

Four Year Plan
Columbia College Chicago
Academic Year 2015-16



Department: **Interactive Arts & Media**
Degree: **Bachelor of Arts**
Major: **Mobile Media Programming**

Total credits required for degree: **120**
Total credits required in the major: **45**

Number of semesters to degree completion: ¹: **8**
Example for planning purposes only

1st Semester (15 Credits)	2nd Semester (15 Credits)
36-1010 Computational Media Development (3cr) 36-1300 Digital Image Design (3cr) 36-1501 Introduction to Programming (3cr) 52-11*1 Writing and Rhetoric I (EN) * (3cr) 48-11** First-Semester Experience (3cr)	36-2600 Object Oriented Programming (3cr) 36-1420 Scripting for Web and Mobile (3cr) 52-11*2 Writing and Rhetoric II (EN)* (3cr) LAS (MA)* (3cr) LAS (OC) (3cr)
3rd Semester (15 Credits)	4th Semester (15 Credits)
36-2601 Authoring Interactive Media (3cr) 36-1000 Interactive Culture (3cr) OR 36-1100 Game Culture (3cr) 52-2801 Writing for the Workplace (WI)* (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr) LAS (Science) (3cr)	36-3100 Interaction Design (3cr) 36-2602 Introduction to IAM Team Development (3cr) LAS (Humanities) (3cr) LAS (Literature) (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr)
5th Semester (15 Credits)	6th Semester (15 Credits)
36-3110 Interaction Design II (3cr) 40-2803 Culture, Race, and Media (SS, PL)* LAS (History) (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr)	36-2421 Scripting for Web and Mobile II (3cr) 36-**** IAM Elective (see list) (3cr) LAS (Social Sciences) (3cr) LAS (History) (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr)
7th Semester (15 Credits)	8th Semester (15 Credits)
36-**** IAM Elective (see list) (3cr) LAS (Humanities) (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr) CWE (3cr) CWE (3cr)	36-3600 IAM Team (6cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr) CWE OR Course in Minor (3cr) LAS (SL) (3cr)

* recommended LAS course.

¹ Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12-16 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 core courses (6 credits).

Electives (choose 6 credits)**(6 Credits)**

36-3405	Authoring Interactive Media II	(3)
36-3430	Programming Content Mngmt. Systems	(3)
36-3444	Emergent Web Technologies	(3)
36-3520	Programming Data Design	(3)
36-3611	Application Design	(3)
36-3690	McCarthy Technologies BootCamp	(3)
or 36-3690J	McCarthy Technologies BootCamp	(3)
52-2801	Writing for the Workplace (WI)	(3)

This major is intended to be complemented by a minor; it is highly recommended that Mobile Media Programming majors pursue a minor in Marketing, Public Relations, Creative Advertising, or Professional Writing.

Key:

LAS – Liberal Arts and Sciences core requirements must total 42 or more credits

CWE - College-wide electives - Choose from any course in Columbia’s catalog for which you have met requisites.

NOTES:

- This four year plan is based on the degree requirements effective Fall 2015. Students who started prior to or after the Fall 2015 semester may have different overall degree requirements. Please consult with your advisors.
- Low enrollment or other issues may prevent a course from being offered in a certain semester. Please consult with your advisor if you are unable to register for a course that you need to graduate.
- Please consult individual course descriptions in the school catalog to determine any pre-requisites, co-requisites, or other requirements necessary to take the course. (The course catalog is available at <http://catalog.colum.edu/>)
- College Wide Elective courses may be additional IAM courses, LAS courses, minor requirements, or any courses bearing credits toward the overall graduation requirements.
- Please consult with your IAM faculty advisor yearly to insure you are taking the correct courses in the correct sequence.
- **Although it is possible to take multiple programming language classes in the same semester, it may be confusing to learn two different languages at the same time** (it would be similar to learning Spanish and German for the first time in the same semester). **This compressed plan requires multiple language courses to be taken simultaneously.**
- IAM Team typically runs only in the Spring semester.
- This document is provided for reference only and does not represent a guarantee of progression or course availability.

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