Course Equivalencies for the Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT)
Visiting Student Program

Students take classes as they appear in the FIT catalog for the One-Year Associate (AAS) Degree Program in Fashion Design Major (FD) or Fashion Business Management Major (FM). The FIT courses are presented below along with the K-State transfer equivalency. Students considering other majors should consult the academic advisor and the FIT liaison.

Fashion Design Major				
https://catalog.fitnyc.edu/undergraduate/majors/oneyearassociatedegreeprograms/fashiondesignmajor/				
The Fashion Design one year AAS program offers qualified students the opportunity to prepare for positions as designers, assistant designers, technical designers, or stylists. Through the application of design knowledge and experiential learning, the students develop their unique sense of aesthetics. Successful students will be able to adapt and apply their acquired knowledge to the evolving fashion industry, related design fields, and other creative careers.				

Semester 1	FIT Courses	Cred	K-State Equivalency	Credits
MAJOR AREA	FD 113 Apparel Design: Structured Silhouettes	4	URE 200-level	4
	FD 114 Apparel Design: Soft Silhouettes	3	FASH 695 if on 2020 & prior curriculum	3
	FD 135 Material and Construction	3	URE 200-level	3
	FF 113 Fashion Art & Design	5	FASH 400 Fashion Illustration	3+2
	FF 115 Digital Fashion Design Studio 1	2	+FF 242 = FASH 610 CAD of Fashion	2+2
RELATED AREA	FA 105 Life Drawing*	1.5	+FF 114 = ART 325 Figure Drawing I	3
Semester 2				
MAJOR AREA	*Apparel Specialization:*			
	FD 227 Design Studio IV: Advanced Draping	3	URE 400-level	3
	FD 243 Apparel Design Studio - Patternmaking	3	FASH 655 Apparel Pattern Development I	3
	FD 242 Digital Fashion Design Studio II	2	+FF 115 = FASH 610 CAD of Apparel	2+2
	FF 114 Model Drawing I for Fashion Designers	1	+FF 114 = ART 325 Figure Drawing I	3
	FF 212 Visual Design Concepts IV	2	FASH 499 or URE	2
or	*Art Specialization:*			
	FD 242 Digital Fashion Design Studio II	2	+FF 115 = FASH 610 CAD of Apparel	2+2
	FD 243 Apparel Design Studio - Patternmaking	3	FASH 655 Apparel Pattern Development I	3
	FF 213 Model Visualization Techniques	1	URE 300-level	1
	FF 291 Fashion Portfolio Collection	2	FASH 499 or URE	1.5
	FF 244 Design Collections: Visual Solutions	2	FASH 499 or URE	2
RELATED AREA	TS 131 Textile Principles for the Fashion Designer	3	URE 200-level	3
	CL 112 Faces and Places in Fashion	2	FASH 650 Study Tour or URE	2
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS				
	MAJOR AREA (Apparel)	28		
	MAJOR AREA (Art)	27		
	RELATED AREA	6.5		
	TOTAL Minimum Required			
	Apparel	34.5		
	Art	33.5		

*Related Area Electives: 1.5 credits (minimum). FA 105 Life Drawing (1.5 cr.), or CHOICE of another Fine Arts course.
URE = Unrestricted Elective

Fashion Business Management Major

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One-Year Associates Degree Program; includes Visiting Student Program. he major in Fashion Business Management provides students with the knowledge and skills necessary for assuming positions in the merchandising industry in areas such as buying, sales, product development, creative fashion presentation, retail management, and marketing.

Semester 1	FIT Courses	Credits	K-State Equivalency	Credi
	FM 108 First Year Experience 1	3	URE 100-level	3
	FM 110 Product Elements and Principles	2	URE 100-level	2
	TS 110 Product Elements and Principles Lab	1	URE 100-level	1
	FM 116 Fashion Business Practices	3	URE 200-level	3
	FM 203 Business Intelligence in Planning& Buying	3	FASH 576 Principles of Buying	3
	FM 245 Fashion Forecasting for Merchandisers	3	FASH 575 Principles of Forecasting	3
	Choice: RELATED AREA Elective**	1.5-3		
Semester 2				
	FM 109 First Year Experience II	3	URE 100-level	3
	FM 204 Innovation in Product Development	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 205 Fashion Marketing and Digital Technology	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 206 Strategies of Merchandising	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 207 Retail Strategies	3	FASH 325 Fashion Retailing	3
	Choice: See MAJOR Area Elective*	3		
TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS				
	MAJOR AREA	32		
	RELATED AREA	2.5-4		
	TOTAL CREDITS	34.5-36		

*MAJOR AREA ELECTIVES: Choice of One course.				
	FM 144 Product Knowledge for Merchandising	3	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	3
	FM 201 Social Media Applications for Fashion Bus	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 212 Case Studies in Fashion Marketing	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 213 Direct & Digital Marketing for Fash Bus	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 222 Import Buying	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 223 Creative Fashion Presentations	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 226 International Buying & Marketing	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 228 The Business of Fashion Styling	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 231 Strategies of Selling	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
	FM 251 Small Store Fashion Retailing	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3
**RELATED AREA ELECTIVES: Choice of One course.				
	AC 111 Advertising and Promotion	3	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	3
	AC 141 Introduction to Journalism	3	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	3
	AC 171 Mass Communications	3	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	3
	AR 101 Fashion Art and Design	1.5	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	1.5
	AR 115 Intro to CAD software for Fash Designers	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	DE 101 Princ. of Display & Exhib. Design: Small	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	HD 111 Career Planning	3	URE or Prof Elec 400-level	3
	HP 201 Into. to Home Products	3	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	3
	IC 297 AAS Internship C: Career Exploration	3	URE or Prof Elec 400-level	6
	ID 103 Interior Design Merchandising	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	JD 101 Intro to Jewelry Fabrication	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	PH 118 Beginning Digital Photography	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	PH 162 Photographic Styling	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	TD 112 Textile Color Fundamentals	2	URE or Prof Elec 200-level	2
	TS 215 The History of Textile Trade & Technology	2	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	2
	TT 261 Performance Textiles	3	URE or Prof Elec 300-level	3

URE = Unrestricted Elective. Prof Elec = Fashion Professional Elective.