

VIDEO PRODUCTION CERTIFICATE

Total Credits: 23

Catalog Edition: 2025-2026

Program Description

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This certificate is designed to teach video and audio production skills through hands-on, industry standard, experience-based classes in studio, field, and post production. Skill sets designed to enhance employment opportunities are demonstrated in a digital portfolio. These skills will be of value in broadcast, corporate, interactive, and educational media production and distribution.

Completion of all curriculum requirements will lead to the award of the video production certificate. All students should meet with an academic advisor in the Media Arts & Technologies Department to make an academic plan or discuss career or transfer goals.

Program Outcomes

Upon completion of this program, a student will be able to:

- Record professional video and audio in the studio and on location with a variety of cameras, lights, microphones, and recording devices.
- Write, produce and edit professional videos and/or animations of various lengths designed to inform, engage or entertain specific target audiences.
- Solve technical and logistical problems through planning and preparation to successfully meet client deadlines with documentation of progress and delivery of product.
- Apply constructive, organized work habits and demonstrate safe practices in the use of technical video and audio equipment and computer hardware and software.

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For more information, please visit <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/academics/programs/broadcast-media-production/video-production-certificate.html>

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Program Advising Guide

An Academic Reference Tool for Students

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Program Requirements

A suggested course sequence for full-time students follows. All students should review this advising guide and consult an advisor.

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TVRA 120 - Video Production I *4 semester hours*

TVRA 125 - Audio Production Techniques *4 semester hours*

TVRA 140 - Video Editing *3 semester hours*

TVRA 230 - Video Production II *4 semester hours*

TVRA 234 - Television Directing *3 semester hours*

TVRA 236 - Video Production Portfolio *2 semester hours*

FILM 220 - Basic Movie Production *3 semester hours*

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Advising Notes

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Transfer Opportunities

Montgomery College has partnerships with multiple four-year institutions and the tools to help you transfer. To learn more, please visit <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/transfer> or <http://artsys.usmd.edu>.

Get Involved at MC!

Employers and Transfer Institutions are looking for experience outside the classroom.

MC Student Clubs and Organizations: <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/life-at-mc/student-life/>

Related Careers

Some require a Bachelor's degree.

Broadcast Technician, Film and Video Editor, Camera Operator, Television, Video, and Motion Picture.

Career Services

Montgomery College offers a range of services to students and alumni to support the career planning process. To learn more, please visit <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/career>.

Career Coach

A valuable online search tool that will give you the opportunity to explore hundreds of potential careers or job possibilities in Maryland and the Washington D.C. metropolitan area. Get started today on your road to a new future and give it a try. For more information, please visit <https://montgomerycollege.emsicc.com>

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