general information and policies

Eligibility All Visual Communication Design students intending to earn a BFA are required to apply through ArtV 297 VCD Portfolio Review. A student is a candidate for a BA in Visual Communication Design until they are accepted into the BFA program through this Portfolio Review process. To be eligible for Portfolio Review, a student must have earned 60 credit hours prior to the review and must have an over all GPA minimum of 2.5. BFA candidates must maintain this GPA minimum through graduation to obtain the BFA degree.

vcd bfa portfolio requirements

The portfolio should contain a mixture of approximately 15 projects representative of the student's strongest work as outlined below:

❍ **Visual Communication Design — 10 projects** from any of the following courses:
   ArtV 215: Visual Communication Design I
   ArtV 217: Typography I
   ArtV 315: Visual Communication Design II
   ArtV 317: Typography II
   ArtV 325: Techniques in Visual Communication Design (if taken)
   ArtV 330: Interaction Design for Visual Communication (if taken)
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   ArtV 417, 425, 415, 427 (if taken)

❍ ArtD 310: **Drawing II — 1 project**

❍ ArtO 210: **Basic Photography — 1 project**

❍ **Painting I** (ArtP 230) **or Printmaking** (ArtR 272 or ArtR 375) **— 1 project**

❍ **Student choice — 1 or 2 projects** from any of the above-listed courses, other studio classes taken within the Visual Arts Program at NKU, or work from extra-curricular projects

❍ Sketchbooks / evidence of the design process

❍ Written responses to the questions appearing on page 2 of this document. Submit the document through the ArtV 297 Canvas page.

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Registration Students must be enrolled in ArtV 297 at the time of the review.