

Student Name:
 Banner ID:
 Advisor Name:
 Date:

Catalog Year 2025-2026



Certificate in Film Technician

The two-year, 30 credit-hour certificate in “Film Technician” offers specialized training in film industry pre-production, production and postproduction. This certificate is designed to develop hands-on skills through learning and experimentation with [film industry] equipment and covers all aspects of filmmaking to better prepare students for employment in the film industry including, set production assistant and other film crew positions. This certificate is fully transferable to the Bachelor of Art/Fine Art in Film and Digital Arts at the UNM Albuquerque Campus.

UNM-Taos reserves the right to make necessary changes as needed. Students should consult with an advisor prior to enrollment.

Certificate Requirements

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Semester
FDMA 1210	Digital Video Production I	3		
FDMA 2520	Introduction to Cinematography	3		
FDMA 2525	Video Production II	3		
FDMA 1520	Introduction to Digital Media	3		
FDMA 2110	Introduction to Film Studies	3		
FDMA 2610	Directing I	3		
FDMA 1550	Introduction to Post-Production Editing	3		

Work-Based Learning Requirement:

Choose one of the following:

- FDMA2998 - FDMA: Internship (3)
- FDMA2999 - Capstone (4)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Semester
FDMA 2998 or 2999		3		

FDMA Electives

Earn at least 6 additional credits from FDMA (Film and Digital Media Arts)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Semester
		3		
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Total Credits: 30