

DIGITAL CINEMA PRODUCTION, CERTIFICATE

ADVISING AND CAREERS

ACADEMIC ADVISING

The Department of Communication Arts academic advisors (<https://commarts.wisc.edu/undergraduate/advising/>) serve as the advisors for the digital cinema production certificate. Contact an advisor to learn more about the certificate, discuss eligibility, declare, or review certificate requirements. Please see the Communication Arts website (<https://commarts.wisc.edu/undergraduate/advising/>) for advising options.

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CAREER ADVISING

The communications, arts & entertainment career community advisor (<https://careers.ls.wisc.edu/what-are-career-communities/communications-arts-and-entertainment/>) assists students with career preparation, such as exploring career options, strategies for the internship/job search, and networking opportunities.

DIGITAL CINEMA PRODUCTION COURSES

The selection of courses varies by semester. Please check Course Search and Enroll for current offerings.

CAREER EXPLORATION AND PREPARATION

Gain Experience

The Department of Communication Arts encourages students to apply the knowledge and skills they attain through coursework to professional settings. Internships and part-time jobs at television networks, nonprofit organizations, talent agencies, magazines, radio stations, advertising agencies, production companies, government agencies, and other communication-related businesses help students gain work-related experience and explore career options. Emails and postings provide certificate students with information on opportunities across the country.

Attend Events

Throughout the academic year, students have the opportunity to participate in several communication-focused, career-related events.

Join a Student Organization

Learn more about the entertainment industry and career opportunities by joining the Hollywood Badgers, a Communication Arts Department affiliated student organization.

L&S CAREER RESOURCES

Every L&S major opens a world of possibilities. SuccessWorks (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/>) at the College of Letters & Science helps students turn the academic skills learned in their major, certificates, and other coursework into fulfilling lives after graduation, whether that means jobs, public service, graduate school or other career pursuits.

In addition to providing basic support like resume reviews and interview practice, SuccessWorks offers ways to explore interests and build career skills from their very first semester/term at UW all the way through graduation and beyond.

Students can explore careers in one-on-one advising, try out different career paths, complete internships, prepare for the job search and/or graduate school applications, and connect with supportive alumni and even employers in the fields that inspire them.

- SuccessWorks (<https://careers.ls.wisc.edu/>)
- Set up a career advising appointment (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/make-an-appointment/>)
- Enroll in a Career Course (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/career-courses/>) - a great idea for first- and second-year students:
 - INTER-LS 210 L&S Career Development: Taking Initiative (1 credit)
 - INTER-LS 215 Communicating About Careers (3 credits, fulfills Comm B General Education Requirement)
- Learn about internships and internship funding (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/finding-a-job-or-internship/>)
 - INTER-LS 260 Internship in the Liberal Arts and Sciences
- Activate your Handshake account (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/handshake/>) to apply for jobs and internships from 200,000+ employers recruiting UW-Madison students
- Learn about the impact SuccessWorks has on students' lives (<https://successworks.wisc.edu/about/mission/>)