



The Digital Communication Level II Certificate in Digital Photography Specialization provides training in the field of graphic imaging. Students will learn camera and associated equipment operation, image manipulation and production, photographic business management, and design and concept development. They will study photographic techniques for illustrative, photojournalistic and portraiture presentations. Students will also learn how to develop a professional website while they build a portfolio for entry into the workforce.

Pending approval of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board

Level 2 Certificate • Digital Photography Specialization • 2009/2011 Program

Suggested First Semester

Course	Course Name	Credits
LEAD 1200	Workforce Development with Critical Thinking	2
ARTC 1305	Basic Graphic Design *	3
ARTC 1325	Introduction of Computer Graphics*	3
ARTC 1302	Digital Imaging I * (<i>Photoshop</i>)	3
PHTC 1311	Fundamentals of Photography	3
Total Semester Hours		14

Suggested Second Semester

Course	Course Name	Credits
ARTC 2311	History of Communication Graphics	3
ARTS 2356	Photography I - Film/Wet Studio	3
ARTC 2305	Digital Imaging II (<i>was ARTC 2340 Computer Illustration II, before fall 2009</i>)	3
PHTC 1353	Portraiture I	3
Total Semester Hours		12

Suggested Third Semester

Course	Course Name	Credits
PHTC 1345	Illustrative Photography	3
PHTC 1351	Photojournalism I	3
ARTC 1353	Computer Illustration (<i>Adobe Illustrator</i>)	3
ARTC 2313	Digital Publishing II (<i>Adobe InDesign</i>)	3
IMED 1316	Web Page Design I (<i>Hand coding HTML/CSS</i>)	3
Total Semester Hours		15

Suggested Fourth Semester

Course	Course Name	Credits
PHTC 2340	Photographic Studio Management	3
ITSE 2313	Web Authoring (<i>Dreamweaver</i>)	3
IMED 2388	Internship-Digital Communication and Media/Multimedia	3
PHTC 2343	Portfolio Development (<i>Capstone Class</i>)	3
Total Semester Hours		12

Program Total Hours

53

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