

SCHOOL of Arts and Professions

Department of Human Ecology

Fashion Merchandising-Fashion Institute of Technology Benchmark

(Fashion Merchandising-Fashion Institute of Technology) Level

Benchmarks

Fashion Merchandising – FIT

To be eligible to participate in the Fashion Institute of Visiting Student Program, students must:

- Be a full-time student & have completed at least 30 credit hours of coursework for BS degree in HUEC at UMES
- Have a minimum 2.9 GPA in all Gen Ed courses and a minimum of a 3.0 in all FMCT courses by the end of the fall semester of the sophomore year
- Complete applications for admissions to FIT by the deadline of the spring semester of sophomore year
- Notify departmental advisor of interest in participating in FIT program
- Attend informational session and make an appointment with UMES HUEC-FIT faculty liaison prior to November 15th of the sophomore year.
- Complete all academic required professional courses (including FIT courses) with grade of “C” or better

Fashion Merchandising

- University required 2.0 GPA by the end of the freshman year in order to move forward with sophomore (200 level) courses
- Must have grade of “C” or better in all FMCT major core courses and required business courses, general education
- Must complete required HUEC 399 – Pre-Internship course with a grade of “C” or better during spring semester of junior year to be eligible for HUEC 400 – Internship during the summer session of end of junior year
- Students must pass Math 109 with a grade of “C” or better by the end of the freshman year to move on to Acct, Econ and upper level fashion buying courses (FMCT 341 & 342)
- Must successfully complete all 300/400 level business courses with grade of “C” or better
- To graduate, students must successfully complete all FMCT major core courses, HUEC 400, and 300/400 level business courses with a grade of “C” or better.

Total Credits to complete :

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