## QUICK TIPS FOR NAVIGATING THE CTVA MAJOR OR MINOR

△ Please note that CTVA major and minor checklists are based on a student's catalog year. To verify your catalog year, please consult the top portion of your Titan Degree Audit. Downloadable CTVA major and minor checklists may be found by clicking the following link:

https://communications.fullerton.edu/ctva/navigation\_tab/degrees.php.

△ CTVA students wishing to pursue production and/or critical studies courses should take CTVA 300 (core) as soon as possible. Even though it is a 300-level course, freshman are strongly encouraged to take it during their first year. Doing so increases your chances of being able to take more advanced production and critical studies courses in a timely fashion. CTVA 300 does not have a prerequisite.

△ CTVA students wishing to pursue Screenwriting should take CTVA 350 as soon as possible. CTVA 350 (elective) is a prerequisite for almost all other screenwriting courses. The prerequisite for CTVA 350 is English 101.

△ Students must enroll in CTVA 495 "Internship" in order to graduate with a CTVA major. A CTVA student wishing to enroll in CTVA 495 must have taken CTVA 100, be of at least junior standing, and have at least a 2.25 GPA across the board: *major*, *university*, and *cumulative*. Although CTVA students may enroll in 495 once they meet this criteria, they must also attend an orientation. The orientation is mandatory regardless of whether or not the student has secured an internship and/or is enrolled in the class. Orientations are offered throughout the year and are good for one year going forward. Remember, there is legal paperwork involved in securing an academic internship for CTVA 495, so please do not work any hours at an internship without first consulting your CTVA internship advisor (Shelley Armstrong Murray) at samurray@fullerton.edu.

△ The official student advisor for the CTVA major/minor during the regular academic year (Fall/Spring) is Gloria Monti. Her email is gmonti@fullerton.edu. For Summer advising, please seek out Shelley Armstrong Murray (samurray@fullerton.edu). The Student Success Center is also a valuable resource for major & minor counseling.