

ART 129-011

Intro to Design for Non-Majors, spring 2018

Recitation Hall, Room 304

Monday and Wednesday, 11:15am-1:10pm

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Course Description: Introduction to art and design principles within creative problem solving assignments using 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional media. Design organization criteria, technical craftsmanship, and artistic objectives interconnect to support production of original expressive statements.

Course Objectives: This course will familiarize you with the basic language and principals of art and design. Using 2 and 3-dimensional mediums we will explore different techniques to expand your critical thinking and problem-solving skills. Both class work and take-home assignments are designed to push your creativity and students are encouraged to challenge themselves with new mediums and ideas. At the conclusion of this course students will have learned how to manipulate forms and designs in 2D and 3D space.

Text Book: There is no required text for this class, however, there will be videos and articles to read that can be found online.

Sketch Book: A sketch book is required for this class and I will be checking it throughout the semester. You will need to do preliminary sketches in this book, put in images from magazines, books, advertisements, things you find interesting, to keep as references for yourself. This sketch book is a place to play around with color, pattern, a place to organize your thoughts and think of ideas. Your sketch book must not have any lines on the paper and must be firmly bound to hold up to a semester worth of use.

Grading: For each project you will be graded based on the following criteria: Does it solve the problem, Original idea and work, Technical craftsmanship, Preparedness and interest in pushing the work, and does it utilize the basis of design principles.

Projects: There will be 6 main projects in this class as well as a 5-minute presentation.

- **Black and White Line Drawing - 15%**
- **Color Wheel Re-Do - 15%**
- **Vital Structural Paper - 20%**
- **Around the Dwelling - 20%**
- **Around the Dwelling 2.0 - 20%**
- **The Billy Mays - 30%**
- **Sketch Book - 10%**
- **Preparedness - 10%**
- **Class Participation - 10%**

Attendance: Is mandatory for every class. Three **unexcused** absences will result in one full letter drop of your final grade (For instance, if you were to get a B but you miss 3 classes, you will end up with a C). If you arrive to class more than 10 minutes late or leave more than 10 minutes early, three times, it will equal to one unexcused absence. Do your best to inform me if you are going to be late for class or if you will need to leave early. For an **excused** absence from illness, death in the family, a legitimate emergency or some kind, bring in documentation/proof of the event and your absence will be excused.

plagiarism: DO NOT plagiarize in this class. If I find that you copied a design or art by someone else, in person or online, or if someone else did the project for you, you will be reported to the Office of Student Conduct and will automatically **fail** the class.

- **Academic Honesty:** “All students must be honest and forthright in their academic studies. To falsify the results of one’s research, to steal the words or ideas of another, to cheat on an assignment, or to allow or assist another to commit these acts corrupts the educational process. Students are expected to do their own work and neither give nor receive unauthorized assistance.

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Supply List:

- A variety of pencils, not mechanical, 3 minimum, and one each of a hard (4H), soft (4B) and medium (HB). If you can I encourage you to get a set of pencils, they usually come in a case with 12 pencils ranging from 6B to 6H.
- Pencil sharpener
- Illustration board
- Set of markers (not sharpies or colored markers) ranging from a very fine .05 to larger at .08
- Sketch book
- X-Acto knife with extra blades
- Ruler, at least 12" with a cork back
- Set of art color pencils. Prisma color is preferable
- Glue sticks
- Hot glue gun and hot glue gun sticks
- Bristol board pad 11x14
- White vinyl eraser for pencils
- Container or carrying case for supplies

More supplies will be required for purchase based on each student's project needs.