

ART M34: ADVANCED LIFE DRAWING I

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College

Moorpark College

Discipline (CB01A)

ART - Art

Course Number (CB01B)

M34

Course Title (CB02)

Advanced Life Drawing I

Banner/Short Title

Advanced Life Drawing I

Credit Type

Credit

Start Term

Fall 2023

Formerly

ART M13C - Life Drawing

Catalog Course Description

Encourages independent, self-expressive approaches to form and content in observational drawings from live models and in outside projects. Continues practice of linear and tonal concepts in a variety of media. Emphasizes consistent engagements with structure, proportion, form, composition, and content.

Taxonomy of Programs (TOP) Code (CB03)

1002.00 - Art (Painting, Drawing, and Sculpture)

Course Credit Status (CB04)

D (Credit - Degree Applicable)

Course Transfer Status (CB05) (select one only)

A (Transferable to both UC and CSU)

Course Basic Skills Status (CB08)

N - The Course is Not a Basic Skills Course

SAM Priority Code (CB09)

E - Non-Occupational

Course Cooperative Work Experience Education Status (CB10)

N - Is Not Part of a Cooperative Work Experience Education Program

Course Classification Status (CB11)

Y - Credit Course

Educational Assistance Class Instruction (Approved Special Class) (CB13)

N - The Course is Not an Approved Special Class

Course Prior to Transfer Level (CB21)

Y - Not Applicable

Course Noncredit Category (CB22)

Y - Credit Course

Funding Agency Category (CB23)

Y - Not Applicable (Funding Not Used)

Course Program Status (CB24)

1 - Program Applicable

General Education Status (CB25)

Y - Not Applicable

Support Course Status (CB26)

N - Course is not a support course

Field trips

May be required

Faculty notes on field trips; include possible destinations or other pertinent information

LACMA, MOCA, The Getty, Norton Simon Museum, Ventura County Museum of Art, art galleries in Los Angeles.

Grading method

(L) Letter Graded

Alternate grading methods

(O) Student Option- Letter/Pass

(P) Pass/No Pass Grading

Does this course require an instructional materials fee?

No

Repeatable for Credit

No

Is this course part of a family?

No

Units and Hours

Carnegie Unit Override

No

In-Class

Lecture

Minimum Contact/In-Class Lecture Hours

17.5

Maximum Contact/In-Class Lecture Hours

17.5

Activity**Laboratory****Minimum Contact/In-Class Laboratory Hours**

105

Maximum Contact/In-Class Laboratory Hours

105

Total in-Class**Total in-Class****Total Minimum Contact/In-Class Hours**

122.5

Total Maximum Contact/In-Class Hours

122.5

Outside-of-Class**Internship/Cooperative Work Experience****Paid****Unpaid****Total Outside-of-Class****Total Outside-of-Class****Minimum Outside-of-Class Hours**

35

Maximum Outside-of-Class Hours

35

Total Student Learning**Total Student Learning****Total Minimum Student Learning Hours**

157.5

Total Maximum Student Learning Hours

157.5

Minimum Units (CB07)

3

Maximum Units (CB06)

3

Prerequisites

ART M33

Entrance Skills**Entrance Skills**

ART M33

Prerequisite Course Objectives

ART M33-explore techniques in varied mediums which may include, but are not limited to, mixed media, color pastels, watercolors, ink, collage, drybrush, etc.

ART M33-define and apply the principles of composition on the picture plane.

ART M33-imply spatial relationships between multiple images in compositional studies.

ART M33-assess and critique own work and the work of others and offer creative solutions.

ART M33-render the human figure accurately in terms of proportion, value and basic human anatomy.

ART M33-investigate abstractions in relation to drawing the human figure.

ART M33-work towards the development of an individual style in a synthesis of individual expression and accuracy.

ART M33-demonstrate proficiency with intermediate level drawing techniques, including the creation of mass, volume, tone and gesture in drawing the human figure.

Requisite Justification

Requisite Type

Prerequisite

Requisite

ART M33

Requisite Description

Course in a sequence

Level of Scrutiny/Justification

Closely related lecture/laboratory course

Student Learning Outcomes (CSLOs)

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:

- 1 identify major muscle groups of the human torso.
- 2 demonstrate their creativity, awareness and sensitivity through the study of the arts.
- 3 critically research, analyze, produce or perform artistic works with an understanding of individual and cultural differences.
- 4 demonstrate an understanding of the social, historical and theoretical contexts behind major concepts, themes, aesthetic concerns and processes, and the social role or influence of the artistic discipline studied throughout time and across cultures.
- 5 project and offer creative suggestions.
- 6 work independently, with guidance, towards building a portfolio of projects that demonstrate a consistent and experimental approach to drawing the human form from observation.
- 7 demonstrate the development of a more personal graphic language in style and composition.
- 8 derive meaning from a work of art through an understanding of the social, historical and theoretical contexts behind major concepts, themes, aesthetic concerns and processes, as well as demonstrate an understanding of the social role or influence of the artistic discipline.
- 9 demonstrate creative and critical thinking, with an awareness and sensitivity to individual and cultural differences, as they research, produce, analyze and evaluate works of art.
- 10 demonstrate intermediate/advanced level skills in structure, proportion, form, and composition in varied media, as well as developing independent self-expressive approaches to drawing the human form.

Course Objectives

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:

- 1 demonstrate proficiency with advanced depictions of the construction, proportion, movement, and surface anatomy of the human figure.
- 2 employ varied media in accomplished drawings of the model from observation.
- 3 show the development of an individual style in a synthesis of individual expression, composition, and accuracy.
- 4 assess and articulate in-depth critiques of own work and work of others and offer creative and dynamic solutions, in both verbal and written formats.
- 5 work independently, with guidance, towards creating projects that demonstrate a consistent and experimental approach to drawing the human form from observation.
- 6 demonstrate an advanced understanding of a diverse range of artworks and artistic movements throughout historical and contemporary art, including those from the traditional Western canon, non-Western cultures, and underrepresented groups.

- 7 demonstrate creativity and sensitivity as they research, produce, analyze and critique analyze, produce or perform artistic works of art, while maintaining an awareness of diversity, equity and inclusion.

Course Content

Lecture/Course Content

10% I. Review construction of the human body

- A. Skeletal and muscular
- B. Shapes, forms, and volumes
- C. Proportion and movement

25% II. Materials, Techniques and Practices

- A. Mastery of beginning- and intermediate-level materials, techniques and practices
- B. Introduction of advanced-level materials, techniques and practices, including but not limited to: varied media such as dry brush, collage, digital media, acrylic paint, textured surfaces, etc.

25% III. Pictorial Design

Advanced-level implementation of design elements and principles into successful multi-panel compositions and/or large scale drawings depicting the human form.

20% IV. Subject Matter

Advanced-level use of objective and subjective matter in relation to the human figure, while specifically focusing subject matter toward the development of a personal style and/or themes.

- A. The human figure and expressive subject
- B. Figure and environment

10% V. Cognitive Meaning and Content

Continued practice and an advanced/ complex level of understanding of:

- A. Cognitive meaning – the intellectual, symbolic, emotional, thematic and narrative aspects of a work of art
- B. Content - the meaning derived from materials, forms, and techniques used in the creation of a work of art, in conjunction with cognitive meanings and outside knowledge

10% VI. Artistic Inspiration

Present a diverse range of artworks and artistic movements throughout historical and contemporary art, including those from the traditional western canon, non-western cultures and underrepresented groups as inspiration for course assignments and projects.

Laboratory or Activity Content

Practice and application of lecture material for:

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Methods of Evaluation

Which of these methods will students use to demonstrate proficiency in the subject matter of this course? (Check all that apply):

Written expression

Skills demonstrations

Methods of Evaluation may include, but are not limited to, the following typical classroom assessment techniques/required assignments (check as many as are deemed appropriate):

Individual projects
Laboratory activities
Objective exams
Oral analysis/critiques
Oral presentations
Portfolios
Problem-solving homework
Quizzes
Research papers
Skills demonstrations
Written analyses
Classroom Discussion
Projects
Participation

Instructional Methodology

Specify the methods of instruction that may be employed in this course

Distance Education
Laboratory activities
Lecture
Other (specify)

Specify other method of instruction

hands-on demonstration of drawing techniques

Describe specific examples of the methods the instructor will use:

Instructor will lead class critique discussions and analysis of student artwork.
Instructor will demonstrate specific relevant drawing techniques.

Representative Course Assignments

Writing Assignments

Write a critique of a peers' project.
Keep a written reflective journal on a figure based project, examining conceptual and visual ideas expressed in a multi-panel drawing.
Compose a gallery/museum visit paper.

Critical Thinking Assignments

Research and investigate themes appropriate to a series of drawings based on abstracting the figure.
Analyze a contemporary artist's work in a written paper.
Participate in group critiques of student work.

Reading Assignments

Selected readings on artist/designers from websites such as Hyperallergic, Wired.com, and/or gallery/museum websites such as Ursula from Hauser & Wirth, or Louisiana Art Museum.
Selected readings from artist's monographs.
Reading from and viewing videos on ART21.com series on artists and artistic movements.

Skills Demonstrations

Utilize varied media to create an animated sequence of poses from the model.
Create an ecorché drawing that shows the anatomical structure of the face.

Outside Assignments

Representative Outside Assignments

Keep a sketchbook/journal of preparatory work for classroom projects.
Maintain weekly observational and imagined drawings in a sketchbook.

Create a drawing project that synthesizes research and personal expression.

Articulation

Comparable Courses within the VCCCD

ART R126C - Life Drawing III
ART V13C - Life Drawing III

Equivalent Courses at other CCCs

College	Course ID	Course Title	Units
College of Marin	ART 234	Life Drawing III	3
Evergreen Valley College	ART 055C	Life Drawing III	3
LA Pierce College	ART 206	Life Drawing III	3

District General Education

A. Natural Sciences

B. Social and Behavioral Sciences

C. Humanities

D. Language and Rationality

E. Health and Physical Education/Kinesiology

F. Ethnic Studies/Gender Studies

Course is CSU transferable

Yes

CSU Baccalaureate List effective term:

F1995

CSU GE-Breadth

Area A: English Language Communication and Critical Thinking

Area B: Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning

Area C: Arts and Humanities

Area D: Social Sciences

Area E: Lifelong Learning and Self-Development

Area F: Ethnic Studies

CSU Graduation Requirement in U.S. History, Constitution and American Ideals:

UC TCA

UC TCA

Approved

IGETC**Area 1: English Communication****Area 2A: Mathematical Concepts & Quantitative Reasoning****Area 3: Arts and Humanities****Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences****Area 5: Physical and Biological Sciences****Area 6: Languages Other than English (LOTE)****Textbooks and Lab Manuals****Resource Type**

Textbook

DescriptionBridgman, George. *Bridgman's Complete Guide to Drawing from Life*. 5th ed., Union Square & Co., 2017.**Resource Type**

Textbook

DescriptionBrambilla, Daniela. *Human Figure Drawing: Drawing Gestures, Postures and Movements*. 2nd ed., Promopress, 2020.**Resource Type**

Textbook

DescriptionSimblet, Sarah. *Anatomy for the Artist*. DK, 2001.**Resource Type**

Textbook

Classic Textbook

Yes

DescriptionLauricella, Michel. *Morpho: Simplified Forms: Anatomy for Artists*. Rocky Nook, 2019.**Library Resources****Assignments requiring library resources**

Research using the library's print and online resources.

Sufficient Library Resources exist

Yes

Example of Assignments Requiring Library Resources

Research, using the Library's print and online resources, on themes in the course and in analyzing contemporary artists' work.

Distance Education Addendum

Definitions

Distance Education Modalities

Hybrid (1%–50% online)
Hybrid (51%–99% online)
100% online

Faculty Certifications

Faculty assigned to teach Hybrid or Fully Online sections of this course will receive training in how to satisfy the Federal and state regulations governing regular effective/substantive contact for distance education. The training will include common elements in the district-supported learning management system (LMS), online teaching methods, regular effective/substantive contact, and best practices.

Yes

Faculty assigned to teach Hybrid or Fully Online sections of this course will meet with the EAC Alternate Media Specialist to ensure that the course content meets the required Federal and state accessibility standards for access by students with disabilities. Common areas for discussion include accessibility of PDF files, images, captioning of videos, Power Point presentations, math and scientific notation, and ensuring the use of style mark-up in Word documents.

Yes

Regular Effective/Substantive Contact

Hybrid (1%–50% online) Modality:

Method of Instruction	Document typical activities or assignments for each method of instruction
Asynchronous Dialog (e.g., discussion board)	Regular Asynchronous discussion boards will be used to encourage discussion among students where they can compare and contrast/ discuss /identify and analyze elements of course outcomes.
E-mail	Email, class announcements and tools such as "Message Students Who" and "Assignment Comments" in Canvas will be used to regularly communicate with all students to clarify class content, remind of upcoming assignments, and provide immediate feedback to students on coursework to facilitate student learning outcomes. Students will be given multiple ways to email instructor through Canvas inbox and faculty provided email account through their own canvas email and school email.
Synchronous Dialog (e.g., online chat)	Communication, Online office hours, Online group discussions.
Video Conferencing	One on one and group meetings with students to discuss project ideas, project progress, project concepts, project results.
Other DE (e.g., recorded lectures)	Recorded lectures, Narrated Slides, Screencasts, Instructor created content, Discussions, 3rd Party (Publisher) Tools, Websites and Blogs, Multimedia (YouTube, Films on Demand, 3CMedia, Khan Academy, etc.)

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Examinations	
Hybrid (1%–50% online) Modality	
On campus	
Online	
Hybrid (51%–99% online) Modality	
On campus	
Online	

Primary Minimum Qualification

ART

Review and Approval Dates**Department Chair**

11/16/2022

Dean

11/16/2022

Technical Review

01/19/2023

Curriculum Committee

2/7/2023

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Curriculum Committee

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Board

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