

CERTIFICATE IN FASHION DESIGN

(40 hrs. min.)

CIP: 50.0407

This program prepares students for employment in the fashion industry with a specialization in fashion design, pattern making and fashion marketing. Students should select all courses in consultation with an adviser. To schedule an advisement appointment, call (505) 428-1664.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

Upon completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Present sketches, patterns and finished garments demonstrating proficiency in fashion illustration – drawings skills, sewing, textiles, history of fashion, ethnic design and garment production.
- Design fashions that meet varied human physical needs applying the design process and principles, which include conceptualization, problem solving, drafting, construction and evaluation.
- Apply business principles, practices and ethics and apply these to fashion design. Internships are required.
- Create fashion design portfolios documenting fashion illustration/costume design, garment production/marketing and participation in fashion events.

CORE REQUIREMENTS: (34 HRS.)

DESN 120	Flat Pattern (3)
DESN 121	Patternmaking – Draping (3)
DESN 122	Advanced Flat Pattern (3)
DESN 130	Fashion Illustration (3)
DESN 150	History of Fashion (3)
DESN 160	Introduction to Fashion Design (3)
DESN 170	Textiles: Study of Fabrics (3)
DESN 240	Sample Design (3)
DESN 246	Portfolio (3)
DESN 260	Fashion Collection Studio (3)
DESN 280	Business Practices for Designers (3)
DESN 298	Internship (1)
[or]	
DESN 299	Cooperative Education (1)

CERTIFICATES

RELATED REQUIREMENTS: (3 HRS.)

ENGL 111 Composition and Rhetoric (3)

[or]

ENGL 119 Professional Communication (3)

APPROVED ELECTIVES: (3 HRS.)

Choose from the following:

DESN 113 Production Sewing (3)

DESN 123 Advanced Draping (3)

DESN 155 Costume Design and Production (3)

DESN 185L Trade Mart Field Trip (3)

DESN 217 Native American Design Studio (3)

DESN 248 Ethnic Design Studio (3)

[or]

DESN 117 Quill and Bead Design (1)

[and]

DESN 200L Design Lab (1) [May be repeated for certificate credit.]

[and]

DESN 298 Internship (1) [May be repeated for certificate credit.]

[or]

DESN 299 Cooperative Education (1) [May be repeated for certificate credit]

Note: See "College Success Course Requirement" on Page 8.

Fall Semester/12 Credits

Approved Elective (3)

DESN 150 History of Fashion (3)

DESN 170 Textiles: Study of Fabrics (3)

DESN 240 Sample Design (3)

Spring Semester/10 Credits

DESN 246 Portfolio (3)

DESN 260 Fashion Collection Studio (3)

DESN 280 Business Practices for Designers (3)

DESN 298 Internship (1)

[or]

DESN 299 Cooperative Education (1)

TOTAL 40 CREDITS MIN.

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE OF REQUIRED COURSES

Fall Semester/9 Credits

DESN 120 Flat Pattern (3)

DESN 130 Fashion Illustration (3)

ENGL 111 Composition and Rhetoric (3)

[or]

ENGL 119 Professional Communication (3)

Spring Semester/9 Credits

DESN 121 Patternmaking – Draping (3)

DESN 122 Advanced Flat Pattern (3)

DESN 160 Introduction to Fashion Design (3)