

Film & TV Studies, BA

Academic Plan: FILMTV-BA
Program Code: 28180

This degree map is a term-by-term sample course schedule designed to assist you and your advisor in planning your 4-year academic path to graduation with a Film & TV Studies Degree.

You and your advisor will use it, along with the program of study for your major (found in the [Lehman Bulletin](#) for the year of your major declaration) and Degree Works (degree audit system), to formulate your customized plan.

30

[CUNY Common Core Credits](#)

12

[Lehman College Option Credits](#)

42-43

Major Credits

12

Minor or Certificate Credits (recommended)

23-24

Elective Credits

LEGEND:

Course Abbreviation

Credits

Class Name

Blue: Lehman Core Requirement (LCR)
Requirement fulfilled

Green: Major Requirement

Gold: Elective, Minor, or Certificate

- see footnote

Underlined information is hyperlinked

FRESHMAN

FALL

ENG 111 3 CR
English Composition I
Required Core – Communication

JRN 211 3 CR
Introduction to Multilingual Media
Flexible Core - US Experience in Its Diversity

LCR 3 CR
Flexible Core – Creative Expression

MAT 104 (depending on your math placement) or **Elective** 3 CR

Elective 3 CR
LEH 100 (recommended)
The Liberal Arts - Freshman Seminar

SPRING

ENG 121 3 CR
English Composition II
Required Core – Communication

LCR 3 CR
Required Core – Quantitative Skills

LCR 3 CR
Flexible Core – Scientific World

FTS 212 3 CR
Introduction to Film and Television

LCR 3 CR
Required Core – Life and Physical Science

15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 30 CREDITS

SOPHOMORE

FALL

LCR 3 CR
Foreign Language I
Lehman College Option

LCR 3 CR
Flexible Core – World Cultures and Global Issues

LCR 3 CR
Flexible Core – Individual and Society

MCS 214 3 CR
Introduction to Media and Digital Culture

FTS 209 or FTS 210 3 CR
History of Cinema I or History of Cinema II

SPRING

LCR 3 CR
Foreign Language II
Lehman College Option

LCR 3 CR
Flexible Core – Any area ^[1]

FTS 215 3 CR
Camera and Lighting

FTS 224 3 CR
Editing

FTS 226 3 CR
Audio Production

30 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 60 CREDITS

JUNIOR

| FALL | |
|---|------|
| LCR <u>LEH 351, 352, 354, or 355</u> ^[2] <i>Lehman College Option</i> | 3 CR |
| <u>FTS 258</u> Film & TV Analysis | 3 CR |
| <u>FTS 2## or 3##</u> ^[3] Any 200 or 300 Level FTS course in your area of concentration | 3 CR |
| <u>FTS 3## or 4##</u> ^[3] Any 300 or 400 Level FTS course in your area of concentration | 3 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course I ^[5] | 3 CR |

| SPRING | |
|---|------|
| LCR <u>LEH 351, 352, 354, or 355</u> ^[2] <i>Lehman College Option</i> | 3 CR |
| <u>FTS 3## or 4##</u> ^[3] Any 300 or 400 Level FTS course in your area of concentration | 3 CR |
| <u>FTS 3## or 4##</u> ^[3] Any 300 or 400 Level FTS course in your area of concentration | 3 CR |
| <u>Major Elective</u> ^[4] | 3 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course II ^[5] | 3 CR |

60 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 90 CREDITS

SENIOR

| FALL | |
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| <u>FTS 481 or FTS 491 and FTS 492</u> ^[6] | 3-4 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course III ^[5] | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |
| Elective | 2-3 CR |

| SPRING | |
|---|------|
| Minor or Certificate Course IV ^[5] | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |
| Elective | 3 CR |

90 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 120 CREDITS

[1] No more than two courses in one discipline may be used to satisfy Flexible Core requirements.

[2] These are variable topics courses, where each section covers a special topic. Take two courses with two different numbers. Pre-requisite: You must have achieved 60 credits and declared your major. Integration Courses: LEH 351: Studies in Science & Applied Perspectives, LEH 352: Studies in Literature, LEH 354: Studies in Historical Studies, LEH 355: Studies in Philosophy, Theory & Abstract Thinking. (LEH 353: Studies in Arts, is NOT a College Option for this Major).

[3] Select your courses based on your Sub plan:

Film Sub plan (21-22 Credits)- FTS 258: Film and TV Analysis, FTS 218: Animation and Anime Narrative, FTS 309: Screenwriting, FTS 316: Film and Video Production, FTS 420: Cinema Aesthetics and Criticism and Major Elective

Television Sub plan(21-22 Credits)-FTS 258: Film and TV Analysis, FTS 316: Film and Video Production, FTS 317:Writing for Broadcast TV and Radio, FTS 371: TV and Cultivation Theory, FTS 352: Television Production and Major Elective

[4] Please see a Departmental Advisor for Approval for the Major Elective

[5] We strongly recommend clustering 12- 15 elective credits to obtain a minor or certificate that complements your general and major field of study. The choice of the minor or certificate depends on your interest and should be coordinated with advisors. Check out more information on Minors or Certificates with your advisor.

[6] If you enroll for FTS 491, you must also enroll for FTS 492. To enroll for FTS 491 and 492 you must have a 3.5 GPA in the major and have Department consent.

NOTE: Writing Intensive Sections: Complete 4 sections designated as writing-intensive, 3 prior to earning 60 credits and 1 following. These sections may be searched by class attribute and are offered in General Education, major, minor and elective courses.

See other degree maps.