EMILY CARR UNIVERSITY OF ART + DESIGN

PROGRAM REQUIREMENT WORKSHEET
BACHELOR OF DESIGN: COMMUNICATION DESIGN MAJOR, 120 CREDITS
Students beginning second year in 2022

- Currently enrolled students should consult their Program Evaluation through myEC for the most up-to-date information.
- Course Load: Maximum of 12 credits of studio courses per semester. Maximum of 18 credits overall per semester.
- If a course is indicated in a specific semester it may not be offered in another semester. i.e. DHIS 201 is only offered in Fall, SOCS 202 is only offered in Spring.
- Courses are either 3 or 6 credits as indicated by the bracketed number after the course.

FOUNDATION – 30 CREDITS		
FALL – 15 CREDITS	**SPRING – 15 CREDITS**	**NOTES**
HUMN 100 Academic Core I (6) FNDT 108 Creative Processes (3) FNDT 165 Core Interdisciplinary Studio (6)	HUMN 101 Academic Core II (6) Foundation Studio Elective (3) **Choose one of:** FNDT 160 Core Media Studio I (6) FNDT 161 Core Design Studio I (6) FNDT 164 Core Visual Arts Studio I (6)	Foundation deficiencies must be made up by the beginning of year 3.

SECOND YEAR – 30 CREDITS		
FALL – 15 CREDITS	**SPRING – 15 CREDITS**	**EITHER SEMESTER**
COMD 200 Core Studio in Communication Design (6) DHIS 201 Design Culture II (3) COMD 204 Typographic Communication (3) 3 credits from Either Semester column	COMD 210 Core Studio in Communication Design (6) SOCS 202 Ecological Perspective in Design (3) COMD 224 Typographic Communication II (3) 3 credits from Either Semester column	**Critical Studies Courses:** Critical Studies Elective 200 level (3) **Studio or Critical Studies Courses:** Open Elective (3)

THIRD YEAR – 30 CREDITS		
FALL – 15 CREDITS	**SPRING – 15 CREDITS**	**EITHER SEMESTER**
COMD 300 Core Studio in Comm. Design (6) 9 credits from Either Semester column	COMD 310 Core Studio in Comm. Design (6) 9 credits from Either Semester column	**Studio Courses: (12 credits total)** Open Studio 200/300 level (3)* Open Studio 200/300 level (3)* Open Studio 200/300 level (3)* Open Studio 200/300 level (3)* **Critical Studies Courses: (6 credits total)** SOCS 309 Design Research (3) Critical Studies Elective 300 level (3)

FOURTH YEAR – 30 CREDITS		
FALL – 15 CREDITS	**SPRING – 15 CREDITS**	**EITHER SEMESTER**
COMD 400 Core Studio in Comm. Design (6) 9 credits from Either Semester column.	COMD 410 Core Studio in Comm. Design (6) 9 credits from Either Semester column.	**Studio Courses: (6 credits total)** Open Studio 200/300/400 level (3)* Open Studio 200/300/400 level (3)* **Critical Studies Courses: (6 credits total)** **(one in Fall, one in Spring)** SOCS 411 Professional Practice (3) DHIS 400 Design Futures (3) **Studio or Critical Studies Courses:** **(6 credits total)** Open Elective (3)* Open Elective (3)*

*Students may take Co-op or Internship in years 3 and 4, to a maximum of 9 credits.
Critical Studies subject areas include: AHIS, DHIS, ENGL, HUMN, MHIS, SCIE, SOCS
Studio subject areas include: 2DAN, 3DAN, ANIM, CCID, CGIA, COMD, CRAM, DESN, DRWG, FMSA, FNDT, FRMS, ILUS, INDD, INTD, MDIA, NMSA, PERF, PNTG, PHOT, PRNT, SCLP, SOUN, VAST, WRTG