Small Group Communication		
<i>Critical Reading</i>			
Select one of the following:		0-3	
CRE101	College Critical Reading and Critical Thinking		
Or equivalent as indicated by assessment			
<i>Mathematics</i>			
Select three to six credits from the following:		3-6	
Any approved general education course(s) in the Mathematics area			
MAT140	College Mathematics ¹		
MAT141	College Mathematics ¹		

MAT142	College Mathematics ¹		
MAT145	College Mathematics with Review ¹		
MAT146	College Mathematics with Review ¹		
Distribution			
<i>Humanities, Arts and Design</i>			
ARH101	Art from Prehistory Through Middle Ages	3	
or ARH102	Art from Renaissance to Modernism		
<i>Social and Behavioral Sciences</i>			
Any approved general education course(s) in the Social and Behavioral Sciences area		3	
<i>Natural Sciences</i>			
Any approved general education course(s) in the Natural Sciences area		4	
Total Credits		61-74	

¹ Recommended for students planning to transfer to a four-year university.