

Gainful Employment

Graphic Communications

Program Level: Undergraduate

Program Length: 10 Months (1080 hours)

Students graduating on time

N/A* of Title IV students complete the program within 1 year

*Fewer than 10 students enrolled in this program. This number has been withheld to preserve the confidentiality of the students.

Program Costs*

\$ 600.00 - Tuition and Fees

\$ 469.00 - Books and Supplies

\$5,750.00 - Off Campus Room and Board

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*The amount shown above includes costs for the entire program, assuming normal time to completion.

Note that this information is subject to change.

Students Borrowing Money

0% of students who attend this program borrow money to pay for it

They typical graduate leaves with

N/A* in debt

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The typical monthly loan payment

N/A* per month in student loans with **N/A*** interest rate.

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The typical graduate earns

\$22.90 hourly, \$47,640 annually after leaving this program.

Graduates

This program had no adult students during the 2017-18 academic year.

Placement rate for adult completers - Not Applicable

\$0.00 - Title IV Loans

\$0.00 - Private Loans

\$0.00 - Institutional debt

Graduates who got jobs

N/A* of program graduates got jobs according to the accreditor job placement rate

*Program does not have enough completers to calculate a placement rate as required.

Program graduates are employed in the following fields:

SOC Code 27-1024.00: Graphics Designers

For more info on this occupation see <http://www.bls.gov> and

<https://www.onetonline.org/link/summary/27-1024.00>.

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Graphic Communication

AV 1830

Cluster:

Arts, A/V Technology and Communication

Pathway:

Printing Technology Pathway

Credential:

Certificate for Graphic Communication

Course Offerings:

Required Courses:

- 1835 - Fundamentals of Graphic Communication
- 1833 - Electronic Imaging
- 1841 - Offset Press and Bindery
- 1839 - Image Assembly and Platemaking

Recommended Elective Courses:

- 1837 - Applications in Graphic Communications
- 1834 - Digital Prepress
- 1832 - Color Processing



Sample Careers in Graphic Communications

The Graphic Communication concentration focuses on careers in general commercial printing, quick printing, digital imaging, magazine, newspaper and book printing, financial and legal printing, screen printing, thermography, business forms printing, label and tap printing, packaging, greeting cards, prepress technician, and trade and finishing services.

Salary Range

\$20,920 - \$82,020

Salary influenced by level and degree of education and certifications.

Students participating in this course of study will have the skill to enter the work force immediately after graduation or have the opportunity to earn up to 28 college hours toward a 2 or 4 year degree.

This course takes 1080 hours to complete

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Program Covers:

- Layout Preparation
- Composition
- Copy Preparation
- Paste-up
- Photographic Operations
- Binding and Finishing
- Offset Press Operations
- Job Seeking/ Keeping Skills
- Microcomputer applications

FACTS

The printing industry employs 850,000 or more in the United States. Printing also is one of the nation's largest industries with over 40,000 firms totaling over \$73 billion in yearly sales. Printing ranks among the country's Top 10 manufacturing industries. 80% of printing companies have fewer than 20 employees, making advancement common. It is estimated that more than 25,000 men and women will be needed by the industry in the next 10 years, to replace retirees and fill new positions.

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