



Bachelor of Science in Graphic Communications Technology 2 years Harper College + 2 years Illinois State University

Course Sequence

Note: This plan is based on the Harper 2019-2020 Catalog with an A.A.S. in Graphic Arts Technology degree and the ISU 2019-2020 Undergraduate Catalog with a B.S. in Graphic Communications degree.

1st Year Harper

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ART 121 Design 1	3	ENG 102 Composition II (or SPE 101 for COM 110)	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	GRA 105 Color Management	3
GRA 101 Introduction to Graphic Arts Technology	3	GRA 112 Digital Illustration I	3
GRA 102 Graphic Arts Desktop Publishing	3	GRA 130 Introduction to Photography	2
GRA 103 Digital Imaging I	3	MTH 124 Finite Mathematics (math elec)	3
		PSY 101 Intro to Psych (social science elec)	3
	Credits 15		Credits 17

2nd Year ICC

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
GRA 111 Press Operations	3	GRA Specialty Course Sequences for Graphic Design; Print Graphics; and Package Design (GRA Web Design Specialty is excluded from the agreement)	
GRA 120 Graphic Design I	3		
GRA 229 Page Layout	3		
GRA 145 WordPress & Mobile Technologies	3		
§ IAI Humanities elective (College World Cultures)	3		
	Credits 16		Credits 15-18

3rd Year ISU

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
TEC 351 Cross Media Technology	3	§ COM 110 Communication as Critical Inquiry (or ENG 145 if taken SPE 101)	3
MQM 100 Statistical Reasoning	3	TEC 116 Technical Drawing	3
TEC 100 Introduction to Tech	1	TEC 270 Managing Technological Systems	3
TEC 151 Intro to Computer Systems Tech.	3	*TEC 352 Prepress Technology	3
Social and Behavior Science (IAI) 200+	3	§ IAI Life Science	3
§ CHE 102 Chemistry & Society	3	Social and Behavior Science (IAI) 200+	3
	Credits 16		Credits 18

4th Year ISU

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
TEC 313 Quality Sys. For Technology	3	TEC 330 Applied Econ. Analysis for Tech	3
*TEC 354 Print Production Planning & Profit	3	TEC 356 Graph Comm. Business Practices	3
TEC 320 Project Management	3	*TEC 358 E-Publishing Management	3
§ Fine Arts (IAI)	3	§ PHY 105 Fundamentals of Physics	4
TEC 350 Package Design & Production	3	§ Humanities or Fine Arts (IAI)	3
	Credits 15		Credits 16

- See ISU or ICC advisor for approved IAI lists.
- The Harper College GRA Web Design Specialty is excluded from the agreement.
- The Science, Math, and Technology requirement for the BS Degree will be met with the completion of TEC 313.
- The AMALI course requirement can be met with a Social and Behavioral IAI course and is required for graduation.
- A minimum of 42 Senior College Hours and 120 total hours are required for graduation.
- § Equivalent may be taken at Harper during summers or in addition to A.A.S. degree
- *require a "B" grade or better to allow Technology Proficiency Credit for GRA 111, 229 as Senior level hour