The Graphics Design Certificate Program (GRD 0005) is an ICCB approved extension of the Graphic Design Associate in Applied Science Degree (GRD 2004).

This is a Gainful Employment Certificate Program of 16 credit hours or more that prepares the student for gainful employment in a recognized occupation. For detailed information regarding program length, cost, average loan debt and completion details, select the following link to the Gainful Employment Worksheet for this program. Gainful Employment Worksheet–Graphics Design Certificate Program (GRD 0005).

You can also access this information by typing the following URL into your browser’s address bar:
http://www.jalc.edu/gainful_employmentgraphics_design/Gedt.html

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Career Opportunities: Graphic designers work for print shops, magazine companies, newspaper companies, advertising agencies, television stations and other related industries. The needs for each company vary, but a graphic designer’s responsibilities may include the creation of graphics, photography, animation, page setup, layout, logo design, and web page design.

The certificate program is geared toward students desiring a career in graphics design, updating their existing skills, or having an interest in artistic expression. This program is ideal for dislocated or incumbent workers who wish to concentrate their education toward graphics design related classes.

Beginning salaries are comparable to other technical careers with the possibility for advancement within a particular company. A job placement service is provided for all John A. Logan College graduates to help students find employment.