MA Curriculum for the Graduate Program of Digital Media Design for the Academic Year of 2025-2026

Academic Year	First Year					Second Year					Total
Category	Course	1st Sem.		2nd Sem.		Course	1st Sem.		2nd Sem.		
		Hours	Credits	Hours	Credits		Hours	Credits	Hours	Credits	
School Required Courses											0 Credits
Dept. Required Courses	Design Research Methodology	3	3								6 Credits
	Thesis Discourse and Writing			3	3						
	Subtotal	3	3	3	3	Subtotal	0	0	0	0	
Dept. Elective Courses	Digital Creative Planning and Strategies	3	3			Study of Digital Arts	3	3			At Least 21 Credits
	Study of Cultural and Creative Industries			3	3	Integrated Marketing Communication and Design			3	3	
	Advance Online Media Design	3	3			Game Project Management	3	3			
	Creation of New Media			3	3	Study of After Effects			3	3	
	Application and Study of Animation	3	3			Creation of Virtual Space	3	3			
	Study of Character Design			3	3	Performance Design of New Media			3	3	
	Monographs of Digital Games	3	3			Study of Mixed Reality	3	3			
	Human Computer Interaction Design			3	3	Thematic Study of Design	3	3			
	Creation of Digital Music	3	3			Thematic Study of Science and Technology Art			3	3	
	Digital Audio			3	3	Special research on AI creation			3	3	
	Special Study of Digital Creation	3	3								
				3	3						
	Subtotal	18	18	15	15	Subtotal	15	15	15	15	
	Total	23	23	20	20	Total	15	15	15	15	

Study Regulations:

1. The minimum number of credits required for graduation is **33**, including **6** credits of required courses and at least **27** credits of electives.

2. Master's students in this department must complete and pass a minimum of 33 credits of required and elective courses, as well as pass all examinations stipulated in the university's Graduate Degree Examination Regulations and the department's Professional Competency Assessment, in order to be eligible for graduation.

3. Courses offered by other master's programs within the College of Design may be recognized, with a maximum allowance of 6 credits, subject to the approval of the department chair. This regulation applies retroactively to students admitted before Academic Year 2022 (111th Academic Year).

4. The elective courses listed in this curriculum framework apply retroactively to students admitted before Academic Year 2024 (113th Academic Year).

5. All master's students, except those in the International College and the Department of Applied English, who have not met the English proficiency requirements set forth in the "Ming Chuan University English Proficiency Graduation Requirements," must take and pass one of the following elective courses before graduation: *English Presentation, Social English, Business English,* or *Intercultural Communication in English*. Passing any of these courses shall be deemed equivalent to fulfilling the English proficiency requirement. These four English courses, however, do not count toward graduation credits.

1. Students must complete the university's Academic Ethics Education requirements before taking the thesis proposal oral examination.