

Graphic Design

Academic Certificate

Transfer Program

This occupational program prepares graduates to meet the challenges of graphic design and related professions. The curriculum aims to equip students with the skills, knowledge, and abilities necessary to enter the job market. The broad range of media used to implement creative and aesthetic solutions includes work in print advertising, packaging, and a variety of electronic media including computer graphics and the Internet. This program applies toward the requirements for an associate of applied science degree in Graphic Design and an associate of applied science degree in Web Design.

For advising and more program information contact Instructor Philippe Valle: pfvalle@nic.edu.

Program Requirements

First Semester

Course No.	Title	Credits
ENGL-101	English Composition	3
GDES-101	History of Graphic Design	2
GDES-112	Drawing for Designers	2
GDES-120	Typography	2
GDES-130	Introduction to Apple Operating Systems (Mac OS)	1
GDES-131	Adobe Illustrator-Vector Graphics	3
GDES-132	Adobe Photoshop-Raster Graphics	3
GDES-133	Adobe InDesign-Layout and Composition	3
GDES-134	Acrobat Dynamic PDF	2
GDES-140	Internet Fundamentals	2
GDES-221	Graphic Design I	3
MATH-025	Elementary Algebra (or higher)	3
		Total Credits (minimum) 29