

La Roche College  
**FILM, VIDEO & MEDIA PROGRAM GUIDE**  
 DEGREE: Bachelor of Arts    Department: Communication, Media and Technology

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ First Year Student  
 I.D. Number \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Change of Major \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer  
\_\_\_\_\_ Readmit

Unofficial Eval Completed by/date: \_\_\_\_\_

This is the **unofficial evaluation** of your credits to date including transfer credits (if applicable) in your chosen major. **This evaluation is official when all official transcripts for all previous college work are received; and reviewed and approved for transferability by the Registrar's Office.** Beginning with your first semester of enrollment, your Degree Audit Report in My.LaRoche will automatically track your progress toward your degree, and guide you in planning future class schedules. Review your updated Degree Audit Report with your advisor prior to registering each semester.

**PURPOSE:** A major in Film, Video and Media is meant to provide students with the necessary background to pursue a career in any aspect of film, video and media industries in activities ranging from writing and directing to editing, producing and animation.

**REQUIREMENTS:** To successfully complete the Film, Video and Media major, the following coursework is required:

- 27 credits as listed under "Major Component/Requirements"
- 24 credits of Pittsburgh Film Makers Required Courses
- 18 credits of Pittsburgh Film Makers electives
- 34 CORE credits
- 17 General Elective Credits
- A minimum number of 120 credits are required for degree, the last 30 of which, and 50% of the major must be earned at La Roche College. (Developmental course work does not count toward the minimum number of required credits for graduation.)

		<u>Credits</u>	<u>Transfer Course #/Comments</u>
<b>MAJOR COMPONENT/REQUIREMENTS: 27 CREDITS</b>			
_____	ISTC2008 Introduction to Cyberspace	3	_____
_____	CMET1001 Human Communication	3	_____
_____	CMET1002 Mass Media and Digital Communication	3	_____
_____	CMET3005 Message Design and Media	3	_____
_____	ENGL2040 Creative Writing	3	_____
_____	ENGL2043 Film Analysis	3	_____
_____	ENGL3035 Writing for TV and Radio	3	_____
_____	GCDN1025 Fundamentals of Electronic Publishing	3	_____
_____	MRKT2021 Marketing Management	3	_____
<b>PITTSBURGH FILMMAKERS REQUIRED COURSES: 24 CREDITS</b>			
_____	FVMA1001 Motion Picture Fundamentals	3	_____
_____	FVMA1004 International Film History	3	_____
_____	FVMA1006 Film Production I	3	Prerequisite: FVMA1001
_____	FVMA1007 Elements of Film	3	_____
_____	FVMA1010 Intro to Film Theory & Criticism	3	_____
_____	FVMA2028 Intro to Screenwriting	3	_____
_____	FVMA2025 Technical Directing	3	Prerequisite: FVMA1001
_____	FVMA3034 Producing for Film and Video	3	Prerequisite: FVMA1006

**PITTSBURGH FILMMAKERS ELECTIVES: 18 CREDITS (CHOSEN IN CONSULTATION WITH ACADEMIC ADVISOR)**


**ACADEMIC CORE CURRICULUM: 34 CREDITS**

<b>Fundamentals: 12 Credits</b>		<b>Credits</b>	<b>Transfer Course #/Comments</b>
ENGL1011	College Writing I	3	_____
ENGL1012	College Writing II	3	_____
MATH1010	College Algebra	3	_____
ISTC1005	Practical Computer Applications	3	_____

<b>La Roche Experience: 4 Credits</b>		<b>Credits</b>	<b>Transfer Course #/Comments</b>
LRCX1001	Introduction & History	1	_____
LRCX1002	Diversity/Discrimination	1	_____
LRCX2001	Regions of Conflict	1	_____
LRCX2002	Economic Justice	1	_____

<b>Community/Global: 6 credits (or 6 credits in same Foreign Language)</b>		<b>Credits</b>	<b>Transfer Course #/Comments</b>
COMM	Community	3	_____
GLBL	Global	3	_____

**Select Courses: 15 credits**

18 credits are required with study within each of the following domains. Students can fulfill six domains with four courses (earning a total of 12 credits) by completing "dual-domain" SELECT courses SLDD. Student earns 3 credits only for each dual-domain course. The "lost" 3-6 credits can be fulfilled through a major or general elective. **PLEASE NOTE: Some "Select Courses" may be filled by meeting Major Requirements and if so, will be annotated as such.**

SELECT Aesthetics (SLAE)	0	Fulfilled in Major
SELECT History (SLHS)	3	_____
SELECT Literature (SLLT)	3	_____
SELECT Religion/Philosophy (SLRS)	3	_____
SELECT Science (SLSC)	3	_____
SELECT Social and Cultural Systems (SLSO)	0	Fulfilled in major

**GENERAL ELECTIVES: 17 CREDITS (CHOSEN IN CONSULTATION WITH ACADEMIC ADVISOR)**

<b>Transfer Course #</b>	<b>Credits</b>						

<b>FOR REGISTRAR USE ONLY:</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Completed</b>	<b>Need</b>	<b>COMMENTS:</b>
Major Component	27	_____	_____	_____
Pittsburgh Filmmakers Req	24	_____	_____	_____
Pittsburgh Filmmakers Elec	18	_____	_____	_____
CORE	34	_____	_____	_____
General Electives	17	_____	_____	_____
Accepted in Transfer	_____	_____	_____	_____
La Roche College Credit	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total	120	_____	_____	_____

**Registrar Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*(When signed by Advisor, all required coursework/credits have been completed for graduation.)*