

Course Description

ART2401C | Printmaking 2 | 3.00 - 4.00 credits

Advanced techniques in printmaking. Prerequisite: ART2400C

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: The student will acquire in proficiency in advanced printmaking techniques:

- 1. Mastering advanced relief printing techniques, including woodcut and wood engraving, to create intricate and expressive prints with precision and artistic depth
- 2. Developing expertise in intaglio methods such as drypoint and etching to produce detailed and textured prints that demonstrate technical mastery and creative innovation
- 3. Acquiring advanced skills in lithography to create prints using planographic printing principles, demonstrating proficiency in plate preparation and image transfer

Competency 2: The student will advance proficiency in carving and printing relief blocks to create prints that exhibit intricate details, tonal variations, and expressive compositions in woodcut and wood engraving by:

- 1. Utilizing advanced drypoint and etching techniques to produce prints with intricate textures, nuanced tonal variations, and expressive visual depth
- 2. Mastering the advanced process of creating and printing lithographic plates, showcasing a high level of technical skill and artistic innovation in applying lithography

Competency 3: The student will explore of hybrid printmaking techniques and innovative applications by:

- 1. Exploring the integration of multiple advanced printmaking techniques to create hybrid prints that combine relief, intaglio, and lithographic elements in innovative and experimental ways
- Experimenting with the incorporation of unconventional materials and processes to expand the creative possibilities within advanced printmaking methods, fostering artistic exploration and boundary-pushing creativity
- 3. Integrating innovative approaches and mixed media elements to push the boundaries of traditional printmaking and foster artistic experimentation at an advanced level
- 4. Creating hybrid prints seamlessly integrating advanced relief and intaglio techniques to produce multilayered and visually dynamic compositions that challenge traditional printmaking norms
- 5. Incorporating non-traditional materials such as collage, Chine-Collé, or mixed media elements to enhance the visual impact of advanced printmaking compositions, demonstrating innovative and experimental applications of printmaking techniques
- 6. Experimenting with the fusion of advanced traditional and contemporary printmaking methods to create innovative and expressive prints that defy artistic conventions and push the boundaries of the medium

Competency 4: The student will process the application of conceptual and technical expertise in advanced printmaking:

- 1. Applying conceptual and technical expertise to translate complex artistic ideas into compelling and sophisticated printmaking compositions at an advanced level
- 2. Demonstrating mastery in the use of advanced printmaking techniques to achieve sophisticated visual expression and communicate complex artistic concepts
- 3. Applying critical analysis and reflection to refine advanced printmaking skills and develop a distinctive and personal artistic style within the medium
- 4. Applying advanced printmaking techniques to convey complex conceptual themes and narratives,

- demonstrating a synthesis of technical expertise and sophisticated artistic vision
- 5. Developing a series of advanced prints that reflect a cohesive and sophisticated artistic concept or thematic exploration, showcasing a mastery of technical execution and conceptual depth within the medium
- 6. Reflecting on the creative process and integrating complex conceptual ideas with advanced technical skills, fostering artistic growth and self-expression at an advanced level through printmaking

Learning Outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Use computer and emerging technologies effectively
- Demonstrate an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities