Department: Fashion Studies  
Degree: Bachelor of Fine Arts  
Major: Fashion Design

**Number of semesters to degree completion**: 6  
*Example for planning purposes only*

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| 22-1925 Making for Transfers (3cr)  
Choose 3 credits from the following:  
22-196* Foundation Skills  
22-197* Foundation Skills  
27-1603 Fashion Illustration I (3 cr)  
27-1600 Garment Construction I (3 cr)  
27-1000 Fashion Foundations (3cr) | 22-1105 Intro to Visual Culture (3 cr)  
27-1100 Intro to Fashion Studies (3cr)  
27-1620 Fundamentals of Textiles (3cr)  
27-1710 Fashion Design Studio (3 cr)  
27-1606 Apparel Studio I (3cr) |

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| 27-2175 Fashion History Survey (3 cr)  
27-2600 Garment Construction II (3 cr)  
27-2606 Apparel Studio II (3 cr)  
27-2710 Fashion Design Studio II (3 cr)  
27-ELEC Fashion Elective (3cr) | 27-2915 Apparel Evaluation (3cr)  
Choose 3 credits from the following:  
22-196* Foundation Skills  
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27-3606 Apparel Studio III (3cr)  
27-3710 Fashion Design Studio III (3cr) |

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| 27-3720 Fashion Design Studio IV (3 cr)  
27-3740 Fashion Design: Prod. to Showroom (3cr)  
27-2176 Contemporary Fashion (3cr)  
27-ELEC Fashion Elective (3cr) | 27-3640 Digital Patternmaking (3cr)  
27-3770 Sr. Thesis (6cr)  
27-ELEC Fashion Elective (3cr) |

Special notes for transfer students: Students wishing to pursue the BFA program must apply in the Fashion Studies Department. Due to the sequential nature of the BFA in Fashion Design, 6 semesters are required at Columbia College Chicago to complete this program. Some transfer students may require less than 6 semesters if they are transferring in applicable coursework in Fashion Design. Columbia also offers a BA degree in Fashion Design as an alternative option for transfer students who are looking to graduate sooner.

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Semesters to degree completion are calculated assuming 60 total credits in transfer with all Liberal Arts & Sciences Core requirements complete and no major requirements transferred in. Students may lessen the length of time to degree completion by transferring in applicable major courses. Please see transferology.com for information on individual course equivalencies. Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12-16 credits per term. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000 level or higher) LAS core courses (6 credits). Except for Writing Intensive, these requirements may be met in transfer.