

## Recommended Sequence of Courses

**Program of Study:** Graphic Design

**Department:** Computer Studies

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**Effective:** Spring 2012

Course Number	Course Title	Units
<b>First Semester</b>		
CS 70.11A	Adobe Photoshop 1	3.0
CS 72.11A	Adobe InDesign I	3.0
GD 51	Introduction to Graphic Design: Visual Basics	3.0
GD 52	Rapid Viz: Drawing Techniques for the Designer	1.5
<b>First Semester Unit Total:</b>		<b>10.5</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
GD 20	Typography and Letterforms	3.0
GD 53	Design Techniques in Illustrator	3.0
GD 55	Tools, Methods and Materials	3.0
GD 56	Digital Illustration in Photoshop	1.5
GD 63	Online Resources for the Graphic Designer	1.5
<b>Second Semester Unit Total:</b>		<b>12.0</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>		
GD 15	History of Graphic Design	3.0
GD 54	Beginning Page Layout and Advertising Design	3.0
GD 59	Package Design Techniques	3.0
GD 60	Creating the Professional Portfolio	1.5
GD 65	The Business of Graphic Design	1.5
<b>Third Semester Unit Total:</b>		<b>12.0</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		
GD 57	Digital Prepress and Print Production	3.0
GD 58	Advanced Page Layout and Advertising Design	3.0
GD 61	Color in the Digital World	3.0
<b>Fourth Semester Unit Total:</b>		<b>9.0</b>
<b>Minimum units to meet certificate requirements:</b>		<b>43.5</b>
<b>Minimum units to meet major requirements:</b>		<b>43.5</b>
Notes:	<b>Minimum units to meet AA degree requirements: 60.0</b>	