

ArtCenter College of Design

Pasadena, California

In an effort to provide current Marymount California University students a clear sense for what a potential transfer to ArtCenter would look like for them, ArtCenter will offer the following to any current student impacted by the College closure:

- (1) Any student interested in learning more about any of our majors or the transfer application process can meet 1:1 (remote or in-person) with one of our admissions counselors for insights into our 11 different undergraduate majors and how to apply.
- (2) ArtCenter will waive application fees for all current Marymount California Students.
- (3) To apply for transfer, students will need to:
 - a. Complete an online application
 - b. Submit a portfolio specific to the major for which they are applying. Portfolio Requirements can be found [here](#).
 - c. Submit unofficial transcripts from HS and any college attended. Upon acceptance, students will need to provide official transcripts before their first term at ArtCenter begins. For unofficial transcripts, ArtCenter will accept copies of transcripts on record at Marymount California University provided by the Admissions or Registrar's office.
 - d. For students who attended a high school that was not taught in English, qualifying [TOEFL, IELTS, or DET scores](#).
- (4) Upon receipt of these items, ArtCenter will conduct a thorough admissions review of the applicant in concert with the academic department to which the applicant is applying and will provide an admissions decision. ArtCenter will also provide a transfer credit evaluation to admitted students that will show what classes will transfer and will allow admitted students to estimate their time to graduation.
- (5) If an applicant wants to be considered for scholarship, they will need to check the corresponding box on the application and domestic students will also need to have their FAFSA information submitted to ArtCenter.

Based on the nature of the curriculum of the Digital Communication Media at Marymount California University, some of the ArtCenter majors that might overlap with your interests and coursework would be: Creative Direction, Graphic Design, Film, Illustration, or Entertainment Design (Animation Track). The curriculum and entry requirements for each of these major is distinct and more information about these and other majors can be found on our [website](#).

The best first step for a Marymount California student is to meet with an Admissions Counselor to understand the different majors we offer and what an admissions portfolio for that program should include. Our counselors can provide constructive feedback on assembling your portfolio and can talk you through each step of the application process.

If you have any questions or would like to meet with a counselor, please contact Maria Huerta-Cervantes at Maria.Huerta-Cervantes@Artcenter.edu.