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Create thought-provoking imagery. Tell your story. Make a difference.

From viral sensations to Netflix to blockbuster hits, options for filmmakers to find audiences have never been greater. In addition, computer animation is one of the more vital career fields in the entertainment industry - with talented artists working on everything from animated films and television to video games and motion graphics.

Through Pima's curriculum, you'll create memorable storytelling using the practical aspects of video production and animation principles. Telling a powerful story is about triggering emotion in the viewer. Make a difference in the world by entertaining and informing.

We offer an Associate of Applied Science degree in Digital Film Arts and Animation with concentrations in Digital Film Art, and in Digital Film Arts Animation.

#### **RECENT GRADUATES**

Our Associate of Applied Science degrees are intended for the student who wants direct-toemployment training. Graduates of our program work locally for production studios and television stations and do freelance work for advertising agencies, movie productions, commercials and industrial videos. Students have transferred to the University of Arizona, Arizona State University and Northern Arizona University, as well as out-ofstate schools, including the University of Southern California and Chapman College. However, students seeking transfer should make an appointment with the Arts Division advisor for guidance in transfer









Prepare for a career in the film industry by studying digital film arts and animation.

#### **CORE CLASSES**

These courses are required for Pima's degree pathway\*

DAR 103 - Intro to Digital Arts

DAR 115 - Digital Video Editing

DAR 124 - Writing for Film and Television

## Digital Film Arts Concentration

DAR 125 - Digital Cinematography I

DAR 173 - History of American Cinema

DAR 175 - The Art of Digital Cinematography

DAR 205 - Lighting for Film and Television

DAR 217 - Post Production for Film

DAR 225 - Digital Cinematography II

DAR 275 - Basic Audio Production

DAR 285 - Documentary TV and Film Production

DAR 286 - Digital Cinematography Capstone



## Digital Film Arts Animation Concentration

DAR 101 - Color Rendering and Theory

DAR 120 - Applied Computer Graphics

DAR 122 - Desktop Graphics: Adobe Illustrator

DAR 140 - Illustration Studio: Illustration Technique & Media

DAR 176 - Digital Animation

DAR 221 - Adobe Photoshop

DAR 250 - Computer 2-D Animation: After Effects

DAR 251 - Computer 3-D Animation: Maya

DAR 258 - Advanced Computer 3-D Animation

\* Courses and requirements subject to change. Please see the current course catalog for specific degree requirements.

Note: Independent study courses available in various areas



## **Campus Features**

#### **West Campus**

- State-of-the-art cameras for student checkout
- · Well-equipped lighting kits for student checkout
- Green screen studio with professional lighting equipment
- Editing bays for student use
- Three fully iMac-equipped classrooms
- One Windows-equipped classroom with Cyntiq touch screens (for animation)







### **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- Student film screening at the annual Digital Arts Expo and Showcase
- YouTube account to share student projects worldwide
- State-of-the-art equipment checkout
- Industry professional guest speakers
- Field trips to local companies
- Capstone Project

#### **GET STARTED**

At **pima.edu/getstarted**, you'll find links to help you in these areas:

#### Admission, support and advising

- · Meet with a Pima recruiter to get started
- Apply for admission
- Advisors will support you throughout your studies

## MyPima, Assessments and New Student Orientation

- Activate your MyPima account: account.pima.edu/accountclaim
- Pima's basic skills assessments: pima.edu/assessment
- New Student Orientation: pima.edu/orientation

## Financial Aid, scholarships and veterans benefits

At **pima.edu/costs**, you will find links to help:

- Federal Financial Aid: fafsa.gov
- Scholarships and grants: pima.edu/scholarships
- Veterans benefits and learn about services: pima.edu/veterans

#### **DIVISION OF ARTS**

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#### **GROUP ADVISING SESSIONS**

Signup: pima.edu/artshumanitiesadvising

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