BYU Department of Theatre and Media Arts: Media Arts Studies MAJOR Flowchart

Pre-application Prerequisite:
TMA 102 (3)

Application/Admittance to the program

Foundation Courses:
TMA 105 (1)
TMA 112 (3)
TMA 114 (3)
TMA 185 (3)

Core Courses:
TMA 291 (3), 292 (3), 293 (3), 295 (3), 391 (3)
Complete one of the following classes for graduation requirements; these classes can also be used as electives: TMA 458 (3), 477R (3), 492R (3), 494 (3), 497 (3), OR 498 (3)

NOTE: While students should take core Courses in a timely way, electives may be taken before or concurrently with Core courses depending on the course pre-requisites. Please consult the catalog.

Possible Areas of Study:
Complete a minimum of 20 hours (14 must be upper division; no more than 8 practica credits, i.e. TMA 170R/184R/270R/284R/370R/384R) of faculty advisor-approved courses in an area of study. Classes from a non-Media Arts minor are also counted as MA electives. These areas of study must be approved in writing by the student’s faculty advisor before enrollment occurs.

You may consider any TMA media arts (film) courses not required in the foundation or core. All pre-requisite requirements must be met.
NOTE: These elective credits may include a skill set (see reverse).

Areas of Study

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<td>TMA 295 (3) History of Moving Image</td>
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TMA Skill Set Classes

Art Direction
TMA 258 (3) Drafting
TMA 289 (3) Design for Stage and Screen
TMA 362 (3) Costume Design
TMA 363 (3) Scenic Design
TMA 384R (2) Special Effects Physical

Cinematography
TMA 384R (2) Camera and Lenses
TMA 384R (2) Lighting 1
TMA 384R (2) Shooting a script

New Media
TMA 273 (3) Beg. Non-Fiction/New Media
TMA 277 (3) New Media Conceptualization
TMA 378R (3) New Media Producing and Directing (when offered)
VAANM 160 (3) Intro to 2D Animation skills

Producing
TMA 187 (3) Production Management: Beg
TMA 387 (3) Production Management: Adv
TMA 389 (3) Producing Symposium (when offered)
Serious producers should also look into completing a Business Management Minor

Editing
TMA 384R (2) Avid: Beginning
TMA 384R (2) Avid: Intermediate
TMA 384R (2) Avid: Advance
TMA 384R (3) Editing: Theory and Composition
TMA 384R (3) Documentary Editing

Screenwriting
TMA 241(3) Screenwriting 1
TMA 341(3) Screenwriting 2
TMA 341(3) Screenwriting: Writer’s Room
TMA 441R(3) Screenwriting 3
Faculty mentored projects

Other Possible Electives:
TMA playwriting and English writing courses

Sound
(For access to music classes, meet with Ron Saltmarsh in the school of music)
Math 110 (3) (or equivalent)
Phsces 167 (3) Acoustics of Music & Speech
Music 251 (2) Audio Basic Principles 1
Music 252 (2) Audio Basic Principles 2
Music 256R (2) Recording Studio
Music 257 (2) Recording Studio 2
Music 351 (2) Audio Applications
Music 352A (1) Audio electronics
Music 352B (1) Audio electronics
Music 355 (1) Recording Workshop
TMA 384R (2) Sound Acquisition
TMA 384R (2) Post Sound Production

Education Related
TMA 315R (2) “Hands on a Camera”
TMA 458 (3) Media in the Contemporary Classroom
TMA 516 (V) Theatre and Media Arts Instruction
Analytical/Critical Theatre Classes

Directing with Actors
TMA 123: Acting fundamentals
TMA 315R: Acting for Film: Advanced

Storyboarding
TMA 384R (2) Storyboarding
Serious storyboard artists should look into the Illustration major in Visual Arts.