

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	Documentary	Credits required in major:	48
Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:			8

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
MEDI 101 Cinematic Storytelling	3	CINE 265 Documentary Production I	3
MEDI 102 Cinema and Television Production	3	Select One Major Elective (CRWR 160, JOUR 102, PHOT 101)	3
CINE 148 Introduction to Documentary	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I	3	College-Wide Elective	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
CINE 266 Documentary Storytelling	3	CINE 273 Documentary Sound	3
CINE 272 Documentary Cinematography	3	TELE 357 Documenting Social Injustice	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
CINE 335 Editing the Documentary	3	CINE 427 Producing the Documentary	3
CINE 477 Documentary Projects	3	Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Select one Studies In Documentary Elective	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
7th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	14
MEDI 480A Documentary Practicum I	4	MEDI 483 Documentary Practicum II	4
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
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Notes on the Four-Year Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.

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Major:	Documentary	Credits required in major:	48
Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:			4

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
MEDI 101 Cinematic Storytelling	3	CINE 265 Documentary Production I	3
MEDI 102 Cinema and Television Production	3	CINE 266 Documentary Storytelling	3
CINE 148 Introduction to Documentary	3	CINE 271 Documentary Cinematography	3
Select One Major Elective (CRWR 160, JOUR 102, PHOT 101)	3	CINE 273 Documentary Sound	3
College-Wide Elective	3	Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	14
TELE 357 Documenting Social Injustice	3	MEDI 483 Documentary Practicum II	4
CINE 335 Editing the Documentary	3	Select one Studies In Documentary Elective	3
CINE 477 Documentary Projects	3	College-Wide Elective	3
CINE 427 Producing the Documentary	3	College-Wide Elective	3
MEDI 480A Documentary Practicum I	4	College-Wide Elective	1

Notes on the Transfer Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan assumes a student is starting at Columbia with a **minimum of 60 credits in transfer** and the completion of the Essential LAS Core Requirements. **This degree plan is a suggested sequence only.** Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

*Transfer Students will need to request a course authorization for permission to take MEDI 480A concurrently with pre-requisites.

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.