

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN FASHION DESIGN

• Core & Elective Courses: 141 Semester Credits • Per credit tuition: \$135

The Bachelor of Arts in Fashion Design (BAFD) is a 36 month, 9 semester, 141 credit hour program that has been designed to provide education across the many facets of the garment industry. The curriculum follows professional and technical American standards. The program has a mix of both technical and management courses. A **capstone course** project is required for this degree program.

The normal duration of the BAFD program is three years or nine semesters. It requires the full-time student to successfully complete five courses or 15 credits per semester.

This degree program is open to all persons who have successfully completed a secondary/high school education or its equivalent (or, hold their GED). This degree program is delivered through distance learning.

GENERAL EDUCATION

(36 semester credits)

COURSE	CREDITS
SOCIAL SCIENCES (SELECT 9 CREDITS)	
AN 1050* UAE Society	3
IR 1010 Introduction to International Relations	3
MG 3520* Public Speaking	3
MG 4080* Business Communication	3
PS 1010 Psychology	3
SO 1010 Sociology	3
HUMANITIES & FINE ARTS (SELECT 9 CREDITS)	
AB 1010 Elementary Arabic	3
EN 1011* English Writing	3
EN 1021* Functional Grammar	3
IS 1100* Islamic Studies –or–Ethics	3
PH 1010 Introduction to Philosophy	3
SCIENCE (SELECT 9 CREDITS)	
BI 1010 Biology	6
CH 1010 Chemistry	6
GL 1010 Introduction to Geology	3
PY 1010 Introduction to Physics	3
MATHEMATICS (SELECT 9 CREDITS)	
MA 1000 Basic Mathematics	3
MA 1010 College Algebra	6
MA 1020 Introduction to Statistics	3
MA 2060 Business Math	3

(*) Compulsory General Education Courses

DEGREE CONCENTRATION*(66 semester credits)*

COURSE		CREDITS
FA 1010	Introduction to Fashion	3
FD 1020	Color and Design	3
FD 2010	Pattern Drafting I	3
FD 2011	Pattern Drafting II	3
FD 2012	Pattern Drafting III	3
FD 2013	Pattern Drafting IV	3
FD 2014	Digital Pattern Drafting (Pre-requisite: FD 2013)	3
FD 2030	Quality Assurance in Textiles and Apparel	3
FD 2041	Twentieth Century Fashion	3
FD 3010	Introduction to Fabrics	3
FD 3012	Textile Design I	3
FD 3010	History of Fashion	3
FD 2043	Textile Design II (Pre-requisite: FD 3012)	3
FD 3014	Textile Design III (Pre-requisite: FD 3013)	3
FD 3015	Textile Design IV (Pre-requisite: FD 3014)	3
FD 3311	Fashion Illustration I	3
FD 3312	Fashion Illustration II (Pre-requisite: FD 3311)	3
FD 3313	Fashion Illustration III (Pre-requisite: FD 3312)	3
FD 3410	Life Drawing	3
FD 4020	Fashion Accessories	3
FD 4100	Fashion Merchandising	3
FD 4990	Graduate Fashion Show	3

ELECTIVES*(30 semester credits)*

FD 2020	Draping I	3
FD 2021	Draping II (Pre-requisite: FD 2020)	3
FD 2022	Draping III (Pre-requisite: FD 2021)	3
FD 2023	Draping IV (Pre-requisite: FD 2023)	3
FD 3011	Advanced Fabric Studies	3
FD 3030	Surface Ornamentation	3
FD 3110	Garment Construction I	3
FD 3111	Garment Construction II (Pre-requisite: FD 3110)	3
FD 3610	Fashion Photography	3
FD 4200	New Product Development	3

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY*(6 semester credits)*

IT 1090	Computer Applications	3
IT 2692	Computer-Aided Design (Pre-requisite: IT 1090)	3

CAPSTONE COURSE*(3 semester credits)*

FD 4995	Internship	3
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TOTAL REQUIREMENT: 141 SEMESTER CREDITS