



CHICAGO STATE  
UNIVERSITY

# City Colleges of Chicago

## Transfer Guide

### BA in Media Arts

## Program

The Department of Communications, Media Arts and Theatre (CMAT) offers a Bachelor of Arts degree in Media Arts. Students in the CMAT program will choose to concentrate their studies in one of three areas: media arts, public relations, or theatre. The program also offers minor sequences in communication studies, theater arts, public relations, media production, and sports broadcasting. Students in the program have the opportunity to gain hands-on training through practica with CSU Theatre, WCSU-Radio, and CSU-TV, as well as internships with Chicagoland media companies and theatre organizations. The Bachelor of Arts degree prepares students for careers in television and radio production, digital filmmaking, announcing, acting, directing, writing and producing, and also in the allied fields of advertising, public relations, broadcast journalism, corporate communications and theatre.

## Highlights

Every CMAT student can expect to complete one or more semester long internships. CSU-CMAT students have interned at Cinespace Studios, *Chicago Med*, *Chicago PD*, *Empire*, NBC Television, BET, Fox Big Ten Network, WTTW, WYCC, Media Process Group, Big Shoulders, RJ Dale, Flowers Communications, Fox Television, ABC Television, CBS Television, CLTV, WBEZ Radio, B96 Radio, Sports Radio, ESPN Television, Chicago Sun Times, WGN Radio, Chicago Office of Cable Communications, Showcase Television, Chicago Cable Access Corporation, Power 92 Radio, among others.

Study with faculty who are among the best in their fields, including Christine Houston (NAACP Image Award for the NBC sitcom "227"), Kamesha Khan (African American Theatre Alliance Award), Alvin Daniels (Hollywood Black Film Festival) and Christine List (Diversity in Cannes Film Festival).

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## Articulation Crosswalk for BA in Media Arts

Chicago City Colleges: Media Communications Audio/Video/Internet Production (0083) AAS			Chicago State University: BA Media Arts		
Course #	Title	Credit Hours	Course #	Title	Credit Hours
ENGLISH 101	Composition I	3	ENG 1270	Composition I	3
Mathematics	IAI Mathematics	4*	Mathematics	IAI Mathematics	3 (4)
Fine Arts/ Humanities	IAI Fine Arts or Humanities**	3	IAI Fine Arts	IAI Fine Arts or Humanities	3
Fine Arts/Humanities/ Behavioral/ Social Sciences	IAI Fine Arts, Humanities, or Social/Behavioral Sciences**	3	Fine Arts/ Humanities/Social/ Behavioral Sciences	IAI Fine Arts, Humanities, or Social/Behavioral Sciences	3
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<b>Required Courses:</b>					
COMDSGN 102	Website Design I	3		Elective	3
DMD 115	Digital Audio	3	CMAT 2120	Radio Production	3
MEDIACM 145	Introduction to Media Communications	3	CMAT 2150	Mass Communications	3
MEDIACM 203	Media Writing	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 223	Advanced Broadcast Writing	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 231	TV Production I	3	CMAT 2070	TV Studio Production	3
MEDIACM 232	TV Production II	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 240	Minicam and Video Editing	3	CMA5 2520	Introduction to Video	3
MEDIACM 250	Minicam and Video Editing II	3	CMAT 2530	Digital Advanced Video	3
MEDIACM 265	Digital Media Entrepreneurship	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 271	Introduction to Interactive Media	3	CMAT 2200	Introduction to Multimedia	3
MEDIACM 280	Advanced, Editing, Graphics	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 295	Practicum Internship	3		Elective	3
MEDIACM 298	Audio, Video, or Internet Capstone	3		Elective	3

<b>Recommended Elective:</b>					
MEDIACM 102	Announcing	3	CMAT 2110	Principles of Announcing	3
<b>Total Credit Hours Taken at CCC</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>Total Credit Hours Transferred to CSU</b>		<b>61</b>

\*Math courses that equal 4 credit hours at City Colleges transfer as such to CSU.

\*\*One course must fulfill the CCC Human Diversity (HD) requirement.

<b>Courses required at CSU for BA in Media Arts</b>	
<b>CSU Courses</b>	<b>Credit Hours</b>
<b>General Education Courses:</b>	
ENG 1280 Composition II	3
Foreign Language I	3
IAI Life Science***	3
IAI Physical Science***	3
IAI Fine Arts, Humanities, or Behavioral/Social Sciences****	3
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<b>Major Courses:</b>	
CMAT 2030 Basic Speech Communication	3
CMAT 2040 Introduction to Theatre	3
CMAT 2080 Dramaturgy	3
CMAT 2140 African American Theatre	3
CMAT 2500 Media and Social Justice	3
CMAT 2550 Acting	3
CMAT UPPER DIVISION WRITING	3
CMAT UPPER DIVISION THEORY	3
CMAT UPPER DIVISION CONCENTRATION: MEDIA ARTS	3
CMAT UPPER DIVISION CONCENTRATION	3
CMAT UPPER DIVISION CONCENTRATION	3
CMAT 4307 Internship	3
CMAT 4397 Senior Thesis	3
CMAT Practicum (CMAT 3020, 3080, 3110, 3111, or 4306)	3
<b>CSU Completion Credit Hours</b>	<b>63</b>

\*\*\* One science course must include a lab.

\*\*\*\*Three courses in Fine Arts and Humanities are required for the BA. At least one course must be in Humanities.

Three courses in Behavioral/Social Sciences in at least two disciplines are required for the BA.

<b>CCC Transferred Credit Hours</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>CSU Completion Credit Hours</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>Total Degree Credit Hours</b>	<b>124</b>