

# Film and Media Studies — Film Option (FILM)

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Students must apply for admission to the major. Before applying, students must:

1. Complete CMJN 2100 with a C or better.
2. Complete MDIA 2350 with a C or better.
3. Successfully complete 30 hours of degree-applicable course credits (including transfer, AP, and proficiency credits) and be a student in good standing at the time of the application.
4. In a well written 300-word essay, choose any example of a popular film, TV show, popular song, etc., that you find interesting and explain why you find it significant. Next, in 3-5 sentences, tell us what you hope to learn in the FMDA/FILM program and how the program fits with your academic and professional goals. Please be specific in your response and provide examples when answering each question.
5. Students who transfer to Auburn University may apply to the major but must complete at least one semester at Auburn University before admission.

## Freshman

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
ENGL 1100 English Composition I		3 MDIA 2350 Introduction To Film Studies	3
Core Math		3 ENGL 1120 English Composition II	3
Foreign Language I (College Core)		4 Foreign Language II (College Core)	4
Core Social Science		3 Core Social Science	3
Core History		3 Core History to complete sequence	3
	16		16

## Sophomore

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
COMM 1000 Public Speaking <sup>1</sup>		3 LBAR 2010 Liberal Arts Careers Preparation (College Core)	2
CMJN 2100 Concepts in Communications and Journalism		3 FILM 2700 Introduction to Visual Media	3
FILM 2420 Introduction to Filmmaking		3 Supporting Coursework <sup>2</sup>	3
Core Literature		3 Core Humanities	3
Core Science		4 Core Science	4
	16		15

## Junior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
CMJN 3350 Visual Communication		3 FILM 3110 Cinematography	3
FILM 3100 Intermediate Filmmaking		3 Major Electives <sup>3</sup>	6
MDIA 3300 Foundation of Media Studies		3 Supporting Coursework <sup>2</sup>	3
Supporting Coursework <sup>2</sup>		3 FILM 3350 Screenwriting	3
Core Fine Arts (Other than MDIA 2350) <sup>3</sup>		3	
	15		15

## Senior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
Major Electives <sup>3</sup>		6 MDIA 4920 Internship	3
FILM 3120 Film Editing		3 Supporting Coursework <sup>2</sup>	6

FILM 4940 Visual Media Projects	3 Elective Course <sup>2</sup>	6
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	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>
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**Total Hours: 120**

<sup>1</sup> COMM 1000 fulfills SLO7.

<sup>2</sup> Students must meet with their advisers to determine appropriate electives and courses for their supporting coursework.

<sup>3</sup> Students must meet with their advisor to identify approved Major Electives. Students will complete 12 total hours from the approved list with at least 6 of those hours from Group 1.