

<b>Degree:</b> Bachelor of Fine Arts	<b>Credits required for degree:</b>	<b>128</b>
<b>Major:</b> Fashion Design	<b>Credits required in major:</b>	<b>81</b>

See how you can complete this degree in **6 semesters**.\*

This example is for planning purposes only.

1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>
22-1925 Making for Transfers	3	22-1105 Intro to Visual Culture	3
22-196* or 22-197 Foundation Skills	3	27-1100 Intro to Fashion Industry	3
27-1000 Fashion Foundations	3	27-2121 Textiles Survey	3
27-1600 Garment Construction I	3	27-1606 Apparel Studio I	3
27-1603 Fashion Illustration I	3	27-1710 Fashion Design Studio I	3
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>12</b>
27-2176 Contemporary Fashion	3	27-3115 Apparel Evaluation	3
27-2602 Garment Construction II	3	22-196* or 22-197 Foundation Skills	3
27-2606 Apparel Studio II	3	27-3606 Apparel Studio III	3
27-2710 Fashion Design Studio II	3	27-3710 Fashion Design Studio III	3
27-ELEC Fashion Design Elective	3		
5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>	<b>12</b>
27-3720 Fashion Design Studio IV	3	27-3640 Digital patternmaking	3
27-3740 Fashion Design: Production to Showroom	3	27-3770 Fashion Design Sr Thesis	6
27-3175 Fashion History: Global Perspectives	3	27-ELEC Fashion Design Elective	3
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A College-Wide Elective (CWE) is any course that you will not use to complete your LAS Core, major, or any minor. You can choose CWEs from any department or program if you have met the course's requirements.

For Concentration courses or Major Electives, choose from the list for your major in the course catalog.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12 through 16 credits per semester. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000-level or higher) LAS (6 credits) courses.

\*This planning tool is calculated assuming the following: you will transfer in 60 total credits, you have completed all of your Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) Core requirements, and you will not transfer in any major requirements. You may be able to shorten the time it takes to complete this degree by transferring in applicable major courses. Please visit [Transferology.com](http://Transferology.com) for information on individual course equivalencies. Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12 through 16 credits per semester. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000-level or higher) LAS (6 credits) courses. Except for Writing Intensive, these requirements may be met in transfer.

**Special notes for transfer students: Students wishing to pursue the BFA program must apply in the Fashion Studies Department.**

Due to the sequential nature of the BFA in Fashion Design, 6 semesters are required at Columbia College Chicago to complete this program. Some transfer students may require less than 6 semesters if they are transferring in applicable coursework in Fashion Design. Columbia also offers a BA degree in Fashion Design as an alternative option for transfer students who are looking to graduate sooner.