
Pre-Master's for Art, Design and Media at the University of Brighton International College: module information

For degree entry from September 2020

ALL STUDENTS WILL STUDY THE FOLLOWING MODULES TO GAIN A SOLID BASE OF SKILLS:

- **Art, Design and Media Portfolio**
- **Art, Design and Media Research Project (customised to your university degree and career aspirations)**
- **English for Academic Purposes**



YOU'LL ALSO STUDY 1 OF THESE MODULES THAT BEST FITS YOUR DEGREE AND CAREER GOALS. IN SOME CASES, YOU MAY CHOOSE THIS MODULE FROM A SELECTION.

- **Advanced Art, Design and Media**
- **Media Theories and Practice**
- **Project Management**



YOU'LL TAKE PART IN PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES DURING YOUR COURSE, DESIGNED TO BOOST YOUR EMPLOYABILITY, CONFIDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE, AND HELP YOU MAKE NEW FRIENDS.

EXTRA MODULES TO HELP YOU REACH UNIVERSITY: 2.5 AND 3-TERM COURSES

IF YOU'RE TAKING A 2.5 OR 3-TERM COURSE, YOU'LL STUDY THE RELEVANT MODULES ABOVE, PLUS:

- **Art, Design and Media**
- **Contemporary Art in Context OR Digital Applications**
- **English for Academic Study 3**
- **Reading and Writing 3**
- **Speaking and Listening 3**

YOU'LL ALSO HAVE ADDITIONAL PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES.

MODULE SUMMARIES – DETAILS OF WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

Advanced Art, Design and Media

Evaluate the styles, movements and key figures in the recent history of art, design and media, and analyse and identify the key features, materials and techniques used in creative movements or art works.

Art, Design and Media Portfolio

Create the practical components which complement the theoretical and reflective work undertaken in your Research Project for Art, Design and Media module.

Art, Design and Media Research Project

Evaluate the theoretical and reflective components that will complement the practical work you produce in the Art, Design and Media Portfolio module.

English for Academic Purposes

Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

Media Theories and Practice

Critique aspects of media theory and practice and use practical production techniques to design and create your own media artefacts.

Project Management

Gain key skills in project management, and apply your knowledge to a project based on emerging technologies.

EXTRA MODULES FOR 2.5 AND 3-TERM COURSES

Art, Design and Media

Explore a range of materials, workshop techniques, processes and practical skills, and begin to develop your research, interpretation and critical evaluation skills.

Contemporary Art in Context

Review the key movements and practitioners in the 20th century within your specialist field, considering trends within historical, political and cultural contexts.

Digital Applications

Develop your digital skillset, helping you use digital tools to support academic study, including using and citing digital sources.

English for Academic Study 3

Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

Reading and Writing 3

Develop your English reading and writing skills to a sufficient level to communicate complex ideas.

Speaking and Listening 3

Improve your ability to listen and speak in English, allowing you to fully engage with academic topics.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES (ALL COURSE LENGTHS)

Digital and employability skills

Outside of your academic learning, you'll also be taught skills that will be useful at university and later in life. You will receive help in making the most of your creativity, improving your communication and developing your digital skills. We will also help you build a CV, portfolio and online profile to empower you after you graduate.

Social network

Forming a strong social network can be hugely beneficial, even if it's just to discuss and debate ideas. Not only will you get to know your classmates, you'll also have opportunities to join professional organisations, and network with students and industry professionals: something that can be really beneficial when you go on to start your career.

Culture and activities

We'll help you have a hugely beneficial cultural and social experience, and encourage you to explore different activities, sports, crafts and more. You might learn about local history and culture, or develop your wider subject knowledge and understanding of related industries.

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