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Bachelor of Science in Fashion Merchandising

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication and Information Literacy (12 hours)¹			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____
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Technological Solutions and Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)¹

UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____

Critical Thinking (7 hours)¹

RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview ²	4	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (3 hours)¹

_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____
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Social and Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____

Christianity and Contexts (8 hours)¹

BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4	_____
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey ²	4	_____

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (0-3 hours)			
HIUS 360	History of American Entrepreneurship ³	3	_____

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Core (39 hours)			
ACCT 209	Survey of Accounting & Finance	3	_____
BUSI 310	Principles of Management	3	_____
BUSI 330	Principles of Marketing	3	_____
ECON 213	Principles of Microeconomics	3	_____
or ECON 214	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	_____
FACS 243	Digital Drafting I	3	_____
FACS 301	Elements of Fabric	4	_____
FACS 302	Psychology of Fashion	3	_____
FACS 303	Fashion Industries & Markets	3	_____
FACS 304	Promotions & Aesthetics	3	_____
FACS 353	Retail Merchandising	3	_____
FACS 491	Family/Consumer Capstone	3	_____
FACS 499	Family/Consumer Internship	3	_____
INFT 126	Adobe InDesign - Introductory	1	_____
INFT 127	Adobe Photoshop – Introductory ⁴	1	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (36-42 hours)

_____	_____	-	_____
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Graduation Requirements	
120	Total Hours
2.0	Overall grade point average
30	Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
Grade of 'C'	Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
25%	Of major taken through Liberty University
30	Hours must be completed through Liberty University
Grad App	Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Notes
All applicable prerequisites must be met
 Portfolio Review required at the end of Sophomore year.
¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements
²Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived
³Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened
⁴It is recommended that students take ARTS 361, *Digital Photography*, concurrently with this course
Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	THEO 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3
RLGN 104	4	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3
UNIV 104	0-3	Math Elective ¹	3
Communications Elective ¹	<u>3</u>	Social Science Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
	Total 14-17		Total 16

SOPHOMORE YEAR²

Natural Science Elective ¹	3	Information Lit. Elective ¹ [HIUS 360]	3
Critical Thinking Elective ¹	3	BUSI 330	3
ACCT 209	3	FACS 301	4
BUSI 310	3	INFT 126	1
Elective	<u>3</u>	INFT 127	1
	Total 15	Elective ³	<u>3</u>
			Total 15

JUNIOR YEAR

ECON 213 or 214	3	FACS 303	3
FACS 243	3	FACS 353	3
FACS 302	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total 15		Total 15

SENIOR YEAR

FACS 304	3	FACS 491 ⁴	3
FACS 499	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total 15		Total 15

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²Portfolio Review required at the end of Sophomore year. Student must pass in order to advance to FACS 300, 442, 460, and 485

³It is recommended that students take ARTS 361, *Digital Photography*, concurrently with INFT 127

⁴Course should be taken in final semester