

Program Requirements:

"Program Requirements" specify the courses required for this program. See suggested course sequence for additional information.

A total of 18 units is required to earn the Commercial Photography Certificate of Achievement

Required core courses (13 units):

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 101	History of Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 110	Basic Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 150	Introduction to Commercial Photography	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 151	Portrait Photography	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 170	Digital Photography	3

Plus a minimum of 5 units selected from the following:

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
<input type="checkbox"/> GRPH 116	Web Portfolio & Social Media	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 120	Materials and Processes	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 130	Advanced Black and White Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 140	Introduction to Color Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 179A	Intro to View Camera	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 179B	Photojournalism	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 189	Independent Projects in Photography	1 - 3.0 units
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 380	Black And White Photo Lab 1	0.5
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 381	Black And White Photo Lab 2	1
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 382	Color Photo Lab 1	0.5
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 383	Color Photo Lab 2	1
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 384	Digital Photo Lab 1	0.5
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 385	Digital Photo Lab 2	1

Suggested Course Sequence

The "Suggested Course Sequence" is an example of how to complete the requirements plus any additional general education that may be needed. If you would like to create a personalized Student Education Plan (SEP), schedule a meeting with a counselor.

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 110	Basic Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 151	Portrait Photography	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 170	Digital Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE	.5 TO 3
Total Units		8.5 TO 11

Tasks:

- Complete Career Exploration
- Meet with Counselor (SEP)
- Visit library and tutoring
- Review Financial Aid Req.
- Apply AHC Scholarship

SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 101	History of Photography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PHTO 150	Introduction to Commercial Photography	2
<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE	.5 TO 3
<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE	.5 TO 3
Total Units		6 TO 11

Tasks:

- Set up Jobspeaker
- Attend Career Exploration Day
- Apply for Certificate with Counseling
- Complete the FAFSA or Dream Act by March 2
- Apply AHC Scholarship
- Utilize Job Search Resources