

DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS

COURSE OUTLINE – AR3380 SPECIAL PROJECTS IN STUDIO DISCIPLINES (3-0-3)

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HOURS: Monday, Wednesday 1:00 – 3:00pm or by appointment

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:

AR3430, AR1370, AR3130 or AR3630

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:

No text

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:

Special Projects in studio disciplines not normally available under existing courses. The student and the instructor will determine the validity of the project.

CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS: 90 hours

DELIVERY MODE(S): Lecture/lab

OBJECTIVES:

Special Projects in Studio Disciplines is designed with the needs of the senior student in mind. The following criteria must be in place for the successful completion of this course:

- 1. The student with the guidance of an instructor will develop a body of work over the year. An initial written statement of intent must be submitted to the instructor outlining the student's ideas/plans for creating a body of work.
- 2. Ongoing meetings will be held to discuss the student's progress. A minimum of one per month should be held, according to the nature of the project.
- 3. The work must be accompanied by an artist's statement addressing the content of the work.

- 4. A final exhibition will be held of selected works in the Glass Gallery at the end of term. A short artist's statement will accompany the work.
- 5. A visual (CD or slides) package will be prepared at the end of the term that would be suitable for application to a gallery or post secondary institution.
- 6. There may also be included required readings as directed by the instructor and the nature of the work.

TRANSFERABILITY:

UA, UC, UL, AU, AF

** Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability.

GRADING CRITERIA:

- 1. Level of engagement: the student must be highly engaged with both the process and the content of the work.
- **2.** Completion of assigned tasks as per course criteria: Images, statement, exhibition,
- 3. Quality of work: This includes the level of creativity and craftsmanship demonstrated and the degree of knowledge and understanding of the elements and principles of this particular studio discipline.
- 4. Ongoing presentation of the work will be required throughout the duration of this course.

EXAMINATIONS:

No exams

Assessment and Grading:

Mid -Term:

Midterm grading is by portfolio. It constitutes 45% of the final grade.

Final Grade:

45% Midterm, 55% Final Term. Final grade will be determined by portfolio/exhibition.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

As per contract. This varies according to the nature of the work being done.

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Please refer to pages 49-50 of the College calendar regarding plagiarism, cheating and the resultant penalties. These are serious issues and will be dealt with severely.

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:

This is a full year course. The schedule varies per contract according to the nature of the work being done. The meetings are scheduled at least once a month.