

# DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS COURSE OUTLINE – FALL 2019

AR3410 (A2): Drawing III - 3 (3-0-3) 90 Hours for 15 Weeks

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**OFFICE HOURS** Tuesday: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm and Thursday: 1:00 – 2:00 pm Or by

appointment

## **CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:**

Theory and practice of drawing at an intermediate level will be offered in this course

**PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:** AR1370 and AR2430 or consent of the department with portfolio

**REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:** No text required. List of materials will be supplied by the instructor on a weekly basis.

**DELIVERY MODE(S):** lecture/lab

## **COURSE OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. Expand the basic principles of two-dimensional design: line, shape, value, texture, color, tone and composition.
- 2. Manipulate the elements of visual art on a two-dimensional surface through the application of depth perception (overlapping, mechanical perspective, diminishing size and detail, tonal modeling).
- 3. Perceive visual relationships in the environment and record these perceptions in terms of the elements of the visual arts.
- 4. Exhibit a basic working knowledge of advanced techniques and materials of drawing including the use of pencil, charcoal, pastels, colored pencils and collage.
- 5. Further development of the skills to render and record the human form.
- 6. The ability to use various drawing mediums to articulate and illustrate ideas and themes that are conceptual in nature.

## **LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

- 1. Possess an advanced working knowledge of the techniques and materials of drawing: pencil, ink, brush, pastel, conte, mixed media and charcoal.
- 2. Develop the basic skills to render and record the human form.
- 3. Have advanced knowledge of composition as related to drawing.
- 4. Understand the visual language of drawing through working with series and abstraction.
- 5. Will be able to use drawing as a conceptual and expressive tool.

## TRANSFERABILITY:

Please consult the Alberta Transfer Guide for specific course transfer information. You may check to ensure the transferability of this course at Alberta Transfer Guide main page <a href="http://www.transferalberta.ca">http://www.transferalberta.ca</a> or use the direct course search at <a href="http://alis.alberta.ca/ps/tsp/ta/tbi/onlinesearch.html?SearchMode=S&step=2">http://alis.alberta.ca/ps/tsp/ta/tbi/onlinesearch.html?SearchMode=S&step=2</a>

Students have the final responsibility for ensuring the transferability of courses taken at Alberta Colleges and Universities.

# **EVALUATIONS:** Criteria for Evaluation

- 1. The level of creativity and craftsmanship demonstrated.
- 2. The degree of knowledge and understanding of the elements and principles of this particular studio discipline.
- 3. Portfolio presentations will be required throughout the duration of this course.
- 4. Participation grade is established by your level of enthusiasm, commitment, involvement and flexibility in both studio and individual/collective critiques. It is also determined by your attending of all classes.

## Mid-Term Grading:

Mid-term grading is by portfolio. It constitutes **40%** of the final grade. The portfolio will contain all of the in-class and extension assignments from the first half of the term. Overdue portfolios will be penalized a minimum of 1 grade point per late day.

# **End-Term Grading:**

End-term grading is by portfolio. It constitutes **45%** of the final grade. The portfolio will contain all of the in-class and extension assignments from the second half of the term. Overdue portfolios will be penalized a minimum of 1 grade point per late day. **5%** of the final grade will be determined by attending and recording the Visitor in the arts program

**10%** of the final grade will be determined by Participation

## **GRADING CRITERIA:**

Please note that most universities will not accept your course for transfer credit **IF your** grade is less than a C-.

Alpha	4-point	Percentage	Alpha	4-point	Percentage
Grade	Equivalent	Guidelines	Grade	Equivalent	Guidelines
A+	4.0	90-100	C+	2.3	67-69
A	4.0	85-89	С	2.0	63-66
A-	3.7	80-84	C-	1.7	60-62
B+	3.3	77-79	D+	1.3	55-59
В	3.0	73-76	D	1.0	50-54
B-	2.7	70-72	F	0.0	00-49

## **COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:**

September 4 – December 9, 2019

Tuesday –Thursday 2:30 – 5:20 p.m.

Studio based activities in addition to home assignments to be determined by the instructor. Fieldwork may require visits to museums and galleries. Students will be expected to invest a minimum of eight hours a week out of class.

## STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

Students are expected to set up work prior to class commencing, so that lectures and demonstrations can proceed uninterrupted. These will not be repeated for latecomers. Many students will be using the studio, so it is important to maintain care in setting up and cleaning of the space you use, and to exhibit consideration towards workspace, materials and other students. If there is any doubt as to the safety of the work being undertaken while the instructor is absent the students will consult with the technician before continuing the work. No IPOD or MP3 players allowed in the classroom. All cell phones must be turned off. Failure to do so will result in you being asked to leave the class.

## STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Cheating and plagiarism will not be tolerated and there will be penalties. For a more precise definition of plagiarism and its consequences, refer to the Student Conduct section of the College Admission Guide at <a href="http://www.gprc.ab.ca/programs/calendar/">http://www.gprc.ab.ca/programs/calendar/</a> or the College Policy on Student Misconduct: Plagiarism and Cheating at <a href="http://www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/">http://www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/</a>

<sup>\*\*</sup>Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available on the same page.