CHECKLIST FOR GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN GRAPHIC DESIGN (EVEN START)

Minimum of 124 credit hours required for graduation

Belhaven UNIVERSITY

Name _____

ID# _____

General Education	37 hours
Major	78 hours
General Electives	9 hours
Total	124 hours

FRESHMAN YEAR (FALL):

BIB 220 Exploring the Old Testament	(3)	_____
BU 101 or 102 BU Basics/Transfer Success	(1)	_____
ENG 101 Freshman English I	(3)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 120 Drawing I	(3)	_____
ART 125 Perspectives in Art	(3)	_____
ART 241 Intro to Digital Photography	(3)	_____
Total:	**16**	

FRESHMAN YEAR (SPRING):

BIB 221 Exploring the New Testament	(3)	_____
ENG 102 Freshman English II	(3)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 121 Drawing II	(3)	_____
ART 128 3-D Design, Tools, & Materials	(3)	_____
ART 130 Design I	(3)	_____
Total:	**15**	

SOPHOMORE YEAR (FALL):

ENG 225 Ancient Literature to Enlightenment	(3)	_____
HIS 225 Ancient History to Enlightenment	(3)	_____
HUM 225 Biblical Themes I	(1)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 131 Design II	(3)	_____
GDS 110 Introduction to Graphic Design	(3)	_____
ELE 001 General Elective	(3)	_____
Total:	**16**	

SOPHOMORE YEAR (SPRING):

ENG 226 Lit from Enlightenment to 21st Cent	(3)	_____
HIS 226 Hist from Enlightenment to 21st Cent	(3)	_____
HUM 226 Biblical Themes II	(1)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
MAT 110 Concepts of Mathematics	(3)	_____
GDS 112 Graphic Design Processes	(3)	_____
GDS 114 Typography	(3)	_____
Total:	**16**	

Transfer students take WVC 302 instead of HUM 225 and 226

JUNIOR YEAR (FALL):

BIO GEN General Education Science	(4)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 360 World Art	(3)	_____
ART ELE001 Art Studio Elective	(3)	_____
GDS 210 Studio I: Trademarks & Identity	(3)	_____
ELE 002 General Elective	(3)	_____
Total:	**16**	

JUNIOR YEAR (SPRING):

ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 441 Digital Photo. Commercial Lighting	(3)	_____
BUS 327 Small Business Management	(3)	_____
GDS 211 Studio II: Design from the Grid	(3)	_____
GDS 300 History of Graphic Design	(3)	_____
PHI 275 Aesthetics	(3)	_____
Total:	**15**	

SENIOR YEAR (FALL):

ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART ELE002 Art Studio Elective	(3)	_____
GDS 310 Studio III: Design Firm Processes	(3)	_____
GDS 320 Web Design & Interactive Media	(3)	_____
GDS 440 Portfolio & Résumé Development	(3)	_____
ELE 003 General Elective	(3)	_____
Total:	**15**	

SENIOR YEAR (SPRING):

WVC 401 Kingdom Life	(3)	_____
ART 105 Practicum Seminar	(0)	_____
ART 461 Western Art III	(3)	_____
GDS 412 Senior Internship	(6)	_____
ART ELE003 Art Studio Elective	(3)	_____
Total:	**15**	

GDS Elective Options
GDS 350 Character & Object Design (Fall)
GDS 400 Concepts and Storyboarding (Spring)
GDS 488 Intro to Animation (Fall)

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