

# WRITING FOR FILM, TV, & EMERGING MEDIA MAJOR – B.F.A.

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This B.F.A. degree requires 30 liberal arts credits out of the 120 credits required for graduation.

## Summary

Code	Title	Credits
Major credits required for the program:		66
Other elective courses:		54
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>120</b>

\* *total credits to include 30 liberal arts credits and 48 credits outside the Roy H. Park School of Communications*

<sup>1</sup> *This major is approved to fulfill the Integrative Core Curriculum (<https://catalog.ithaca.edu/undergrad/programsaz/integrative-core-curriculum/>) requirement for the Creative Arts perspective.*

## Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Core Requirements</b>		
GCOM 13000	Spark: Igniting your Future in Communications	1
MASS 10100	History of Narrative Film, Television, and Emerging Media Part I	3
MASS 10200	History of Narrative Film, Television, and Emerging Media Part II	3
MASS 10400	Story: From Cave Paintings to Emerging Media	3
TVR 12400	Introduction to Media Industries	4
MASS 13400	Writing for Screen Media	3
MASS 23300	Structuring the Feature Film	3
MASS 23600	Writing for Series TV	4
TVR 32700	Program Development for Entertainment Media	4
CNPH/TVR 49000	Internship: Cinema and Photography	6
Select one of the following:		4
CNPH 11100	Cinema Production 1	
CNPH 14100	Introduction to Photography	
TVR 11500	Introduction to Video Production	
Select one of the following:		3
CNPH 30000	Fiction Film Theory	
CNPH 30100	History and Theory of Documentary (ICC-WI)	
CNPH 30500	Contemporary Film Criticism	
TVR 33500	Electronic Media Criticism (ICC-WI, ICC-DV)	

Select two of the following: 8

MASS 33300	Writing the Feature Film	
MASS 33500	Writing for Video Games and Emerging Media	
MASS 33600	Writing the Series Pilot	
MASS 33701-MASS 33730	Selected Topics in Writing for Screen Media	

Select two of the following: 8

MASS 43300	Thesis Screenwriting	
MASS 43400	Thesis Writing for Screen Media	
MASS 43500	Thesis Writing for Emerging Media	
MASS 43600	Thesis TV Writing	

Select three of the following: 9

THEA 13100	Acting I	
WRTG 20500	Personal Essay	
WRTG 3xxxx	Level 3 Writing course	
ENGL 1xxxx	Level 1 English course	
ENGL 2xxxx	Level 2 English course	

**Total Credits 66**

*A minimum of 30 credits designated Liberal Arts (LA) must be completed for a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree. In addition, the Integrative Core Curriculum must be completed. The Integrative Core Curriculum may be completed using elective/distribution credits, but may be re-used from the major requirements.*