1ST YEAR

- Take FILM 110. For the Stage and Screen Specialization, take DRAM 100.
- For details on plan requirements, go to the Arts and Science website. See an academic counselor at the Arts and Science Office or speak with the Undergraduate Chair for advice.

2ND YEAR

- Take 6.0 units core course in Production (FILM 250).
- Choose 12 units from: FILM 206, FILM 216, FILM 226, FILM 236, FILM 240, FILM 260.

3RD OR FINAL YEAR

- Complete all major requirements/core courses. Choose from a variety of more intensive research or production options.
- For Stage and Screen, take 3.0 units from STSC 300 or STSC 309.

4TH OR FINAL YEAR

- Engage with new 4th year capstone courses. Take core courses FILM 400 and FILM 402. Take a core course in the capstone "major project" FILM 460.
- Apply to graduate on SOUS.

GET THE COURSES YOU NEED

- Join teams or clubs on campus such as the Queen's Film Production Club and Photo ops.
- See the Co-Curricular Opportunities Directory or AMS Clubs Directory for more ideas.

GET CONNECTED WITH THE COMMUNITY

- Volunteer on or off-campus with different community organizations, such as Queen's Players.
- Join the Film & Media Department Facebook page.

GET THINKING GLOBALLY

- Grappling with program decisions? - go to different Major Nights by the departments or various Career Fairs in the year. Get some help deciding by visiting Career Services and attending the Choosing your Major workshop.
- Explore different careers of interest by reading books in the Career Services Information Area, such as Career Opportunities in The Film Industry, or finding and connecting with history alumni on LinkedIn.

GET READY FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION

- Stay during the summer as an assistant to a faculty member or apply for an external summer research opportunity. If interested, take FILM 395 to receive course credit for a practical internship.
- Consider entrepreneurial opportunities at programs like the Queen's Summer Innovation Initiative (QSII).
- Examine technical training programs to enhance your skills.
- Investigate full-time jobs or other opportunities related to careers of interest. Assess what experience you're lacking and fill in gaps with volunteering, clubs, or internships.
- Participate in the annual field trip to the Montreal Documentary Film Festival.

Visit careers.queensu.ca/majormap.html for the online version with links!
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**WHAT PROGRAM OPTIONS ARE THERE?**

- Specialization – Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Stage and Screen
- Specialization – Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Computing and the Creative Arts
- Major (Arts) – Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
- Medial in Film and Media – Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
- General in Film and Media – Bachelor of Arts
- Minor in Film and Media with Bachelor of Arts or Science

See the department website for course requirements: [www.film.queensu.ca](http://www.film.queensu.ca)

**WHAT DO EMPLOYERS WANT?**

In a recent survey from the Canadian Council of Chief Executives the top 6 skills sought by employers were:

1. People skills
2. Communication skills
3. Problem-solving skills
4. Analytical abilities
5. Leadership skills
6. Industry-specific knowledge

**HOW DO I GET THE SKILLS I NEED?**

It is important to develop a balanced skill set – many of which you will develop during your studies. To stand out from the crowd, gain experience outside the classroom through the multitude of clubs and activities in and around Queen’s. Check out ideas in the Get Involved section of this map.

**WHAT CAN I LEARN STUDYING FILM AND MEDIA AT QUEEN’S?**

- Knowledge of film production equipment and techniques
- Creative approaches to working with media such as film and photography
- Ability to analyze films and evaluate the techniques used
- Research – draw information from journal articles and film databases
- Teamwork and leadership
- Resource and time management - manage multiple projects with limited resources
- Critical thinking – comprehensive analysis of issues and ideas before coming to conclusion
- Problem solving – connect, synthesize, and transform material to generate new forms and solutions, risk taking.
- Intercultural knowledge and competence – adapt empathetically to unfamiliar ways of being
- Civic engagement – use theatre to make a positive difference in local communities

**WHAT MAKES ME SPECIAL?**

You have a unique set of skills and experiences. Take the time to think about the skills you have personally developed at Queen’s. Explaining your strengths with compelling examples will be important for future applications to employers and further education. For help with this, check out the Career Services skills workshop.

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**Getting what you need to succeed in the workplace**

- Personal and Physical Health
- Athletics and Recreation
- Counselling Services
- Peer Support Centre
- Academic and Intellectual Health
- Student Academic Success Services: Learning Strategies and the Writing Centre
- Adaptive Technologies Learning Commons
- Social and Interpersonal Health
- AMS
- Rector
- Residence Life
- Student Experience Office
- Queen’s Legal Aid
- International Centre
- Cross-Cultural Counsellor
- Peer Support Centre
- International Centre
- Cross-Cultural Counsellor
- Student Community Centre
- Career and Professional Health
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