

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY
DEPARTMENT OF ART

COURSE OUTLINE

**Art (ART) 353.01
Painting II
Winter 2015**

Lecture: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30 to 10:45; AB 792
Lab: Tuesday and Thursday, 10:45 to 12:00: AB 792

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Course Description

Further study and work in painting.

Prerequisites &/or Co-requisites

Art 351

Objectives of the Course

A beginning level studio course, this class will introduce students to the basics of painting in oil-based mediums. Building upon formal considerations developed from Painting I, this course will expand on paint handling techniques; provide an increased confidence and comprehension of painting practice; and allow for an exploration of themes and concepts through the medium of paint.

Assignments and Evaluation

Assessment:	% weighting	Due Date
Mid-term portfolio review	40%	Thursday, Feb.26
End-of-term Evaluation	40%	Tuesday, April 14
Participation	20%	Throughout the term

Assessment will consist of a review of work produced to mid-term, and a final review of work produced in the second half of the term. Painting assignments will be marked on the due date of each assignment. Grades for each assignment will be based on the criteria of formal/technical, innovative and expressive considerations, and the degree to which the project has been executed (TCP). The review will consider the following: concept/image development; technical/formal development; industry and ambition; resolution of works.

Students will be evaluated on the quality and quantity of the work produced over the term, and the technical, expressive or innovative ways that the project has been interpreted. Assigned projects will be discussed and assessed in class critiques, and will focus on how they meet the criteria established, such as the use of form, and the ideas expressed. Students will be expected to

articulate their ideas and concerns in critiques and discussions. Evaluation is also based on participation, meaning the degree to which students contribute to discussions and critiques, effort, and attendance.

It is the individual responsibility of each student to make sure all work is completed and submitted as specified on each assignment handout. Completion of assignments in a timely manner constitutes a minimum expectation. Any absence from classes and studio involvement, discussions, critique deadlines, or portfolios will be considered less than satisfactory for the 20% participation component of this course.

Registrar-Scheduled Final Exam

There is no final examination in this course. Marks are based on term work.

Late Assignment Policy

All studio projects will have a group critique and, as such, are expected to be complete for discussion on the respective critique dates.

Your absence from participation will be considered less than satisfactory for that discussion participation component of the course.

Course Activities

Students will expand their painting through assigned projects, slide presentations, class demonstrations, group critiques and individual tutorials. Over the semester, students will be familiarized with a wide range of historical and contemporary painting practices, including both observational and non-observational approaches. Students will be provided class time to pursue projects, which will also allow for direct feedback. Students should expect, additionally, a **minimum** of six to eight hours per week for out-of-class project completion, research and other course-related activity. Critiques will be scheduled every 2-3 weeks to encourage a continuous progress within the studio, and to enable peer and instructor feedback.

Grading Method/Grading Scale:

Percentage	Grade	G.P.A.	Grade Definition
96-100	A+	4.0	Outstanding
90-95	A	4.0	Excellent-superior performance, showing comprehensive
85-89	A-	3.7	
80-84	B+	3.3	
75-79	B	3.0	Good – clearly above average performance with knowledge of subject matter generally complete.
70-74	B-	2.7	
65-69	C+	2.3	
60-64	C	2.0	Satisfactory – basic understanding of the subject
55-59	C-	1.7	
53-54	D+	1.3	
50-52	D	1.0	Minimal pass – marginal performance; generally insufficient preparation for subsequent courses in the same subject.
0-49	F	0	Fail – unsatisfactory performance or failure to meet course requirements.

Studio Procedures

Students are expected to set up for work prior to class commencing, so that lectures and demonstrations can proceed uninterrupted. These will not be repeated for latecomers. The creation of art can be a messy process and a studio is only workable if everyone cooperates in keeping it clean. Out of respect and consideration for your classmates and other users of the space, it is expected that everyone will participate in keeping the studio clean and tidy. Please also be

mindful of fire and safety regulations concerning equipment and furniture.

Additional Information

A list of supplies will be provided at the first class. Each student will have the use of a cabinet for the storage of supplies. Do not leave works in progress on easels at the end of class—all assignments and works in progress must be stored in the painting racks outside of class time. Although every effort is made to ensure the cleanliness of the studio it can be easy for clothes to be damaged. Use of protective wear (such as aprons, smocks, and lab coats) is strongly suggested when using the painting studio. As toxic and hazardous substances are constantly used in the painting studio, students must not eat within the space. Any drinking containers used should have tops or secure lids so they are not accidentally contaminated.

Internet and Electronic Communication Device Information

Cell phones, messaging devices, and headphones MUST be turned off for the duration of the class.

Academic Accommodation

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/access/>

Academic Standing

Students should familiarize themselves with the sections of the University Calendar that deal with Academic Standing, including grading, unsatisfactory standing, examinations, and deferrals as well as the sections on Reappraisals and Appeals and Student Misconduct.

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/f.html>

Deferral of Exams/Term work

It is possible to request a deferral of term work or final examination(s) for reasons of illness, accident, family or domestic affliction, or religious obligations. Please check with Enrolment Services if any of these issues make it impossible for you to sit an exam or finish term work by stated deadlines.

For more information go to http://www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/deferred_final

F.O.I.P.

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/secretariat/privacy>

Plagiarism

Visual art projects submitted for course credit must be produced specifically for this class. Students must not submit projects if credit has or will be provided for it in another class. This includes re-worked assignments from previous or concurrent courses, unless permission is provided in writing by the instructor. Additionally, the student is asked to be mindful of using visual sources from the internet, ensuring that appropriate copyright permission is granted, when required.

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/ssc/writing-support> or <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/e-2.html>

Student Misconduct

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/k.html>

Student Union and Student Ombudsman

For more information go to <http://www.su.ucalgary.ca/>

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/provost/students/ombuds>

Lockers

The Art Building lockers are administered through the Student's Union's used bookstore, Bound and Copied. Lockers are rented on a first come, first served basis. Due to the shortage of lockers, and the high demand, students cannot hold more than one locker at a time. All of the details on renting a

locker and your responsibilities can be found on the [Locker Rental Agreement](#).

Lockers for all sessions can be rented through my.ucalgary.ca. Once you're in the Student Centre, click on **Other Academic Services** and choose **Locker Reservation**.

Lockers must be vacated by the end of term.

For more information go to <http://www.su.ucalgary.ca/>

Models

In this class there will be the opportunity to paint from nude models. A student electing not to do so must notify the instructor IN WRITING of his/her concerns.

Portfolios and Assignments

The Department of Art will not assume responsibility for lost or stolen portfolios or course work given to instructors for grading, or for work posted on bulletin boards in the art building.

All unclaimed work will be disposed of.

Ethics

Whenever you perform research with human participants (i.e., surveys, interviews or observation) as part of your university studies, you are responsible for following university research ethics guidelines. Your instructor must review and approve of your research plans and supervise your research.

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/research/cfreb>

Campus Security/Safewalk

Call 220-5333 anytime. Help phones are located throughout campus, parking lots and elevators; they connect directly to Campus Security - in case of emergency, press the red button.

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/security/safewalk>

Emergency Evacuation

For more information go to <http://www.ucalgary.ca/emergencyplan/assemblypoints>

Faculty of Arts Program Advising and Student Information Resources

Have a question, but not sure where to start? The Arts Students' Centre is your information resource for everything in the Faculty of Arts. Stop by SS102, call us at 220-3580 or email us at artsads@ucalgary.ca. You can also visit the Faculty of Arts website at

<http://arts.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate> which has detailed information on common academic concerns.

For program planning and advice, contact the Student Success Centre at 220-5881 or visit them on the 2nd floor

of the Taylor Family Digital Library.

For registration (add/drop/swap), paying fees and assistance with your Student Centre, contact Enrolment Services at 210-ROCK [7625] or visit them at the MacKimmie Library Block.