Oakland University, College of Arts and Sciences, Department of English

B. A. in CINEMA STUDIES with a Specialization in Filmmaking

Requirements for the liberal arts major in cinema studies, B.A. program with a specialization in filmmaking

The cinema studies major with a specialization in filmmaking requires a total of 52 credit hours. Only 16 transfer credits may be counted towards the cinema studies major. Only courses in which the student has earned a grade of at least 2.0 may be counted towards the cinema studies major.

1. One introductory-level course selected from

CIN 1150 (150) Introduction to Film ENG 2610 (250) Film and Formal Analysis

2. Four required courses

CIN 1160 (165) Introduction to Filmmaking CIN 2150 (252) Methods of Cinema Studies CIN 2500 (265) Form and Meaning in Filmmaking CIN 3150 (315) Film Theory and Criticism

3. Two courses in film history selected from

CIN 3200 (300) History of Film: The Silent Era CIN 3210 (301) History of Film: The Sound Era to 1958 CIN 3220 (302) History of Film: The New Wave and Beyond CIN 3230 (303) History of Film: Into the 21st century

4. One additional cinema studies elective course chosen from any CIN 3000/300- or 4000/400-level course or any interdisciplinary course from this list

AH 3560 (367) Film and the Visual Arts
AN 3140 (307) Culture and Society through Film
COM 3606 (387) Gender, Sexuality and Media
COM 3607 (375) The Rise of Electronic Media
CW 3400 (ENG 387) Screenwriting
ENG 2800 (260) Masterpieces of World Cinema
ENG 3675 (309) Adaptation: Fiction, Drama, Film
LIT 2905 (251) Studies in Foreign Film
PS 3240 (309) Politics through Film

5. Four filmmaking elective courses selected from

CIN 3610 (366) Documentary Filmmaking
CIN 3620 (367) Narrative Filmmaking
CIN 3630 (368) Experimental Filmmaking
CIN 3906 (365) Topics in Filmmaking
CIN 4930 (485) Field Internship in Cinema Studies
CIN 4996 (499) Independent Study
CW 3400 (ENG 387) Screenwriting

6. One filmmaking capstone course

CIN 4999 Filmmaking Thesis

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