

University of  
Lethbridge



## Program Planning Guide

**Program:** Bachelor of Fine Arts - New Media/Bachelor of Education (B.F.A. - New Media/B.Ed.)

**Major (Fine Arts):** New Media

**Major (Education):** Career and Technology Studies (CTS): New Media Focus

**Calendar Year:** 2016/2017

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Calendar:**

[www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar)

**High School Prerequisites by Course:**

[www.uleth.ca/ross/hs\\_prereqs/course](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/hs_prereqs/course)

**Faculty of Education Admission Requirements:**

[www.uleth.ca/education/programs-degrees/undergraduate-studies/admission](http://www.uleth.ca/education/programs-degrees/undergraduate-studies/admission)

**Current and Past Program Planning Guides:**

[www.uleth.ca/ross/ppgs](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/ppgs)

**Faculty of Fine Arts Advising:**

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**Career and Technology Studies (CTS): New Media Focus**

**Bachelor of Fine Arts - New Media/Bachelor of Education**

This is a planning guide and not a graduation check or guarantee of course offerings. You should have a program check done in your final year of studies. Students are responsible for the accuracy of their own programs. The guide should be used in conjunction with the University of Lethbridge Calendar, which is the final authority on all questions regarding program requirements and academic regulations. Contact an Academic Advisor in the Faculty of Arts and Science or Faculty of Education for advising information.

**Name :** \_\_\_\_\_

**ID :** \_\_\_\_\_

**B.F.A. - New Media/B.Ed. (New Media/Career and Technology Studies (CTS): New Media Focus)**

Completion of at least 30 courses (90.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Fine Arts or the Faculty of Arts and Science with a grade point average of at least 2.00, including a minimum grade point average of 2.50 in New Media courses.

Completion of the equivalent of 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) in Education with a program grade point average of at least 2.50 in Education courses and the appropriate major.

**Major Requirements (22 courses)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. New Media 1000 - Introduction to New Media
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. New Media 2005 - Design Fundamentals for New Media
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. New Media 2010 - Visual Communications for New Media
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. New Media 2030 - Digital Video Production
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. New Media 2150 - History and Theory of New Media
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. New Media 3030 - 3-D Computer Modelling and Animation
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. New Media 3150 - Seminar in New Media Studies
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. New Media 3250 - Media, Advertising, and Consumer Culture
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. New Media 3380 - Programming for Artists
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. New Media 3420 - Narrative for New Media
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. New Media 3520 - Web Design and Development
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. New Media 3680 - Interaction Design

**13-17.Five of:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 3060 - Media Arts (Introduction to Digital Studio)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 3061 - Media Arts (Video Sketchbook)
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3010 - Cinematography and Lighting
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3040 - Colour Theory and Digital Photo Manipulation
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3310 - Game Design: Theory and Practice
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3510 - Narrative Production Techniques
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3620 - Digital Effects and Compositing
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3640 - Character Animation I
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3700 - Event and Exhibition Design
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3720 - The Dynamic Web
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3810 - Expanded Cinema: Moving Images and their Forgotten Futures
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3820 - Information Design
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 4420 - Screenwriting
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 4520 - Advanced Web Design
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 4830 - Theory and Practice of Motion Capture
- \_\_\_\_\_ Music 2500 - Introduction to Music Technology
- \_\_\_\_\_ Art Studio Elective

**18-19.Two of:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3001 - Film Authorship
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3200 - Film Genres (Series)
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3250 - Media, Advertising, and Consumer Culture
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3300 - Theory and Aesthetics of Digital Games
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3550 - History of Animation
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3560 - Popular Narrative
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Media 3650 - Modern Media, War and Propaganda

**20-22.Completion of the following 3 Fine Arts Courses:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 2031 - Foundation Studio (Drawing and Image)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 2032 - Foundation Studio (Object and Space)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Drama 3030 - Introduction to Film Studies

**General Liberal Education Requirement**

**LIST II: Social Science Courses**

- 23. \_\_\_\_\_
- 24. \_\_\_\_\_
- 25. \_\_\_\_\_
- 26. \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST III: Science Courses**

- 27. \_\_\_\_\_
- 28. \_\_\_\_\_
- 29. \_\_\_\_\_
- 30. \_\_\_\_\_

**Education Requirements (20-course equivalent)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Education 2500 - Practicum I - Orientation to Teaching Professional Semester I (15.0 credit hours)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Professional Semester II (15.0 credit hours)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Professional Semester III (15.0 credit hours)

Education Foundation: \_\_\_\_\_

Three Education Electives:

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Education Minor (If Applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

*See the 2016/2017 Calendar, p. 166, for eligible minors.*

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_

Education (methods requirement)

**Education Specialization (If Applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

*See the 2016/2017 Calendar, p. 170, for details.*

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Education 4573

**Sample Sequencing Plan**

Shown below is a sample sequence of courses for your degree. If you follow this plan, you should be able to graduate in five years, provided you complete five courses per semester. This is just one example of how you could complete your major and degree requirements; you may find that a different sequence works as well as this one.

<p><b>Year 1, Fall</b>                  New Media 1000                  New Media 2005                  New Media 2150                  Art 2031 or GLER course                  Art 2032 or GLER course</p>	<p><b>Year 1, Spring</b>                  New Media 2010                  New Media 2030                  Art 2031 or GLER course                  Art 2032 or GLER course                  GLER course</p>
<p><b>Year 2, Fall</b>                  New Media 3030                  New Media 3520                  Five of list course                  GLER course                  GLER course</p>	<p><b>Year 2, Spring</b>                  New Media 3150                  New Media 3420                  Drama 3030                  Education 2500<sup>1</sup>                  Five of list course</p>
<p><b>Year 3, Fall</b>                  New Media 3250                  New Media 3380                  Five of list course                  Two of list course                  GLER course</p>	<p><b>Year 3, Spring</b>                  New Media 3680                  Five of list course                  Five of list course                  Two of list course                  GLER course</p>
<p><b>Admission to the Faculty of Education</b></p>	
<p><b>Year 4, Fall</b>                  Professional Semester I</p>	<p><b>Year 4, Spring</b>                  Professional Semester II</p>
<p><b>Year 5, Fall</b>                  Professional Semester III</p>	<p><b>Year 5, Spring</b>                  Education Foundation course                  Education Elective                  Education Elective                  Education Elective                  GLER course</p>
<p><b>Elementary Education and Special/Inclusive Education students will reverse the fall and spring semesters in Year 5 and complete PS III in the spring.</b></p>	

<sup>1</sup> Education 2500 may also be taken in Spring or Summer semester.

**Note:** Students **MUST** take New Media courses in the sequence indicated. Any exceptions to the sequencing of New Media courses must be approved in advance by an Academic Advisor in the Faculty of Fine Arts.

Students may choose to take elective courses and non-New Media courses in another sequence.

**Terms Used**

**GLER course:** A course that could count toward the General Liberal Education Requirement. You may use courses in your major towards this 12-course requirement. See the 2016/2017 University of Lethbridge Calendar, Part 4 - Academic Regulations (p. 85) for complete information.

The University of Lethbridge offers Liberal Education 1000 and 2000, specifically designed to introduce first-year students to the wide scope of human knowledge and teach essential university success skills, critical thinking, and integrative thinking (see the 2016/2017 University of Lethbridge Calendar, Part 14 - Courses, p. 315). LBED 1000 and 2000 may be used toward satisfying the GLER.

**Elective:** A course that you may choose freely from all those available and applicable to your program. Use courses inside or outside your major, bearing in mind any restrictions that may apply.

**Faculty of Education Admission**

Admission to the Faculty of Education requires successful completion of the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 semester courses (60.0 credit hours).  
 Note: Due to course sequencing, the Faculty of Fine Arts strongly encourages students to complete 30 courses prior to applying to the Faculty of Education.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 on all UofL and transferable courses taken within the semesters containing the last 20 courses (60.0 credit hours). All courses must be graded with the exception of Education 2500.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Minimum of eight courses (24.0 credit hours) in the major.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 on all graded courses comprising the major, including all transferable courses.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Credit in Education 2500 - Practicum I - Orientation to Teaching (or equivalent) including a favourable recommendation from the instructor.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Writing Proficiency Requirement:  
 See Part 13 (Combined Degrees) in the Academic Calendar:  
[www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Additional admission requirements in the following majors:  
 Dramatic Arts, Music, Native Education and Physical Education

For specific information on admission requirements, please refer to the Combined Degrees section of the Academic Calendar:  
[www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar/part13.pdf](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/academic-calendar/part13.pdf)

Students are advised to contact Student Program Services in the Faculty of Education (TH421; tel. 403-329-2254) for guidelines regarding the requirements stated above.

For application and document deadlines please refer to:  
[www.uleth.ca/ross/admission-information/deadlines](http://www.uleth.ca/ross/admission-information/deadlines)

**Combined Degrees Program:**

Students begin this program in the Faculty of Fine Arts where they progress toward completion of Fine Arts degree requirements, and prepare to meet the admission requirements for the Faculty of Education. Please note that completion of the required prerequisites does not guarantee admission to the Faculty of Education. For students of Aboriginal descent, and students with a significant shift in academic performance, please see the current Calendar for the Faculty of Education's special case admission policy.



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