

# FASHION MERCHANDISING AND DESIGN - BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Students must complete all University degree requirements, which include: General Education requirements, Viewing a Wider World requirements, and elective credits to total at least 120 credits with 48 credits in courses numbered 300 or above. Developmental coursework will not count towards the degree requirements and/or elective credits, but may be needed in order to take the necessary English and Mathematics coursework.

Prefix	Title	Credits
<b>General Education</b>		
<i>Area I: Communications</i>		
<i>English Composition - Level 1</i>		
Choose one from the following:		4
ENGL 1110G	Composition I	
ENGL 1110H	Composition I Honors	
ENGL 1110M	Composition I	
<i>English Composition - Level 2</i>		
Choose one from the following:		3
ENGL 2210G	Professional and Technical Communication Honors	
ENGL 2221G	Writing in the Humanities and Social Science	
<i>Oral Communication</i>		
Choose one from the following:		3
ACOM 1130G	Effective Leadership and Communication in Agriculture	
COMM 1115G	Introduction to Communication	
COMM 1130G	Public Speaking	
HNRS 2175G	Introduction to Communication Honors	
<i>Area II: Mathematics</i>		
MATH 1350G	Introduction to Statistics <sup>2</sup>	3
<i>Area III/IV: Laboratory Sciences and Social/ Behavioral Sciences</i>		
<i>Area III: Laboratory Science Course (4 credits) <sup>1</sup></i>		10
<i>Area IV: Social/Behavioral Science Course (3 credits) <sup>1</sup></i>		
<i>Choose one from the following (3 credits):</i>		
ECON 1110G	Survey of Economics	
ECON 2110G	Macroeconomic Principles	
ECON 2120G	Principles of Microeconomics	
<i>Area V: Humanities <sup>1</sup></i>		
<i>Area VI: Creative and Fine Arts</i>		3
ARTS 1145G	Visual Concepts	
<i>General Education Elective <sup>1</sup></i>		
Any "G" course, excluding Area I and crosslisted courses		3-4
<b>Viewing A Wider World <sup>3</sup></b>		
MKTG 311V	Consumer Behavior	3
VWW "THEA 307V -Society in Style" may be used to fulfill this degree requirement		3
<b>Departmental Requirements</b>		
CTFM 1110	Fundamentals of Fashion	3
CTFM 2120	Fashion Illustration	3
CTFM 2130	Concepts in Apparel Construction	3

CTFM 365	Apparel Analysis	3
CTFM 366	Historic Fashion and Society <sup>4</sup>	3
or THEA 307V	Society in Style: Fashion, History and Culture	
CTFM 371	Textile Science	3
CTFM 372	Fashion Merchandising	3
CTFM 373	Advanced Apparel Construction II	3
CTFM 375	Fashion Buying	3
CTFM 401	Professional Development	1
CTFM 402	Field Experience <sup>5</sup>	1-3
CTFM 403	Post-Field Experience	1
CTFM 460	Cultural Perspectives in Dress	3
CTFM 473	Flat Pattern for Apparel Design	3
CTFM 474	Fashion Promotion	3
CTFM 476	Draping for Apparel Design	3
CTFM 477	Capstone in Fashion Merchandising <sup>6</sup>	3
<i>Departmental Electives</i>		
Choose two courses from the following:		6
CTFM 377	Fashion Study Tour	
Any FCST Course <sup>7</sup>		
Any FCSC Course <sup>7</sup>		
<b>Non-Departmental Requirements</b>		
ACCT 2110	Principles of Accounting I	3
MGMT 388V	Leadership and Ethics	3
MKTG 313	Retail Management	3
MKTG 317	International Marketing	3
<i>One MKTG 300 or above</i>		3
Choose one course from the following:		3
AEEC 2140	Technology and Communication for Business Management	
BCIS 1110	Introduction to Information Systems	
Choose one course from the following:		3
MGMT 309	Human Behavior in Organizations	
MGMT 332	Human Resources Management	
<b>Second Language: (not required)</b>		
<b>Electives, to bring the total credits to 120 <sup>8,9</sup></b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>120-123</b>

<sup>1</sup> See the General Education (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses

<sup>2</sup> MATH 1350G Introduction to Statistics is required for the degree but students may need to take MATH 1215 as a prerequisite. If this course is used to fulfill the Math Basic Skills requirement, a C- or better is required.

<sup>3</sup> See the Viewing a Wider World (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/#viewingawiderworldtext>) Section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

<sup>4</sup> Offered summers only.

<sup>5</sup> A GPA of 2.5 or higher is required before enrolling in CTFM 402 Field Experience.

<sup>6</sup> Should be completed last semester.

<sup>7</sup> Please review prerequisites prior to enrolling.

<sup>8</sup> Elective credit may vary based on prerequisites, dual credit, AP credit, double majors, and/or minor coursework. The amount indicated in the requirements list is the amount needed to bring the total to 120 credits and may appear in variable form based on the degree. However, students may end up needing to complete more or less on a case-by-case basis and students should discuss elective requirements with their advisor.

<sup>9</sup> ACES 1120 Freshman Orientation/ACES 1210 Financial Fitness for College Students are strongly recommended for freshmen.  
NOTE: This degree includes the requirements necessary to complete a minor in Marketing. The student is responsible for completing the necessary paperwork in order for the minor to be awarded.