# Web Design and Media Arts 

Program: Art Transfer<br>Program Code:<br>AT_ATM<br>Academic Area:<br>Arts and Humanities<br>Type:<br>Associate in Arts<br>CIP Code:<br>50.0401

## Program Statement

This program provides students with the necessary foundation to enter the job market directly for careers in web design, user-interface design and media arts, or to transfer to a four-year BFA program including communication design, graphic design and interactive design programs that include specializations in these disciplines. Course work emphasizes both the creative process and the technical requirements of the field. Students develop a professionallevel portfolio showcasing their visual communication skills as well as their grasp of industry-standard design technology.

## Program Information

- Students develop their creative and technical potential while building a strong portfolio for use in transferring or directly towards the job market.
- Classes use industry-standard software and hardware in dedicated design computer labs and studios. Faculty are all designers and artists whose current professional practice informs their teaching.
- The program offers a strong personalized support system for students with a program-specific advisor and the opportunity to begin building a professional network with classmates and faculty.
- This degree can be completed at any of the following campuses: Fall River, New Bedford, and Online (synchronous).


## Additional information

- Full-time students should take 3 studio courses per semester. ART 101 should be taken in your first semester; ART 201 should be taken in your final year as you prepare for transfer and the workforce. Advanced studio courses require prerequisites or faculty permission to enroll. Embedded tutors and program-specific tutors can help support skill-development in mastering digital technologies.
- Consult with your program-specific advisor when developing your course schedule each semester for sequencing and selecting courses to best support your goals. Your advisor can also help with dual enrollment as appropriate to prepare you to transfer for a related discipline.


## After Bristol

Graduates prepare for careers in design and marketing firms, advertising agencies, as well as in-house creative departments, as well as for freelance work in web design and related fields. Students may also transfer to four-year BFA programs in graphic design, communication design, and advertising design, as well as related disciplines including industrial design, architecture and art education, photography, and industrial design.

## Infused General Education Competencies

Ethical Dimensions, Historical Awareness, Multicultural Perspective, Oral Communication

## Degree Requirements

General Courses

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ART 106 | Survey of Art History II: Modern Art | 3 |
| ART 205 | Topics in Contemporary Art | 3 |
| CIS 122 | Internet Developer | 3 |
| ENG 101 | Composition I: College Writing | 3 |
| ENG 102 | Composition II: Writing about Literature | 3 |

## Elective Courses

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Scientific Reasoning and Discovery Elective - Lab | 4 |
|  | Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning Elective | 3 |

## Studio Foundation

| Course $\#$ | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ART 101 | Visual Art Colloquium | 1 |
| ART 111 | Drawing I | 3 |
| ART 121 | Two-Dimensional Design | 3 |
| ART 151 | Digital Photography | 1 |
| ART 260 | Computer Graphics | 3 |
| ART 271 | Web Design I | 3 |
| ART 280 | Electronic Imaging | 3 |

## Advanced Studio

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ART 201 | Careers in the Visual Arts | 2 |
| ART 261 | Graphic Design I | 3 |
| ART 266 | Typography Design | 3 |
| ART 272 | Web Design II | 3 |
| ART 273 | Advanced Web Design Studio | 3 |

## Program Electives

Choose three electives based on your choice of concentration and your goals or an ART course approved by the program coordinator.

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Program Electives | 9 |
| Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 1 |  |  |
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| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| ART 101 | Visual Art Colloquium | 1 |
| ART 111 | Drawing I | 3 |
| ART 121 | Two-Dimensional Design | 3 |
| ART 260 | Computer Graphics | 3 |
| CS 122 | Internet Developer | 3 |
| ENG 101 | Composition I: College Writing | 3 |

## Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 2

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ART 106 | Survey of Art History II: Modern Art | 3 |
| ART 151 | Digital Photography | 1 |
| ART 271 | Web Design I | 3 |
| ART 280 | Electronic Imaging | 3 |
| ENG 102 | Composition II: Writing about Literature | 3 |

## Recommended Course Sequence - Summer

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## Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 3

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Program Elective | 3 |
| ART 201 | Careers in the Visual Arts | 2 |
| ART 205 | Topics in Contemporary Art | 3 |
| ART 261 | Graphic Design I | 3 |
| ART 266 | Typography Design | 3 |
| ART 272 | Web Design II | 3 |

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 4

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Program Elective | 3 |
| ART 273 | Program Elective | 3 |
|  | Advanced Web Design Studio | 3 |
|  | Scientific Reasoning and Discovery Elective - Lab | 4 |
|  | Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning Elective | 3 |
|  | Total credits: | $\mathbf{6 5}$ |

## Category Descriptions

## Scientific Reasoning and Discovery Elective - Lab

Credits: 4
Choose one Scientific Reasoning and Discovery elective. (4 Credits)

## Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning Elective

Credits: 3
Choose one Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning elective.

## Program Electives

## Credits: 9

Choose three electives based on your choice of concentration and your goals or an ART course approved by the program coordinator.

| Course \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ART 251 | Photography II: Digital | 3 |
| ART 281 | Web Animation | 3 |
| ART 282 | Character Animation | 3 |
| ART 285 | Motion Graphics | 3 |
| ART 292 | Design Studio | 3 |
| INT 210 | Internship Experience I | 3 |


[^0]:    Consider taking Gen Ed or studio courses to reduce semester load.

