Film and Media

With a focus on critical thinking, our students examine a wide variety of media – including film, animation, television, AR/VR, and digital media – in order to better understand, and contribute to, contemporary visual culture. Our program integrates this material with a diverse range of studies courses in history, theory, and criticism as well as foundational and advanced production courses in digital video, animation, and open media.

REASONS to study FILM AND MEDIA

- Programs combine studies in film & media history, theory, and criticism with instruction in video, animation, and interactive media production.
- Access to resources in our stateof-the-art facility, the Isabel Bader Centre.
- Earn credit for completing practical internships in a variety of industry-related fields locally or elsewhere.
- Develop critical thinking skills needed to pursue graduate studies or leadership in any profession.
- Innumerable opportunities to network with experienced faculty, staff, and industry professionals.

Alumni Story

"I am grateful to [my Film and Media Professors and] to Queen's University for teaching me that film reflects the world - past, present, and future – [and] to think outside the box, open my eyes and see the world in new ways, to remember the importance of friendship, and for starting me on my storytelling journey."

-Michelle MacLaren, BAH '86

ALUMNI JOBS

Kara Haflidson (ArtSci '06) Producer: Letterkenny

Justin Cutler (ArtSci '03) Film Commissioner of Ontario: Ontario Media

Development Corporation

Ashley Rice (ArtSci '98)

President & Co-Managing Partner: Cinespace

Elan Mastai (ArtSci '97)

Screenwriter and novelist: The F-Word, This is Us

Michael Souther and Teza Lawerence (Artsci

Founders/Producers: Amaze Film & TV

Sarita Choudhury (ArtSci '89)

Actress: Mississippi Masala, Homeland, and The Hunger Games

Michelle MacLaren (ArtSci '86)

Director & Producer: Breaking Bad, The Walking Dead, and Game of Thrones

2023-24

Plan Thresholds

Thresholds are made on a competitive basis and are updated annually. To see the thresholds for all programs as well as the latest information, please visit quartsci. com/planselection

Interested in finding out how to augment your degree with Experiential Learning? Learn what opportunities and resources are available for you on the Experiential Learning website. You can also reach out to the team directly at asc.el@queensu.ca.





Add a CERTIFICATE

Animation Theory and Practice

Data Analytics

Disability and Physical Activity

Employment Relations

Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Creativity

French for Professionals

Geographic Information Science

Global Action and Engagement

Indigenous Languages and Cultures

International Studies

Media Studies

Sexual and Gender Diversity

Urban Planning Studies

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Acquire Skills. Gain Experience. Go Global.

That is a degree from Queen's.

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Film and Media MAJOR MAP

BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS): MAJOR, JOINT HONOURS, MINOR, (SPECIALIZATIONS ALSO AVAILABLE)

	1ST YEAR	2ND YEAR	3RD
GET THE COURSES YOU NEED	In first year you will have the chance to explore the foundations of Film and Media along with some electives. Make sure to enrol in FILM 111: Film, Media, and Screen Cultures: History and Aesthetics, and FILM 112: Film, Media, and Screen Cultures: Theory and Practice in your first year of study, as they are the prerequisites for the FILM Major. For all FILM, MAPP, and COCA prerequisites, consult the Arts & Science Academic Calendar. Interested in getting a head start in learning and working in a digital world? Take ASCX 150 and develop future-ready skills!	Start going deeper into the discipline of Film and Media, while considering a minor and/ or certificate such as Animation Theory and Practice or Media Studies. Learn more about Certificates and Internship options. Want to make sure your academics are where you want them to be? Visit SASS (Student Academic Support Services) and the Writing Centre for some help. Develop your entrepreneurial skills by participating in the Dean's Changemaker Challenge (ASCX 200/300).	Meet w sure yo your co Contact for Film progres degree underg stoppin
GET RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	Join teams or clubs on campus such as the Queen's Film Club. See the AMS Clubs Directory or the Queen's Get Involved page for more ideas.	Look into summer jobs by talking to the department or Career Services about work through SWEP or Work-Study. Join the Student Film Society.	If intere Student Conside internsh
CET CONNECTED -		Apply to volunteer or work at media outlets like QTV (through Studio Q), CFRC, or Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, or at the Kingston Canadian Film Festival and Reelout Film Festival.	If intere course c film fest relevant
GET CONNECTED WITH THE COMMUNITY	Volunteer on or off-campus with different community organizations, such as Reelout Film Festival and the Kingston Canadian Film Festival. Join the Film & Media Facebook and Instagram. Learn about world cinemas by attending screenings at the Screening Room downtown Kingston.	Get involved with the Departmental Student Council (DSC). Start or continue volunteering with organizations such as the <u>Kingston Canadian Film Festival</u> or <u>Reelout Film Festival</u> .	Sign up session the Filn Kingsto Connec more a and Ins
GET THINKING GLOBALLY	Prepare for work or studies in a multi-cultural environment by taking QUIC's Intercultural Competency Certificate, and research possible immigration regulations. Speak to a QUIC advisor to get involved in their programs, events, and training opportunities.	Is an exchange in your future? Start thinking about where you would like to study abroad. Apply in January for a third year exchange through the International Programs Office.	Take co knowled
GET READY FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION	Grappling with program decisions? Go to Majors Night or get some help with career options from Career Services. Contact Film and Media for more information on their programs by emailing undergraduatefilm@queensu.ca or by stopping by the Main Office at the Isabel Bader Centre (390 King St. West, Rm 306).	Explore different careers of interest in the Career Services Information Area. For more information check out <u>Career Cruising</u> or by finding and connecting with alumni on <u>LinkedIn</u> .	Start fo Researd careers take an GMAT) School technic

How to use this map

Use the 5 rows of the map to explore possibilities and plan for success in the five overlapping areas of career and academics. The map just offers suggestions – you don't have to do it all! To make your own custom map, use the My Major Map tool.

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et with an <u>Academic Advisor</u> to make e you are on track and have planned out ar courses for next year.

ntact the Undergraduate Assistant Film and Media to verify your ogress towards completing your gree requirements by emailing dergraduatefilm@queensu.ca or by pping by the Main Office (IBCPA 306).

terested, apply for an <u>Undergraduate</u> <u>dent Summer Research Fellowship (USSRF)</u>. Isider applying to do a 12-16 month <u>QUIP</u> <u>rnship</u> between your third and fourth year.

terested, apply for <u>FILM 395</u> to receive rse credit for a practical internship at a festival, production company, or other vant opportunity.

n up for production workshops, info isions, and networking events hosted by Film and Media Department and the igston Film Office.

nnect with other students and find out re about department events on Facebook linstagram.

e courses that expand your global wledge of Film and Media.

rt focusing on areas of interest. search education requirements for eers of interest. If needed, prepare to e any required tests (like the LSAT or IAT) and get help thinking about Grad rool from Career Services. Examine hnical training programs to enhance it skills.

4TH OR FINAL YEAR

In fourth year you will have the chance to participate in research-based courses that can lead to <u>Graduate School</u> or to your future career path.

Make an appointment with Graduate Assistant for Film and Media if you are considering pursuing the Screen Cultures and Curatorial Studies Master's.

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Interested in working on a real-world problem with an actual client? Take ASCX 400 and develop your consulting and projectmanagement skills.

Investigate requirements for 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 – check out the Career Services skills workshop for help. Consider taking FILM 450*/3.0: The Business of Media. Students network directly with Film alumni working in the industry at an annual event in Toronto.

Considering joining professional associations, such as the Film and Media Association of Canada and the Canadian Media Producers Association, and/or apply for permittee status in one or more industry unions, such as the DGC, IATSE, and ACTRA.

International students interested in staying in Canada can speak with an <u>International Student Advisor</u>.

Apply to jobs or future education, or make plans for other adventures. Get help from Career Services with job searching, resumes, interviews, Grad School applications, or other decisions. Apply in the fall for <u>SSHRC</u> and <u>OGS</u> scholarships.

Apply for the <u>Queen's Career Apprenticeship:</u> Kingston (QCA:K).

What will I learn?

A degree in Film and Media can equip you with:

- Creative approaches to working with film and digital media
- Critical thinking for comprehensive analysis of issues and ideas before coming to conclusions
- Knowledge of film and media production equipment and techniques
- Ability to analyze films and media, and evaluate the techniques used
- Project management

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- Research to draw information from libraries, journal articles and online sources
- · Teamwork and leadership
- Resource and time management to manage multiple long-term projects while working with limited resources
- Intercultural and transnational knowledge, and competence to adapt empathetically to unfamiliar ways of being

Where can I go?

A degree in Film and Media can take your career in many directions. Many students choose to continue their academic inquiry with a Master's. Our students are equipped with a strong foundation for careers in:

- Advertising
- Arts Management
- Broadcasting
- Digital Media
- Directing
- Film/Media/TV Production
- Festival programming
- Higher Education
- Post-Production
- Public relations

Taking time to explore career options, build experience, and network can help you have a smooth transition to the world of work after graduation.

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Get started thinking about the future now – where do you want to go after your degree? Having tentative goals (like careers or grad school) while working through your degree can help with short-term decisions about courses and experiences, but also help you keep motivated for success.

Get the help you need

Queen's provides you with a broad range of support services from your first point of contact with the university through to graduation. At Queen's, you are never alone. We have many offices dedicated to helping you learn, think and do.

Ranging from help with academics and careers, to physical, emotional, or spiritual resources – our welcoming living and learning environment offers the programs and services you need to be successful, both academically and personally. Queen's wants you to succeed! Check out the Student Affairs website for available resources.



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QUIPQUEEN'S UNDERGRADUATE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

START DATES

in May, September, or January

POSITIONS

are paid and full-time

POSITIONS WORK TERMS

are 12-16 months long



- Graduate with a "Professional Internship" degree
- Learn about current advances, practices and technologies in business and industry.
- Test drive a career, earn a competitive salary, and get real world experience.

ELIGIBILITY

- 2nd or 3rd Year Students
- Minimum GPA of 1.9



- Gain a year of career-related work experience.
- Build network connections.
- Receive support from Queen's staff in job search and during internship.

SAMPLE PAST INTERNSHIPS



For more information, contact quip@queensu.ca or visit the Program Website.

Why study in Kingston?

For over 175 years, our community has been more than a collection of bright minds—Queen's has attracted students with an ambitious spirit. Queen's has the highest retention rates, the highest graduation rates, and one of the highest employment rates among recent graduates. We are a research intensive university focused on the undergraduate experience. The BBC has identified Kingston as one of the GREATEST UNIVERSITY TOWNS in the world – and it is often awarded the safest city in Canada.

anada, ints It is a university city at the core; just a quick drive to Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa and even New York. A university with more clubs per capita than any other university in Canada, and a city with more restaurants per capita than any other city in North America - you will have the experience of a lifetime at London / 7 hrs CANADA Oueen's Queen's - and graduate Beijing / 15 hrs with a degree that is Dubai / 14 hrs Calgary / 4 hrs Vancouver / 5 hrs globally recognized among the best. Halifax / 2 hrs San Francisco / 5.5 hrs Kingston Denver/3 hrs New York / 1.5 hrs UNITED STATES Dallas / 3.5 hrs Atlanta / 2 hrs Bermuda / 2 hrs