

# Fashion Design Certificate

## Fall Start Pathway

[www.pima.edu/fashion-cert](http://www.pima.edu/fashion-cert)

Start a career in fashion design for the apparel industry by studying fashion drawing, imaginative design, computer applications, draping, textiles, and pattern drafting.

**Title IV Financial Aid eligible:** Yes

### What can I do with this certificate?

**Career Options:** Seek entry-level positions with apparel manufacturers, clothing retailers, tailoring or alterations businesses, specialty clothing shops or start your own business.

**Academic Options:** Continue your studies by taking courses toward the AA in Liberal Arts, Fashion Design concentration

### CHOOSE YOUR COURSES WITH YOUR COLLEGE ADVISOR

### Semester Pathway

This pathway is a suggested sequence of courses for students starting in the fall. Students with specific interests or transfer needs are encouraged to work with an advisor to develop a unique academic map.

#### Semester 1 - Fall (Semester Total: 9 credits)

**FDC 110:** Clothing Construction I (3 credits)

**FDC 111:** Clothing Construction II (3 credits)

**FDC 141:** Introduction to Fashion Design (3 credits)

#### Semester 2 - Spring (Semester Total: 9 credits)

**FDC 121:** Flat Pattern Making I (3 credits)

**FDC 144:** Fashion Drawing (3 credits)

**FDC 211:** Clothing Construction III (3 credits)

#### Semester 3 - Fall (Semester Total: 9 credits)

**FDC 122:** History of Clothing (3 credits)  
or **FDC 132:** Global Fashion and Culture (3 credits)

**FDC 126:** Textiles (3 credits)

**FDC 213:** Tailoring: Pants and Shirts (3 credits)  
or **FDC 215:** Sewing with Knits (3 credits)  
or **FDC 221:** Flat Patternmaking II (3 credits)  
or **FDC 245:** Digital Fashion Design (3 credits)

*These courses are also available in different semesters: FDC 123 - Computer Patternmaking I, FDC 212 - Tailoring: Jackets, FDC 214 - Bridal and Formalwear, FDC 241 - Draping*

**PROGRAM TOTAL: 27 credits**

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Program/Major/Concentration Code: **CRTFDC/FDC**

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