

College of Arts and Science

Bachelor in Graphic Design

Study Plan 2022/2023

Programme Study Plan								
No.	Course Code	Course Title	Prerequisite	Lec	Lab	ASU Credit	NQF Credit	NQF Level
Year 1 – First Semester (18 Cr)								
1	ADE 1091	Introduction to Drawing	-	0	6	3	12	5
2	ADE 1110	Design Fundamentals	-	1	4	3	12	5
3	GDE 111	Computer Graphics 1	-	1	4	3	12	5
4	CS 104	Computer Skills	-	2	2	3	12	5
5	HR 106	Human Rights	-	3	0	3	12	5
6	-	University Elective (Group 1)		-	-	3	12	5
Year 1 – Second Semester (18 Cr)								
1	GDE 120	History of Modern Art	-	3	0	3	12	6
2	GDE 214	Computer Graphic 2	GDE 111	1	4	3	12	6
3	GDE 116	Drawing & Painting	ADE 1091	0	6	3	12	6
4	GDE 113	Typography1	ADE 1110	1	4	3	12	6
5	ENG 101	English language I	-	3	0	3	12	5
6	HBH 105	Bahrain Civilization & History	-	3	0	3	12	6
Year 2 – First Semester (18 Cr)								
1	GDE 231	Principles of Graphic Design	GDE 113	1	4	3	12	6
2	GDE 211	Photography	ADE 1110	1	4	3	12	6
3	GDE 216	Computer Graphics 3	GDE 214	1	4	3	12	6
4	GDE 222	History of Graphic Design	GDE 120	3	0	3	12	7

5	ENG 102	English language II	ENG 101	3	0	3	12	5
6	ARB 101	Arabic Language	-	3	0	3	12	6
Year 2 – Second Semester (18 Cr)								
1	GDE 232	Branding Design	GDE 231	1	4	3	12	7
2	GDE 221	Communication Theory	GDE 120	1	0	3	12	7
3	GDE 315	3D Computer Graphic	GDE 214	1	4	3	12	7
4	GDE 334	Illustration 1	GDE 214 & GDE 116	1	4	3	12	7
5	GDE 237	Typography 2	GDE 113	1	4	3	12	7
6	BA 161	Introduction to Entrepreneurship	-	3	0	3	12	6
Year 3 – First Semester (18 Cr)								
1	GDE 336	Digital Video	GDE 211	1	4	3	12	7
2	GDE 333	Advertising Design	GDE 232	1	4	3	12	7
3	GDE 341	Printing Technology & Specifications	GDE 237	1	4	3	12	7
4	GDE 325	Design and Marketing	GDE 222	3	0	3	12	7
5	GDE 335	Design & Layout of Publications	GDE 216	1	4	3	12	7
6	-	University Elective (Group 2)	-	-	-	3	12	6
Year 3 – Second Semester (18 Cr)								
1	GDE 338	Packaging Design	GDE 341	1	4	3	12	8
2	GDE 339	Design for Multimedia	GDE 336	1	4	3	12	8
3	GDE 434	Outdoor Design & Symbols	GDE 333	1	4	3	12	8
4	GDE 343	Ethics & Practice of Profession	GDE 341	3	0	3	12	8
5	-	Programme Elective (Group 1)	-	-	-	3	12	7
6	-	Programme Elective (Group 1)	-	-	-	3	12	7
Year 4 – First Semester (15 Cr)								
1	GDE 431	Graduation Project Studies	GDE 333	3	0	3	12	8

2	GDE 442	Internship	90 Cr&GDE 335	-	-	3	20	8
3	IND 4053	Design Collaboration	GDE 339	3	0	3	12	8
4	GDE 432	Web Page Design	GDE 333	1	4	3	12	8
5	-	Programme Elective (Group 1)	-	-	-	3	12	7
Year 4 – Second Semester (12 Cr)								
1	GDE 433	Graduation Project	GDE 431	0	12	6	24	8
2	-	Programme Elective (Group 2)	-	-	-	3	12	8
3	-	Programme Elective (Group 2)	-	-	-	3	12	8

University Elective Courses

University Elective Courses (6 Cr)						
No.	Course Code	Course Title	Prerequisite	ASU Credit	NQF Credit	NQF Level
Group 1 (3 Cr)						
1	ISL 101	Islamic Culture	-	3	12	6
2	ISL 102	Islamic Ethics	-	3	12	6
3	ISL 103	Islam & Contemporary issues	-	3	12	6
Group 2 (3 Cr)						
1	LIB 101	Introduction to Library Science	-	3	12	5
2	MAN 101	Man and Environment	-	3	12	5
3	SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	-	3	12	5
4	SPT 101	Special Topics	-	3	12	5
5	CS 205	Computer Applications	CS104	3	12	5
6	LFS 102	Thinking and communications skills development	-	3	12	5

Programme Elective Courses

Programme Elective Courses (15 Cr)								
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Group 1 (9 Cr)								
1	GDE 212	Digital Photography	GDE 211	1	4	3	12	7
2	GDE 217	Arabic Calligraphy	GDE 113	1	4	3	12	7
3	GDE 218	Anatomy Art	GDE 116	1	4	3	12	7
4	GDE 219	Geometry in Design	GDE 231	1	4	3	12	7
5	GDE 224	Design in Islamic Arts	GDE 120	3	0	3	12	7
6	GDE 225	Design Process	GDE 222	2	2	3	12	7
7	GDE 327	Industry & Art	GDE 222	1	4	3	12	7
8	GDE 312	Drawing & Painting 2	GDE 116	0	6	3	12	7
9	GDE 328	Psychology & Sociology Design	GDE 232	3	0	3	12	7
10	GDE 430	Digital Game Design	GDE 315	1	4	3	12	7
Group 2 (6 Cr)								
1	IND 2097	3D Printing & 3D Scanning	GDE 315	2	2	3	12	8
2	GDE 300	Special Topics in Graphic Design	GDE 333	2	2	3	12	8
3	GDE 421	Critical Issues in Design	GDE 221	3	0	3	12	8
4	GDE 436	Animation Design	GDE 334	1	4	3	12	8
5	GDE 437	Calligraphy & Design	GDE 237	1	4	3	12	8
6	GDE 438	Portfolio Design	GDE 335	1	4	3	12	8
7	GDE 439	Illustration 2	GDE 334	1	4	3	12	8