

ADVISING CHECK SHEET
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-WHITEWATER

BACHELOR OF ARTS — MAJOR IN MEDIA ARTS AND GAME DEVELOPMENT– COMM/GAMING EMPHASIS

NAME _____ ID _____ ENTRY DATE _____

I. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (44 cr.)

- 1. COMMUNICATION/CALCULATION SKILLS (12 credits)**
 ENGLISH 101 or waiver* _____/_____
 ENGLISH 102 or waiver* _____/_____
 COMM 110 or waiver* _____/_____
 MATH 140 or MATH 141 or waiver* _____/_____
 *if waiver, credits must be made up as electives

- 2. QUANTITATIVE & TECHNICAL REASONING (7-11 cr.)**
 7-11 credits of Science, Math, and Computer Science courses designated GL or GM from at least 2 different disciplines (Astronomy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, Physical Geography, Math, Computer Science), to include at least one 4-5 credit lab science designated GL.
 Lab Science (GL) _____/_____
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- 3. CULTURAL HERITAGES (6 credits)**
 GENED 110 – World of Arts _____/_____
 GENED 390 – World of Ideas _____/_____

- 4. COMMUNITIES (6 credits)**
 GENED 130 – Individual and Society _____/_____
 GENED 120 – Historical Perspectives* _____/_____
 or GENED 140 – Global Perspectives* _____/_____
 *if both are taken, count GENED 120 as GH elective in 6 below

- 5. PERSONAL HEALTH AND FITNESS (1-2 credits)**
 PEGNRL 192 – Personal Health and Fitness _____/_____
 HPRC courses designated GP _____/_____

- 6. ELECTIVES (7-12 credits to bring total to 44 credits)**
 These electives must include 2 credits GA outside major department (i.e.Music,Theatre/Dance) and 6 credits of GH. (This is in addition to GENED 110, GENED 120 or GENED 140 and GENED 390.) No more than 1 course from any one discipline may be counted in area.
 GA outside major _____/_____
 GH _____/_____
 GH _____/_____
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- II. DEVELOPMENTAL STUDIES**
 Developmental courses if needed – credits do not count towards degree
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- III. DIVERSITY REQUIREMENT (3 credits)**
 Select one course identified as diversity in the timetable. Most courses also count in general education. (This requirement does not apply to students whose first term of enrollment at UW-System campus was prior to Fall 1989.)
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English Competency Requirement-Either by arrangement in research credits or ENGLISH 274, 332, 370, or 372, PHILOSOPHY 271, or approved substitute (COMM 351 or 440).
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****Indicates course has prerequisite(s)**

- IV. CORE COURSES (15 credits)** SEMESTER/YR
 MAGD 150 Intro to Media Arts _____/_____
 MAGD 210 Visual Design for Dig. Media _____/_____
 MAGD 220 Drawing for Digital Media _____/_____
 **MAGD 270 Web Development _____/_____
 **MAGD 271 Flash Development _____/_____

- COMM/GAMING EMPHASIS – TIER 1 (9 credits)**
 Select **three** of the following:
 COMM 238 Fund. Of Video Production _____/_____
 COMM 239 Fund. Of Audio Production _____/_____
 COMM 285 Social Media Optimization _____/_____
 **COMM 294 Web Video and Game Practicum _____/_____
 MUSC/COMM 346 Sound and Image _____/_____
 **MUSC 452 Electronic Music And Sound Design _____/_____

- COMM/GAMING EMPHASIS – TIER 2 (6 credits)**
 Select **two** of the following:
 COMM 351 Game Development _____/_____
 COMM 440 New Communication Technologies _____/_____
 **COMM 493E Practicum _____/_____
 COMM 498 Independent Study _____/_____
 Students may use advanced Audio or Video (COMM 259/339, 258/338) with permission.
 MAGD 272 Game Dev - used with permission.
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- CROSSOVER ELECTIVES (6 credits)**
 Select **two** of the following:
 ARTSTDIO 213 Intro to Digital Photography _____/_____
 **ARTSTDIO 313 Digital Photo/Digital Imaging _____/_____
 **ARTSTDIO 376 Visual Design for the Web _____/_____
 **ARTSTDIO 377 HD/DV Fundamentals _____/_____
 **ARTSTDIO 380 3D Modeling-Animation _____/_____
 **ARTSTDIO 388 Motion Graphic Anim Studio I _____/_____
 400-level courses in the above may also be used
 ARTSTDIO _____/_____
 **COMPSCI 174 Introduction to C++ _____/_____
 **COMPSCI 222 Intermediate C++ _____/_____
 **COMPSCI 223 Advanced C++ _____/_____

- TEAM-BASED COURSES (6 credits)**
 **MAGD 487 Adv. MAGD Team Projects I _____/_____
 **MAGD 488 Adv. MAGD Team Projects II _____/_____

TOTAL FOR MAJOR: (42 CREDIT MINIMUM)

- MINOR AREA (Min. 21 credits)** _____
 (See individual department listings for requirements)
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TOTAL FOR MINOR: (21 CREDIT MINIMUM)

University General Education: 44 cr.
Major: 42 cr.
Minor: 21-24 cr.
English Composition: 0-3 cr.
Electives: 6-13 cr.
Graduation: 120 cr.