

GRAPHIC DESIGN, B.DES.

Begin Campus: University Park

End Campus: University Park

Entrance to Major

Acceptance into the Graphic Design major is determined by a portfolio review by faculty after the completion of GD 1S, GD 100, GD 101, GD 102, and AA 121 or GD 115N with grades of C or better in all of these courses. Typically, this review will take place in the second semester. Applicants who are not accepted into the major may re-apply the following year but must realize that this course of action could delay their graduation by at least one year.

Entrance Procedures

Incoming First Year Students

Incoming first year students must apply to Penn State. Undergraduate applications for admissions to Penn State must be complete and submitted before submitting an Evidence of Creative Work (ECW) portfolio. Detailed information about ECW submission can be found at: <https://arts.psu.edu/how-to-apply/#specific>.

Change of Major/Change of Campus Students

Change of major/Change of Campus students interested in pursuing the Bachelor of Design Degree in Graphic Design must submit Evidence of Creative Work (ECW) by February 15. Detailed information about ECW submission can be found at: <https://arts.psu.edu/how-to-apply/#specific>. Regardless of semester standing, this degree requires a minimum of four years to complete after acceptance.

Transfer Students

Transfer students must apply to Penn State. Undergraduate applications for admissions to Penn State must be complete and submitted before submitting an Evidence of Creative Work (ECW) portfolio. Detailed information about ECW submission can be found at: <https://arts.psu.edu/how-to-apply/#specific>. Regardless of semester standing, this degree requires a minimum of four years to complete after acceptance.