

York University

Toronto, Canada

Canada's largest liberal arts program; Canada's only space engineering & global health programs; 87% of graduates are hired within six months of graduation; top 10 university in Canada for research impact; one of the 20 greenest universities in the world; renowned alumni such as Rachel McAdams (film star), Steven MacLean (astronaut and physicist), Pernille Ironside (UNICEF Chief), Mitch Goldhar (SmartCentres), Chantal Hébert (Toronto Star Columnist) and Joel Cohen (The Simpsons).

<http://design.gradstudies.yorku.ca/>

Concordia University
Design and Computational Arts
DART 498d

Kathleen Capiral
Coralie Lemay-Girouard
Laura Hernandez
Rachel Ann-Timtiman

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Information Experience Design (M.S.)

Specialization

Master of Design (MDes). Focus on design practice, theory and research in Communication Design. Two-year program, project and practice based. Experimental & interdisciplinary approach to the practice of graphic design.

Equipment

Dedicated design studio which includes a personal workstation with an iMac and storage space available 24 hours. Production room with laser printers and a 17-inch inkjet printer for both black & white and colour jobs, a 3D-printer, tabletop lighting and a photoshoot setting. Fabrication Lab with other printing technologies: 42-inch wide inkjet printer, Roland print & cut printer, Risograph printer, letterpress printer, guillotine, laser cutter. Professionally equipped photo lab which includes quality camera and lighting equipment (HD camcorders, professional HDV camcorders, professional mics, booms, and headphones).

Faculty

David Gelb, Associate Professor, AIGA; co-leader of [Interactive Art + Design Learning Modules](#).
David Cabianca, Associate Professor, AIGA; creator of typeface Cardea & co-organizer of “Blunt: Explicit and Graphic Design Criticism Now”

Application Guideline

Graduate Admission Package Checklist

Fall Entry (full-time program)

Recommendations (References) Required: 3

Resumé or CV

Statement of interest (1,000 words)

Portfolio of 10-15 pieces of work on a CD or DVD

Unofficial Transcript

Minimum Admission Requirements

a) Graduate with an Honours degree

b) B Minimum grade point average / GPA Requirement

c) English language proficiency (possibility of a request for an [English Language Proficiency Test](#))

IF required: Language Proficiency Test Requirements

a) [Test of English as a Foreign Language](#) / (Paper-based) Minimum 600

b) [Test of English as a Foreign Language](#) / (Internet-based) Minimum 100

c) [International English Language Testing Service](#) / (Academic Module) 7.5

d) [York English Language Test](#) / Band 1

e) [York University English Language Institute](#) / Level 6 with Distinction

f) [Michigan English Language Assessment Battery](#) / Overall score 70, component score no less than 60

g) [Cambridge English Language Assessment](#) (CPE Score) / Minimum C

h) [Cambridge English Language Assessment](#) (CAE Score) / Minimum B

Application Online: York University Graduate Studies

Application Fee: 100\$

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Career Opportunities & Benefits

Foundation for doctoral studies in the area of Design Research

Professional Communication Design Practice

Advance thinker and creative maker