



SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION AND THE ARTS

Master of Fine Arts (MFA) in
Film-Television

Concentration in Screenwriting

Academic Degree Plan

	<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
<u>GETTING STARTED</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> COM 500 Graduate Foundations for Communication/A	2	___	___
OR			
<input type="checkbox"/> UNIV LIB Information Research & Resources ₁	0	___	___
<u>CORE COURSES (42 hours minimum)</u>			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 606 Christian Artist: Mission and Vision	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 503 Screenplay as Art Form	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 513 Elements of Visual Storytelling	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 501 Film Theory	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 512 Writing the Short Film	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 515 Plot Structure	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 516 Character Development	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 522 Film Production for Writers	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 601 Character and Psychology	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 610 Writing Dramatic Dialogue	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 612 Feature Film Screenwriting	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 620 Theme, Imagery, and Spectacle	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 630 Screenwriting as Vocation	3	___	___
<u>CTV STUDIES</u>			
<i>Choose one of the following</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 509 American Cinema 1	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 510 World Cinema 1	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 511 American Cinema 2	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 512 World Cinema 2	3	___	___
<u>ELECTIVES (6 hours)</u>			
<i>Choose Six Credits of the following courses</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> COM 607 Social Media and Internet Marketing	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> COM 614 Issues in Media, Law, and Ethics	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 512 World Cinema 2	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> CTV 636 Financing, Marketing and Distribution	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 514 Writing the Episodic Drama	3	___	___

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<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 517 Comedy Writing	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 614 Topics in Screenwriting	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 640 Writing for Children	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 641 Writing for Digital Media	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 692 Pedagogy for Cinema Teachers	3	_____	_____

CAPSTONE COURSE (6 hours minimum)

<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 700 Breaking the Story	3	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SSW 698 MFA Portfolio	3	_____	_____

TOTAL HOURS 54***Program delivered entirely face-to-face or entirely online.*****Graduation Requirements**

Complete a minimum of 54 credit hours.

Degree must be completed within 5 years.

Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 .

Notes

¹ Students are registered for COM 500 based on their admissions writing sample score. Students are required to take UNIV LIB but it is waived if a student successfully completes COM 500.

*Regent University has the right to add to or change this worksheet. **This Degree Worksheet is an unofficial document.**

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE - 2 YEAR PLAN***Fall Term 1**

COM 500	2	
UNIV LIB	0	
CTV 606	3	
SSW 503	3	
SSW 513	3	
Total	9 to 11	

Summer Term 1

SSW 612	3	
SSW 601	3	
Total	6	

Spring Term 2

SSW 614	3	
Elective	3	
SSW 630	3	
Total	9	

Fall Term 3

SSW 698	3	
Elective	3	
Total	6	

Spring Term 1

SSW 501	3	
SSW 610	3	
SSW 620	3	
Total	9	

Fall Term 2

SSW 512	3	
SSW 515	3	
SSW 522	3	
Total	9	

Summer Term 2

CTV Core	3	
SSW 700	3	
Total	6	

*Alternative sequences may be available. Please confirm with your SEP and the Course Planning Tool for additional information and contact Academic Advising with any questions or concerns.