

Interdisciplinary Master's in Art, Media and Design (MA/MFA/MDes) – 2026/2027 Program Guide

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS — FULL-TIME PROGRAM

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT
Students must take 1.5 elective credits. Electives may be taken at any time during the program, although it is suggested students take one elective per term for the first three terms or take several electives during the spring/summer term (<i>*see note below</i>).		1.5 credits
YEAR ONE – FALL TERM		
IAMD-6011	Directed Studio 1	1.0 credit
IAMD-6022	Critical Theory Seminar	0.5 credit
IAMD-6023	Contemporary Research Methods	0.5 credit
YEAR ONE – WINTER TERM		
IAMD-6020	Directed Studio 2	1.0 credit
YEAR ONE – SPRING/SUMMER TERM		
IAMD-6018 OR IAMD-6019	MFA/MDes Individual Studio MA Individual Studio	0.5 credit
YEAR TWO – FALL TERM		
IAMD-6017	Advanced Studio	0.5 credit
IAMD-6024	Writing as Praxis	0.5 credit
YEAR TWO – WINTER TERM		
IAMD-6901 OR IAMD-6902	Thesis: MFA/MDes Thesis: MA	2.0 credits
Total Course Credits:		8.0 credits

* Electives can be any graduate-level course at the 5000 or 6000 level. Please refer to the course catalog for available courses and consult the Graduate Studies Support Site for information on applying for Residency, Field Placement and Independent Study.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS — PART-TIME PROGRAM

Part-time students must take the courses below in the term specified.

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT
YEAR ONE – FALL TERM		
IAMD-6022	Critical Theory Seminar	0.5 credit
IAMD-6023	Contemporary Research Methods	0.5 credit
YEAR ONE – WINTER TERM		
Level 5000/6000	Elective**	0.5 credit
YEAR ONE – SPRING/SUMMER TERM		
Level 5000/6000	Electives**	1.0 credit
YEAR TWO – FALL TERM		
IAMD-6011	Directed Studio 1	1.0 credit
YEAR TWO – WINTER TERM		
IAMD-6020	Directed Studio 2	1.0 credit
YEAR TWO – SPRING/SUMMER TERM		
IAMD-6018 OR IAMD-6019	MFA/MDES Individual Studio MA Individual Studio	0.5 credit
YEAR THREE – FALL TERM		
IAMD-6017	Advanced Studio	0.5 credit
IAMD-6024	Writing as Praxis	0.5 credit
YEAR THREE – WINTER TERM		
IAMD-6901 OR IAMD-6902	Thesis: MFA/MDes Thesis: MA	2.0 credits
Total Course Credits:		8.0 credits

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