PACKAGING DESIGN AAS

The Packaging Design AAS comprises 60 credits of coursework that prepares students for entry-level employment in the multi-billion dollar packaging and display industry. It also provides workers who want to update their skills in this discipline the opportunity to do so.

Students are required to own a laptop computer and purchase specified software. Please review full program requirements at Graphic Communications Laptop Policy (pdf) (https://helpx.adobe.com/photoshop/system-requirements.html). *NOTE: Students entering the Graphic Communications/Packaging Design program must own or have access to a camera (digital SLR or phone) capable of shooting in RAW format.

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Code	**Title**	**Credits**
Written Communication		
ENGL-101	**WRITING AND RHETORIC I**	**3.00**
Oral Communication		
Select one of the following:		**3.00**
COMM-101	**FUNDAMENTALS OF ORAL COMMUNICATION**	
COMM-203	**SMALL GROUP COMMUNICATION**	
COMM-204	**PUBLIC SPEAKING**	
Mathematical Ways of Knowing		
Select one of the following:		**3.00**
CS-108	**INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE**	
MATH-123	**MATH IN MODERN SOCIETY**	
MATH-140	**ALGEBRAIC REASONING AND PROBLEM-SOLVING**	
MATH-143	**PRECALCULUS I: ALGEBRA**	
MATH-147	**PRECALCULUS**	
MATH-153	**STATISTICAL REASONING**	
MATH-170	**CALCULUS I**	
MATH-254	**STATISTICAL METHODS**	
MATH-257	**MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II**	
MTHPT-130	**FINITE MATHEMATICS**	
MTHPT-137	**MATH FOR TECHNOLOGY**	
MTHPT-153	**STATISTICAL REASONING**	
Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing		
Select one of the following:		**3.00**
HRPT-184	**DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS**	
or SS-184	**DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS**	
HRPT-185	**HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS**	
or SS-185	**HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS**	
Additional General Education Core Course		**3.00**
***Additional Core Course cannot be used to fulfill a requirement above.**		
Select the link below to review LC State's General Education Core courses		
http://catalog.lcsc.edu/general-education (http://catalog.lcsc.edu/general-education/)/		
Total Credits		**15.00**

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
PITPT-102	INTRO/GRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS	3.00
PITPT-111	INTRODUCTION TO PACKAGING	3.00
PITPT-119	ADOBE INDESIGN	3.00

PITPT-129	ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR	3.00
PITPT-139	ADOBE PHOTOSHOP	3.00
PITPT-211	GRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS III	6.00
PITPT-229	PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN I	3.00
PITPT-230	PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN II	3.00
PITPT-281	PACKAGING STRUCTURAL DESIGN	3.00
PITPT-285	POINT OF PURCHASE DISPLAYS	3.00
PITPT-288	PACKAGING OPTIMIZATION	3.00
PITPT-289	PACKAGING GRAPHICS	3.00
PITPT-294	INTERNSHIP IN PRINTING TECHNOLOGY	3.00
Select 3 elective credits		3.00
Completion of a Technical Skills Assessment is required		
Total Credits		**45.00**

Course	**Title**	**Credits**
First Year		
Fall		
CORE	Mathematical Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Oral Communication	3.00
ENGL-101	WRITING AND RHETORIC I	3.00
PITPT-102	INTRO/GRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS	3.00
PITPT-111	INTRODUCTION TO PACKAGING	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Spring		
CORE	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3.00
PITPT-119	ADOBE INDESIGN	3.00
PITPT-129	ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR	3.00
PITPT-211	GRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS III	6.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Second Year		
Fall		
CORE	Additional General Education Course	3.00
PITPT-139	ADOBE PHOTOSHOP	3.00
PITPT-229	PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN I	3.00
PITPT-281	PACKAGING STRUCTURAL DESIGN	3.00
PITPT-285	POINT OF PURCHASE DISPLAYS	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Spring		
Program Requirement	Select 3 Elective Credits	3.00
PITPT-230	PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN II	3.00
PITPT-288	PACKAGING OPTIMIZATION	3.00
PITPT-289	PACKAGING GRAPHICS	3.00
PITPT-294	INTERNSHIP IN PRINTING TECHNOLOGY	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
	Total Credits	**60.00**

- Structural Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Sales Representative
- Production Personnel
- Plant Manager