



STEP 1 ACCEPT OFFER

Sign in to your [Student Service Centre \(SSC\)](#). Click on Admissions, then Accept My Offer and pay the acceptance fee.

STEP 2 CHECK REGISTRATION DATE

Sign in to the [SSC](#) and click on Registration to find your registration date. Be sure to register as soon as your registration opens as courses fill up quickly. Registration is online only.

View [registration times](#), based on year level.

STEP 3 CREATE A WORKLIST

In your [SSC](#), access the Worklist tool to draft your timetable and ensure there are no conflicts. Make sure to create at least one Worklist each for Terms 1 and 2. **Need help?** A video tutorial is available on your SSC homepage.

STEP 4 REGISTER

On your registration date, sign in to your [SSC](#) and register for the courses listed in your preferred Worklist(s) for both Term 1 and Term 2. Verify that you have registered in all required components of the course (lecture, lab, tutorial, and seminar) by clicking the Registered Courses button. When registering for courses, you may see a course listed as Full, Blocked, or Restricted. For more information on what to do if you see these class statuses, look for a Section Comment as these provide further registration instructions.

RESOURCES

Academic Calendar

Think of this as the official rulebook for the University. Learn about your important dates, degree requirements, UBC policies, deadlines and more: [Academic Calendar](#).

Degree Navigator

This tool can show you how your courses fit into the various degrees/majors offered at UBC Okanagan. You can access this program through your [SSC](#) under the Registration tab. Click on Degree Navigator, Okanagan. Video tutorials are available [here](#).

UBC 101

Our online orientation is designed to provide a general introduction for new students to all things UBCO. From textbooks to housing, medical insurance to degree planning, UBC 101 provides a critical foundation of university and campus knowledge to help you succeed once you arrive on campus. All new-to-UBC students are pre-enrolled in UBC 101, which can be accessed on your [canvas dashboard](#).

Student Learning Hub

UBCO offers a variety of free learning supports, including 1:1 and group tutoring, writing and language help, learning strategist supports, and academic integrity education.

For a complete list of available learning supports, visit the [Student Learning Hub](#).

Student Records & Financial Services

If you have questions about tuition payment, financial aid, your UBCCard, or related topics, visit [Student Records & Financial Services](#)



FIRST-YEAR PLANNING GUIDE

Welcome to the Bachelor of Media Studies program in the Faculty of Creative and Critical Studies. Please use this guide to help you plan your first-year courses.

Students can register for the program’s core required courses using the [Student Service Centre \(SSC\)](#). The timetable below identifies the program’s core courses and in which term you will typically register for them.

Students register in both Term 1 and Term 2 at the same time. Most core courses for year one of the BMS program are restricted to BMS students. You may notice some of your required courses are listed in the course schedule as “Restricted.” You should still be able to register in them.

Term 1 (Sept-Dec)	Term 2 (Jan-April)
VISA 106: Introduction to Digital Media I	VISA 108: Introduction to Digital Media II
MDST 110: Introduction to Computational Art and Design I	MDST 120: Introduction to Computational Art and Design II
CULT 100: Media and Popular Cultures in Global Context Note: this course can be completed in Term 1 or Term 2.	FILM 100: Introduction to Film Studies <i>or</i> FILM 103: Acting for Stage and Screen Note: these courses may be offered in either Term 1 or Term 2.
DIHU 155 or ENGL 155: Writing and Making with Technology in the Humanities (DIHU 155 preferred) Note: this course can be completed in either Term 1 or Term 2	Elective
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VISA 090: Safety Training (may be completed in Term 1 or Term 2) Note: this is a mandatory, one time, four-hour, non-credit safety class.	

Note: The faculty recommends the following electives: CORH 216, COSC 111, COSC 114, COSC 123, PSYO 111, PSYO 121, SOCI 111, VISA 102, VISA 103, VISA 104, VISA 105, and/or VISA 110

Questions? Visit the [FAQs](#) or contact an [advisor](#).