



MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY™
**COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE
 AND LIFE SCIENCES**

School of Human Sciences

Fashion Design & Merchandising (124 Hours) - Design & Product Development Concentration

effective Fall 2023

Freshman Year

Fall Semester (17 hours)			Spring Semester (15 hours)		
EN 1103	English Composition I	3	EN 1113	English Composition II	3
	Free Elective	3		Fine Arts	3
	Science*	3		Humanities	3
HS 1701	Survey of Human Sciences	1	PSY 1013	(or SO 1003)	3
<i>FDM 1523</i>	<i>Visual Design & Dress</i>	3	<i>FDM 2553</i>	<i>Intro to Merchandising</i>	3
<i>FDM 2524</i>	<i>Textiles for Apparel</i>	4			

Sophomore Year

Fall Semester (15 hours)			Spring Semester (15 hours)		
EC 2113	Prin of Macroecon	3	_____	Statistics	3
_____	Lab Science*	3	<i>FDM 2123</i>	<i>Product Development I</i>	3
FL_ 1113	Foreign Language*	3	<i>FDM 2573</i>	<i>Fashion Portfolio Dev</i>	3
	Free Elective	3	<i>FDM 4343</i>	<i>Pattern Making & Design</i>	3
<i>FDM 1533</i>	<i>Apparel Construction</i>	3	_____	Lab Science*	3

Summer Semester (3 hours)

HS 4710	Study Tour (New York)	3	Maymester	(Optional Restricted Elective)	
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Junior Year

Fall Semester (14 hours)			Spring Semester (15 hours)		
_____	Restricted Elective	3	<i>FDM 3573</i>	<i>Historic Costume</i>	3
<i>FDM 4424</i>	<i>Teaching Methods</i>	4	<i>FDM 3563</i>	<i>Visual Merchandising** OR</i>	3
<i>FDM 2593</i>	<i>Product Development II</i>	3		Restricted Elective	
<i>FDM 4733</i>	<i>Computer-Aided Design** OR</i>	3		Restricted Elective	3
<i>FDM 4363</i>	<i>Draping**</i>		_____	Restricted Elective	3
<i>FDM 3221</i>	<i>Internship Preparation</i>	1	<i>FDM 3553</i>	<i>Merchandise Retail Pricing</i>	3

Summer Semester (3 hours)

HS 4710	<i>Study Tour (International)</i>	3	OR	<i>FDM 4763</i>	<i>FDM Internship (#1)</i>	3
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Senior Year

Fall Semester (14 hours)			Spring Semester (13 hours)		
<i>FDM 4513</i>	<i>Fashion Consumer Behavior</i>	3	<i>FDM 3563</i>	<i>Visual Merchandising** OR</i>	3
<i>FDM 4733</i>	<i>Computer-Aided Design** OR</i>	3		Restricted Elective	
<i>FDM 4363</i>	<i>Draping**</i>			Restricted Elective	3
<i>FDM 4593</i>	<i>Creative Design Tech</i>	3		Free Elective	3
_____	Restricted Elective	3		Free Elective	4
HS 4702	Research & Application in HS	2			

Summer Semester (3 hours)

HS 4710	<i>Study Tour (International)</i>	3	OR	<i>FDM 4763</i>	<i>FDM Internship (#2)</i>	3
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Courses printed in italic are taught only in the Fall or Spring semester, as listed.

Students are required to earn a 'C' or better in all FDM/HS courses.

*Choose from General Education core

** Courses are only taught every other Fall/Spring semester. Take one Junior Fall/Spring and the other Senior Fall/Spring.

General Design and Product Development		
Choose 18 hours from any of the courses offered in the emphasis areas below or select program-related electives approved by academic advisor		18
Art		
Choose 18 credit hours of courses with an ART prefix. One or more 1000-level courses and one 2000-level course must be completed in addition to at least three 3000- or 4000-level courses		18
Business Administration (Pre-MBA)		
Choose any 6 of the following:		
<u>ACC 2013</u>	Principles of Financial Accounting ¹	3
<u>ACC 2023</u>	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3
<u>BIS 3233</u>	Management Information Systems	3
<u>BL 2413</u>	The Legal Environment of Business	3
<u>BQA 2113</u>	Business Statistical Methods I ¹	3
<u>BQA 3123</u>	Business Statistical Methods II ¹	3
<u>EC 2123</u>	Principles of Microeconomics	3
<u>FIN 3123</u>	Financial Management ¹	3
MGT 3114	Principles of Management and Production	3
<u>MKT 3013</u>	Principles of Marketing	3
Communication Studies		
<u>CO 1223</u>	Introduction to Communication Theory	3
<u>CO 2253</u>	Fundamentals of Interpersonal Communication	3
<u>CO 3833</u>	Interviewing in Communication	3
<u>CO 4203</u>	Nonverbal Communication	3
<u>CO 4223</u>	Advanced Communication Theory	3
<u>CO 4243</u>	Rhetorical Theory	3
Entrepreneurship		
<u>MGT 3323</u>	Entrepreneurship	3
<u>MGT 3333</u>	Field Studies in Entrepreneurship	3
<u>BL 4243</u>	Legal Aspects of Entrepreneurship	3
<u>FIN 4323</u>	Entrepreneurial Finance	3
<u>MKT 4423</u>	Strategic Brand Management	3
<u>GE 3011</u>	Engineering Entrepreneurship Seminar	1
Finance		
<u>FIN 3113</u>	Financial Systems	3
<u>FIN 3123</u>	Financial Management	3
<u>FIN 3723</u>	Financial Markets and Institutions	3
<u>FIN 4223</u>	Intermediate Financial Management	3
<u>FIN 4423</u>	Investments	3
<u>FIN 4923</u>	International Financial Management	3
Information Technology Services		
Choose any 6 of the following courses:		
TKB 3133	Administrative Management and Procedures	3
TKB 4283	Advanced Office Systems	3
TKB 4543	Information Processing	3
TKB 4563	Introduction to Data Networks	3
TKB 4583	Graphics and Web Design	3
TKT 3463	Computer Repair and Maintenance	3
TKT 4343	Information Technology Project Management	3
TKT 4743	Elements of Electronic Desktop Publishing	3
TKT 4753	Media for Presentations, Instruction and Gaming	3
TKT 4813	Introduction to Instructional Systems	3
Management		

<u>MGT 3813</u>	Organizational Behavior	3
MGT 3114	Principles of Management and Production	3
<u>MGT 3513</u>	Introduction to Human Resource Management	3
Choose any 3 of the following courses:		
<u>MGT 3323</u>	Entrepreneurship	3
<u>MGT 3333</u>	Field Studies in Entrepreneurship	3
<u>MGT 3823</u>	Socially Responsible Leadership	3
<u>MGT 4153</u>	Management Seminar	3
<u>MGT 4533</u>	Advanced Human Resource Management	3
<u>MGT 4543</u>	Compensation Management	3
<u>MGT 4563</u>	Staffing in Organizations	3
<u>MGT 4613</u>	Cross-Cultural Management	3
Marketing		
<u>MKT 3013</u>	Principles of Marketing	3
<u>MKT 4413</u>	Consumer Behavior	3
Choose any 4 of the following courses:		
<u>MKT 3213</u>	Retailing	3
<u>MKT 3323</u>	International Logistics	3
<u>MKT 3933</u>	International Marketing	3
<u>MKT 4033</u>	International Transportation	3
<u>MKT 4113</u>	Personal Selling	3
<u>MKT 4123</u>	Advertising	3
<u>MKT 4143</u>	Sales Management	3
<u>MKT 4213</u>	Internet Marketing	3
<u>MKT 4313</u>	Physical Distribution Management	3
<u>MKT 4333</u>	International Supply Chain Management	3
<u>MKT 4533</u>	Marketing Research	3
<u>MKT 4613</u>	Services Marketing	3
Sociology		
<u>SO 2203</u>	Introduction to Race and Ethnicity	3
<u>SO 3213</u>	Introduction to Social Research	3
Choose any 3 SO designated courses at the 2000 level or above and include at least 1 4000 level SO course.		