

PROGRAM PLANNING FAQ

This document is not comprehensive. It is the student's responsibility to consult the Art and Design website and Beartracks for complete program requirements and pre-/corequisite information.

General Reminders

- You must complete a minimum of 24 credits (eight 3-credit classes) in the Fall/Winter Session in order to stay in the program. For exceptions, please see website and consult with your advisor.
- You need a minimum 2.7 GPA in all courses taken in Fall/Winter Session for promotion to the next year of this program.
- Final-year requirements include a minimum 2.7 GPA on the last *27 taken toward the degree and Departmental recommendation.
- You need a minimum grade of B- (2.7) averaged between the relevant prerequisite courses in order to proceed to the next level. (See HADVC for exception)
- A minimum of 30 credits must be completed while registered in the BFA program.
- "Senior" level means 200-level courses or higher.

Studio Courses

- When taking 6 credit studio courses, you must register in the same section in both terms. e.g. ART 422A(C1) and 422B(C1), or DES 337A(A2) and 337B(A2).
- The 500-level ART (*12) and 300-level HADVC (*3) program requirements must be taken at the University of Alberta.

HADVC Courses

- You must complete at least two 200-level HADVC courses with a minimum grade of B- (2.7) in each to proceed to 300 level HADVC courses.
- HADVC 100 is not a prerequisite for HADVC 200-level classes.

ARTS/SCIENCE OPTIONS

- Arts and Science options are met with any courses within the Faculty of Arts or Faculty of Science except ART, DES or HADVC classes. The only exception is the Arts/Science option in final year (refer to checklist on other side).
- You may replace up to two of your Arts/Science options (6 credits) with courses from Faculties other than Arts or Science. (If you are doing your BFA as an after degree, you do not have this option.)

GRAD SHOW ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility requirements for the BFA Grad Show at the end of each Winter term are:

- complete at least one 300-level or 400-level HADVC course by the end of Winter term
- complete at least 12* of 500-level ART courses by the end of Winter term
- finish all other degree requirements by the end of the following Fall term

Courses by Category

★ = credit

Introductory Courses 15 ★

ART 136 (or ART 134)	3 ★
DES 138 (or DES 135)	3 ★
ART 137 (or ART/DES 3xx or higher)	3 ★
DES 139 (or ART/DES 3xx or higher)	3 ★
ART 240	3 ★

Senior Studio Courses 57 ★

ART 340	3 ★
ART 3xx or higher	24 ★ i.e. 8 courses
ART or DES 3xx or higher	18 ★ i.e. 6 courses
ART 5xx	12 ★ i.e. 4 courses

HADVC 21 ★

HADVC 1xx or higher	6 ★ i.e. 2 courses
HADVC 206, 226, 246, 256, or 257	3 ★
HADVC 2xx or higher	9 ★ i.e. 3 courses
HADVC 3xx or higher	3 ★

English and Options 27 ★

ENGL 1xx or higher	6 ★ i.e. 2 courses
Art/Sci option 1xx or higher	9 ★ i.e. 3 courses
Art/Sci option 2xx or higher	6 ★ i.e. 2 courses
Art/Sci option 2xx or higher OR HADVC 4xx	6 ★ i.e. 2 courses