NIRMA UNIVERSITY COMMUNICATION DESIGN PROGRAMME Bachelor of Design, Department of Design Year III, Semester VI

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Course Code	DFS 300
Course Title	Summer Internship II

Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

At the end of the course the students will:

- 1. Maximize design competencies in professional workplace
- 2. Develop communication strategies and work towards its implementation
- 3. Take part in professional activities and collaborate in a team of people with varied skill-sets and competencies
- 4. Demonstrate understanding of professional environment and strengthen work ethics

Syllabus:

Contact hours: 320

- 1. Select the place of internship based on individual competencies and area of future professional interest
- 2. Gain an understanding of workplace dynamics and professional expectation
- 3. Understand the role of different departments and stakeholders of an organization
- 4. Strengthen professional competencies, undertake projects within the organization and deliver as per the brief within the stipulated timeline.
- 5. Observe, understand and document technologies being used in the professional organizations.
- 6. Understand real-world and real-time delivery practices
- 7. Understand client-designer relationship dynamics
- 8. Analyse their own work, work undertaken by different departments of an organization, role of different stakeholders to broaden their horizon professionally, personally and intellectually.
- 9. Prepare a detailed document giving the background of the organization, details of project brief/briefs and design process. Learning, reflections and analysis will be an important part of this document.

Suggested reading:

1. *Development of Life Skills and Professional Practice*, Author: Shalini Verma, Publisher: Vikas Publishing House, 2014

2. *The Professional Practice of Design*, Author: Dorothy Goslett, Publisher: B T Batsford Ltd, 1984