

Course Description

ART2500C | Painting 1 | 3.00 - 4.00 credits

Study problems in painting involving contemporary styles, techniques and materials. Prerequisite: ART1202C or 1300C.

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: The student will exploration of conceptual and material innovations in contemporary painting by:

- 1. Exploring conceptual themes, visual narratives, and material innovations within contemporary painting practice
- 2. Using the integration of new materials, digital technologies, and interdisciplinary approaches to expand the possibilities of contemporary painting and foster artistic experimentation
- 3. Embracing conceptual depth and critical inquiry to develop artwork that challenges artistic conventions and contributes to the evolution of contemporary painting practices

Competency 2: The student will apply contemporary painting techniques and creative problem-solving by:

- 1. Applying contemporary painting techniques and creative problem-solving skills to address complex artistic challenges and realize original, conceptually driven artwork
- 2. Employing critical analysis and self-reflection to refine and innovate contemporary painting practices, fostering the development of a personal artistic style within contemporary art
- 3. Embracing a spirit of artistic risk-taking and creative experimentation to push the boundaries of traditional painting approaches and engage with contemporary artistic discourse

Competency 3: The student will develop artwork that reflects a sophisticated understanding of contemporary aesthetic sensibilities by:

- 1. Reflecting on the creative process and integrating conceptual ideas with technical skills fosters artistic growth and self-expression through innovative and original artwork
- 2. Embracing artistic risk-taking and creative experimentation to explore new avenues of self-expression within the framework of contemporary painting, fostering a sense of artistic freedom and exploration

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

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