

Creative Collaboration and Multidisciplinary Design, MS (Boston)

Overview

The Master of Science in Creative Collaboration and Multidisciplinary Design is an executive education degree rooted in the creative process as the main driver for adaptive thinking, dynamic communication, and empowering collaboration. In today's highly networked organizational structures, current and future leaders will need the skills to navigate the creative process, respond to shifting landscapes with agility, and articulate their vision through multiple modalities in ways that inspire, connect, and call others to action. This highly interactive, experiential degree will provide students with a combination of design skills and creativity techniques in a project-based learning environment to foster innovative leadership and empower communication. Graduates will leave with a flexible toolkit to nurture their individual creativity, adaptability in the face of rapid change, and skills to become well-rounded strategists and communicators.

Program Requirements

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Code	Title	Hours
Foundation		
INAM 5300	Principles of Design	2
INAM 5305	User Observation and Design Planning	2
INAM 5310	Principles of Creative Collaboration	2
Seminars		
INAM 5507	Foundations of Data Visualization	1
INAM 5508	Visual Data Encodings	1
Experiential		
INAM 5400	Facilitating Creative Collaboration	2
INAM 5405	The Agile Mindset and Design-Led Innovation	2
INAM 5410	Persuasion and the Power of Storytelling	2
Studio		
INAM 5415	Design Studio: Fundamentals of Iterative Prototyping	2
Capstone		
INAM 6900	Interdisciplinary Capstone	4

Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 12 semester hours of electives from one of the ranges below (or in consultation with your graduate advisor):		12
INAM 5300 to INAM 5349		
INAM 5400 to INAM 5449		
INAM 5500 to INAM 5549		
INAM 6500 to INAM 6549		

Plan of Study

Sample Full-Time Plan of Study

Year 1					
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer Full Semester	Hours
INAM 5300		2 INAM 5400		2 INAM 5415	2
INAM 5305		2 INAM 5405		2 INAM 5507	1
INAM 5310		2 INAM 5410		2 INAM 5508	1
Electives		6 Electives		6 INAM 6900	4
		12		12	8

Total Hours: 32

Sample Part-Time Plan of Study

Year 1					
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer Full Semester	Hours
INAM 5300		2 INAM 5400		2 INAM 5415	2
INAM 5305		2 INAM 5405		2 INAM 5507	2
INAM 5310		2 INAM 5410		2 INAM 5508	2
Elective		2 Elective		2 Elective	2
		8		8	8
Year 2					
Fall	Hours				
Electives		4			
INAM 6900		4			
		8			
Total Hours: 32					