Art Studio (ARTS)

ARTS 101 Art Fundamentals (3)
Basic design. A studio course in the study of form, color and composition in 2-di-

ARTS 102 Fundamentals of Three Dimension Design (3)
A studio course introducing the student to the principles of three dimensional
design. Sculptural, architectural and design projects are realized through a series
of assigned projects exploring form, volume, plane, line and structure. Traditional
and non-traditional sculptural materials are used. Prerequisite course for 200 level
studio courses. Laboratory fee due at time of registration.

ARTS 103 Safety and Shop Practices (1)
An activity course required for new or transfer sculpture students, or for any student
wishing to have access to the wood shop or use power and hand tools dispensed
from the tool crib. Class is recommended for all students majoring in Art Studio. Re-
quired for students in the Sculpture emphasis. Examinations required every semes-
ter for continued use of power equipment. Laboratory fee payable at registration.

ARTS 199 Student Instructed Course (1-4)
Please see current Schedule of Classes for details.

ARTS 200 Photography in the World (3-4)
Lecture presenting overview of the role of photography in the world and an
introduction to the creation of photographs. Integrates intellectual, analytical, and
creative skills and capacities by examining photography from several perspectives.
Photography’s history, current forms, uses and conventions included. Students will
practice photography as a creative communicative endeavor.

ARTS 202 Beginning Drawing (1-4)
A beginner’s studio course in drawing employing a variety of media, including
pencil, ink, charcoal, conte, and pastel. Includes a unit on objective drawing.

ARTS 204 Beginning Life Drawing (1-4)
An introductory studio course in drawing from nature, including the human figure.
Basic problems in dealing with the figure as subject matter.

ARTS 208 Basic Black and White Photography (2-4)
A studio introduction to basic photographic processes, including lecture/discus-
sion, reading, lab work and critique. Covers handling the camera; previsualization;
history; exposure control; perceiving and working with light; roll film processing;
print enlarging and finishing for presentation; balancing technique and individual
creativity. Lab fee payable at time of registration.

ARTS 210 Introduction to Digital Imaging (1-3)
Covers basic digital processes: lecture/discussion, reading, lab work, individual
projects, critique. Topics include: fundamental digital theory, hardware/software/
technique of 2-D artwork, image acquisition, basic digital photography, image ma-
nipulation (Photoshop), vector based design (illustrator), digital output, and overview
of strategies/practices of contemporary digital artists. Lab fee required.

ARTS 220 Beginning Painting (1-4)
Studio course in painting in a variety of media, with primary concentration in oil.
Directed problems. Work from imagination, still life, and the figure. Group and indi-
vidual criticism. Prerequisite: previous or concurrent enrollment in ARTS 101.

ARTS 229 Beginning Ceramics (2-4)
A studio course surveying a wide range of ceramic processes, including a variety
of hand building techniques, working on potter's wheel, glazing and firing. Directed
problems cover both traditional/sculptural aspects of ceramics. Course includes
lectures, demonstrations, discussion, critiques and laboratory. Lab fee payable at
time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 102.

ARTS 236 Beginning Sculpture (2-4)
A studio course offering a range of traditional and non-traditional sculptural pro-
cesses and materials. Introduces the beginning student to welding, woodworking,
mold-making and casting. Group critiques, field trips, textbook required. Lab fee due
time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 102.

ARTS 245 Beginning Printmaking (2-4)
A studio course introducing the student to a variety of printmaking media, which
may include etching, lithography, woodcut, and linocut. Lecture, demonstration, and
laboratory work, which may include proofing, printing, and a small edition. Labora-
tory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 101.

ARTS 298 Selected Topics in Art Studio (1-4)
A beginning studio course dealing with intensive study of a particular art topic,
which may vary from semester to semester. May be repeated, and applicable to
requirements for a major in art. Prerequisite: previous or concurrent enrollment in
ARTS 101 and 102.

ARTS 300 Graded Assistance Projects (1-4)
Designed for advanced students to gain practical experience in the functions of art
studios, workshops, classrooms or exhibition projects. Work under supervision of
faculty or staff. Each unit requires 3 hours of work per week. Grade only.

ARTS 301 Assistance Projects (1-4)
Designed for advanced students to gain practical experience in the functions of art
studios, workshops, classrooms or exhibition projects. Work under supervision of
faculty or staff. Each unit requires 3 hours of work per week. Cr/NC only.

ARTS 302 Intermediate Drawing (1-4)
Directed problems in drawing for the intermediate student. Work from both imagi-
nation or observational approaches. Prerequisite: ARTS 202 or 204.

ARTS 304 Intermediate Life Drawing (1-4)
A workshop in drawing the human figure for students who have fulfilled the begin-
ing drawing prerequisite or are at intermediate skills levels. Group and individually
directed special problems related to drawing the live model. Prerequisite: ARTS 204.

ARTS 308 Photographic Darkroom Processes (2-4)
A process course with individualized development of photographic skills and
theory. Concentration on print quality, including zone system. Familiarization with
papers, films, and developers. Various processes expanding upon black and white
technology and darkroom experimentation. Laboratory fee payable at registration.
Prerequisites: ARTS 208 and consent of instructor, based on portfolio review.

ARTS 310 Digital Imaging (1-3)
Covers intermediate digital techniques; lecture/discussion, reading, lab work,
individual projects, critiques. Topics may include: digital theory, hardware/software

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ARTS 320 Intermediate Painting (1-4)
Intermediate-level studio course in painting. Directed and individual problems. Group and individual criticism. May only be repeated by majors. Prerequisite: ARTS 220. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration.

ARTS 329 Intermediate Ceramics (2-4)
A studio course concentrating on wheel and hand building techniques to explore formal/functional issues in clay. Emphasis is placed on design issues, content and developing a personal visual vocabulary through individual and group critiques. Laboratory exercises to develop color/texture in glazes and firing techniques are also covered. Lab fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 229.

ARTS 335 Intermediate Bronze Foundry (2-7)
In-depth instruction of processes involved in producing bronze sculpture. Students explore all aspects of realizing sculpture in bronze, from clay or plaster molds to wax: various methods of wax working/mold making, including ceramic shell, sand and investment; casting; and patination. Group critiques, fieldtrips. Laboratory fee due at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 236, or consent of instructor. Textbook required.

ARTS 336 Intermediate Sculpture (1-4)
A studio course with directed projects. Emphasis on content and developing a personal sculptural vocabulary through experimentation with traditional and non-traditional materials and processes. Group critiques, field trips, short writing assignments. Textbook required. Laboratory fee due at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 236.

ARTS 340 Intermediate Etching and Woodcut (1-4)
A studio course on the intermediate level in various printmaking aspects, including woodcut, engraving, photo-engraving, monotype, and etching. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 245.

ARTS 342 Intermediate Lithography (1-4)
Continued studio work at the intermediate level in lithographic methods, including color technology and conceptual development. Lecture, demonstration, and studio work. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 245.

ARTS 382 Intermediate Monoprint (1-4)
An intermediate studio course emphasizing single and multiple images derived from a variety of original sources, including painting, hand-painted prints, collagraphs, chine colle, and multiple manipulated prints. A maximum of 3 upper-division units may be applied toward a printmaking or a painting emphasis. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 245.

ARTS 395 Community Involvement Program (1-4)
Student-directed creative activities in behalf of nearby off-campus community agencies. One to 4 units of credit, based on 30 hours of contributed effort per unit per semester. Art education assistance and selected private enterprises. Six CIP units may be applied toward a degree. Prerequisites: prearranged program with community host-sponsor and consent of instructor.

ARTS 399 Student Instructed Course (1-4)
Please see current Schedule of Classes for details.

ARTS 400 Art in the Classroom (3)
Combined lecture/lab course for teaching credential candidates (K-12). Skills, methods and ideas for introducing art education to children/adolescents will be discussed/practiced, based on the California Framework for Art Education, and intended to stress the necessity of art instruction for the young. Art education history will be covered.

ARTS 402 Advanced Drawing (1-4)
Independent work from imagination or nature for the advanced student. Can be arranged as correlative drawing problems done in conjunction with advanced studio projects in area of emphasis. May be repeated for up to a maximum of 12 units. Prerequisites: at least 4 units of ARTS 202 or 204, and 3 units of 300-series drawing courses, or consent of instructor.

ARTS 404 Advanced Life Drawing (2-4)
An advanced studio life drawing class with directed special problems related to drawing the live model and to drawing from nature. May be repeated for up to a maximum of 12 units. Prerequisite: ARTS 304.

ARTS 420 Advanced Painting (2-4)
Continued studio work in painting in oils and/or acrylics. May be repeated by art majors only for credit up to a maximum of 9 units; more for B.F.A. students. Prerequisite: ARTS 320. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration.

ARTS 429 Advanced Ceramics (2-4)
A studio course addressing advanced throwing and hand building, glazing, and firing techniques. Emphasis is placed on content and development of a personal voice in ceramics. Students are encouraged to create individual project plans and work large scale. Prerequisites: ARTS 229 and 329. Lab fee payable at time of registration.

ARTS 430 Large Scale Clay and Install Ceramic Sculpture (2-4)
Course concentrates on large scale ceramics sculpture/installation. Hand building and wheel throwing techniques utilized. Emphasis placed on project planning, content and developing a personal visual vocabulary through individual/group critiques. Lab fee payable at registration. Prerequisites: ARTS 229 and 329 or 330. Can replace one semester of Advanced Ceramics.

ARTS 432 Ceramic Materials (2-4)
General course covering origin/properties of clays; composition, properties/uses of materials in glazes; and calculation of glaze formulas/batches. Laboratory exercises involve use/properties of materials, development of clay body compositions and development of color/texture in glazes. Prerequisites: ARTS 229 and 330 or 329. Can replace one semester of Advanced Ceramics.

ARTS 435 Advanced Bronze Foundry (2-4)
In-depth instruction of processes involved in producing bronze sculpture. Students explore all aspects of realizing sculpture in bronze, from clay or plaster molds to wax: various methods of wax working/mold making, including ceramic shell, sand and investment; casting; and patination. Group critiques, fieldtrips. Laboratory fee due at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 236, or consent of instructor. Textbook required.

ARTS 436 Advanced Sculpture (2-4)
Studio and field work that emphasizes the development of individual style. Group critiques, field trips, short writing assignments. Textbook required. May be repeated for credit up to a maximum of 15 units, more for B.F.A. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: 6 units of ARTS 336 or consent of instructor.

ARTS 440 Advanced Etching and Woodcut (1-4)
Advanced studio problems in relief and intaglio printmaking methods, including relief, engraving, photo-engraving, monotype and etching. May be repeated for credit up to 12 units. Laboratory fee payable at registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 340.
ARTS 442 ADVANCED LITHOGRAPHY (2-4)
Advanced studio work in the lithography medium. Work with images on stone or metal plates involving black and white, and some color processes. Printing of limited editions and single proofs. Lecture, demonstration, and laboratory work. May be repeated for credit up to a maximum of 12 units. Laboratory fee payable at time of registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 342.

ARTS 457 ADVANCED PHOTOGRAPHY (1-4)
An advanced studio course, with an emphasis on contemporary photography, black & white and color, and student critiques in conjunction with in-progress darkroom work. Students contract for a body of work for the semester, culminating with an individual presentation of a final, professional portfolio. Prerequisites: ARTS 208 and two semesters of ARTS 306 or consent of instructor, based on portfolio review.

ARTS 465 BFA SEMINAR (1-4)
A studio seminar class designed specifically for B.F.A. students. Advanced topics in art and aesthetics will be examined through selected readings, writing and discussion. In-depth critiques of each student's work will be held. B.F.A. students only.

ARTS 466 BFA PORTFOLIO ARTISTS' PRACTICES (3)
Professional issues will be addressed in the preparation and presentation of a B.F.A. exhibition that will be reviewed and critiqued by the studio faculty. Students will be expected to give an oral defense of their work, prepare a statement, a curriculum vitae, and document their work in preparation for graduation. B.F.A. students only.

ARTS 470 ART: THEORY AND PRACTICE (2-4)
Advanced seminar course combining lecture/activity. Emphasis placed on development of proposals for works of art, in response to slide lectures and assigned readings, and exploration of new methods and materials outside student's usual medium. Participation in group critiques is an essential element of course. Lab fee. Prerequisite: instructor(s) consent.

ARTS 482 ADVANCED MONOTYPE (1-4)
An advanced studio course emphasizing single and multiple images derived from a variety of original sources, including painting, hand-painted prints, chine colle and multiple manipulated prints. Up to 3 upper-division units may be applied toward a printmaking or painting emphasis. Up to 12 units may be repeated for credit. Laboratory fee payable at registration. Prerequisite: ARTS 382.

ARTS 491 VISITING ARTISTS' LECTURE SERIES (1)
This is a noontime visiting artists' lecturer series for the Art and Art History department. Cr/NC only. Attendance and paper required.

ARTS 492 BA PORTFOLIO ARTISTS’ PRACTICES (1-3)
Professional issues will be addressed in the preparation and presentation of a portfolio of student work. Students will be expected to give an oral defense of their work, prepare a statement, a curriculum vitae, and document their work in preparation for graduation.

ARTS 495 SPECIAL STUDIES (1-4)
For upper-division art majors only. Consult department faculty in your area of emphasis. The university contract form with required signatures of student, instructor, faculty advisor, and department chair must be completed before registering for special studies units. Not applicable to the art minor or non-art major.

ARTS 496 DIRECTED FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (1)
Travel to galleries and museums in various North American cities. Individual and group participation required. Destinations vary; consult semester schedule for specifics. May be repeated and may be applicable to requirements in the major. Fee required at time of registration. Prerequisites: major status and advanced standing or consent of instructor.

ARTS 497 DIRECTED FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (1-4)
Travel to various destinations, which vary depending on type of field research being offered; consult semester schedule for specifics. May be repeated and may be applicable to requirements in the major. Students will be responsible for a field research project(s), based on the trip. Fee required at time of registration. Prerequisites: major status and advanced standing or consent of instructor.

ARTS 498 SELECTED TOPICS IN ART STUDIO (1-4)
A studio course dealing with intensive study of a particular art topic, which may vary by semester. May be repeated and applicable to requirements for a major in art. Consult advisor and department chair. Prerequisites: major status, advanced standing, and instructor consent.

ARTS 499 INTERNSHIP (1-4)
Students in the intern program will have an opportunity to gain practical skills by working in a variety of gallery and museum situations in the private and public sectors. Credit will be given for completion of 3 hours of work per week, per unit, by prior arrangement with department coordinator. Prerequisite: consent of instructor. A-F or Cr/NC.

ARTS 595 SPECIAL STUDIES (1-4)
Prerequisites: graduate standing and consent of instructor.