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Subject-area course lists indicate courses currently active for offering at the University of Louisville. Not all courses are scheduled in any given academic term. For class offerings in a specific semester, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm).

500-level courses generally are included in both the undergraduate- and graduate-level course listings; however, specific course/section offerings may vary between semesters. Students are responsible for ensuring that they enroll in courses that are applicable to their particular academic programs.

Course Fees

Some courses may carry fees beyond the standard tuition costs to cover additional support or materials. Program-, subject- and course-specific fee information can be found on the Office of the Bursar website (http://louisville.edu/bursar/tuitionfee).

ART 504. Directed Study in Painting 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 502 and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: A focused, in-depth exploration of self-generated problems in painting.
Note: May be repeated up to a maximum of 12 credit hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 506. Themes and Concepts in Drawing 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): ART 305 and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Individual problems stressing development of personal imagery and concepts and optional media and approaches. Coursework may include work from nude models.
Note: Formally taught as Advanced Drawing Concepts.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 507. Directed Study in Drawing 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 505 or ART 506; and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in drawing.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 508. Art Education Methods and Research I 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Fine Arts majors only.
Description: Art education methods and current research readings to satisfy Kentucky certification requirements for teachers of art in grades K-6.
For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 509. Anatomy & Life Drawing 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): ART 305 and BFA candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: The study of human anatomy for the artist as visual structural form with emphasis on skeletal system, and movement; muscle system, and surface features. Course work may include drawing from nude models.
For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 510. Design for Visualizing Data and Information 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): ART 572; BFA Graphic Design Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Exploration of the design and production of a variety of formats (charts, tables, maps, diagrams) and challenges (presenting the information in a visually engaging way with accuracy and integrity); targeting a variety of audiences. Emphasis is placed on both the thinking and the making that goes into a successfully designed data visualization.
Note: This course satisfies an elective for completion of the BFA in Graphic Design.
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ART 512. Directed Study in Glass 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 511 and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in Glass. Emphasis is placed on realization and execution of ideas.
Note: May be repeated up to 12 hours.

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ART 518. Art Education Methods and Research II 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): Fine Arts majors only.
Description: Art education methods and current research readings to satisfy Kentucky certification requirements for teachers in grades 7-12.
For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 523. Directed Study in Sculpture 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 521 and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in sculpture.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 534. Directed Study in Ceramics 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 531 and BFA Candidacy, or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in clay and ceramics.
Note: May be repeated up to a maximum of 12 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 543. Directed Study in Printmaking 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 541 and BFA Candidacy, or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in printmaking.
Note: Formerly ART 527.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 551. Lighting and View Camera 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Spring Only
Prerequisite(s): ART 351 or faculty consent.
Description: Exploration of black and white photography emphasizing techniques and processes as well as conceptual problem solving.
Note: Formerly taught as Photography Techniques and Processes.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 552. Color Imaging 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): ART 351 or faculty consent.
Description: Exploration of color photography concepts and digital media utilizing photographic principles and techniques.
Note: Formerly Color Photography.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 554. Alternative and Historic Photographic Processes 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): ART 351 or Faculty Consent.
Description: Exploration of historic and alternative methods of photographic image making. Students will gain an understanding of historic photographic principles in a historic context.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 555. Directed Study in Photography 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 351, BFA Candidacy, or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in photography.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 556. Experimental Photography 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): ART 351; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation with historic and alternative photographic methods of image making.
Note: May be repeated up to 6 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 557. Advanced Photography 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Spring Only
Prerequisite(s): ART 551 and ART 552, or faculty consent.
Description: Working in a variety of photographic media including color, black and white, and alternative processes, students develop a personal portfolio and understanding of contemporary issues in photography.
Note: Formerly taught as ART 553.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

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ART 579. Directed Study in Graphic Design 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 571 and BFA Graphic Design Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in graphic design.
Note: This course satisfies an elective for completion of the BFA in Graphic Design.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 583. Papermaking 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): BFA Candidacy, faculty consent for graduate credit.
Description: Introduces the basic procedures of handmade paper while investigating papermaking as a means for contemporary expression.
Note: May be taken for graduate credit.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

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ART 584. Directed Study in Fiber and Mixed Media Art 1-3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): ART 581 or ART 582; and BFA Candidacy; or faculty consent.
Description: Experimentation on individual problems in fiber and mixed media art.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)
ART 585. Book Art Concepts 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): BFA candidacy or faculty consent.
Description: Introduction to traditional and non-traditional book arts with focus on the construction of traditional book forms such as folded bindings, Japanese stab bindings, portfolios, as well as types of multisignature bindings. Emphasis will be placed on the book as an art form incorporating concept, design, content, and craft.
Note: May be repeated to a maximum of 6 hours.

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ART 590. Special Problems in Studio Art 3 Units
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): BFA Candidacy or faculty consent.
Description: Advanced exploration of a particular theme, medium or combination of media outside the scope of established departmental curriculum, with emphasis on individual problems.
Note: May be repeated with different subtitles to a maximum of 12 hours.

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ART 595. Independent Study 1-3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Minimum grade point average of 3.0 overall, and minimum grade point average of 3.5 in the department, and at least 18 semester hours credit in the department.
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ART 600. Graduate Seminar 1 Unit
Grading Basis: Pass/Fail
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): Graduate standing.
Description: Reports, critiques, presentations and discussions on personal research and current topics in the visual arts.
Note: Cross-listed with ARTH 600 and CCS 600.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 601. Workshop in Painting 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Four semesters of undergraduate painting.
Description: Concentrated study in advanced contemporary painting problems, with strong emphasis on independent visual thought.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 602. Professional Practice in Painting 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA Standing, or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in painting.
Note: May be repeated but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 605. Workshop in Drawing 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Four semesters of undergraduate drawing.
Description: Concentrated study of contemporary concepts and theories leading to independent visual thought expressed through drawing techniques.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be counted toward MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 606. Professional Practice Drawing 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing, or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in drawing.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied MFA.

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ART 611. Workshop in Glass 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Graduate status or consent of instructor.
Description: Concentrated pursuit of creative concepts using glass. Refinement of conceptual and practical glassmaking fundamentals.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be counted toward MA or MFA.

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ART 612. Professional Practice in Glass 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in glass.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MFA.

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ART 621. Workshop in Sculpture 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Four semesters of undergraduate sculpture.
Description: Concentrated study of sculptural problems and techniques.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 622. Professional Practice in Sculpture 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in sculpture.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

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ART 631. Workshop in Ceramics 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Consent of instructor.
Description: Advanced individual projects and experimentation.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MA.

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ART 632. Professional Practice in Ceramics 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in ceramics.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

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ART 641. Workshop in Printmaking 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Four semesters of undergraduate printmaking.
Description: Concentrated study leading to independent visual thought.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 642. Professional Practice in Printmaking 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in printmaking.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 643. Independent Study 1-15 Units
Prerequisite(s): Consent of instructor.
Description: Credit according to achievement.
For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 644. Independent Study 1-15 Units
Prerequisite(s): Consent of instructor.
Description: Credit according to achievement.
For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 645. Thesis Guidance 3 Units
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ART 646. Thesis Guidance 3 Units
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ART 651. Workshop in Photography 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Four semesters of undergraduate photography, and consent of instructor.
Description: Concentrated study of photographic techniques and theory leading to independent visual thought.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be counted toward MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 652. Professional Practice in Photography 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing, or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in photography.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 661. Workshop in Fiber/Mixed Media 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): Consent of instructor.
Description: Concentrated study of fiber problems and techniques with emphasis on development of student's individual direction.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours can be credited to MA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 662. Professional Practice in Fiber/Mixed Media 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in graphic design.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 663. Professional Practice in Fiber/Mixed Media 3 Units
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Individual research and professional practice in fiber/mixed media.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)
ART 690. MFA Projects: Studio
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA Standing or faculty consent.
Description: Offered in the fall semester by a member of the studio faculty in an appropriate studio space or workspace; this course provides an opportunity for MFA candidates to develop their work in the studio with guidance and input from studio faculty and peers. The primary components of the curriculum are supervised studio work, group critiques, and individual meetings. This course is required in semesters 1, 3, and 5 for students enrolled in the MFA program; and may be taken as an elective in semesters 2, 4, and 6, if desired.
Note: No more than 18 hours may be applied to MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 691. Professional Practice in Studio Art
Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Interdisciplinary investigation in advanced contemporary visual problems leading to independent visual thought.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 18 hours may be counted toward MFA.
Note: Formerly taught as Workshop in Studio Art.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 692. Art, Thinking & Social Change
Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Studio art course that integrates aesthetics, critical theories and practice of art. Students will think creatively to produce artwork that transcends the confines of mediums, to reflect upon philosophical issues, to critique historical and current events, and to examine the boundary between aesthetics and ethics.
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ART 693. MFA Seminar I
Term Typically Offered: Spring Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Reports, critiques, presentations, discussions on current topics in the visual arts.
Note: MFA Seminar I to be taken in the second semester.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 694. MFA Seminar II
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Reports, critiques, presentations, and discussions on current topics in the visual arts.
Note: MFA Seminar II to be taken in the third semester.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 695. MFA Seminar III
Term Typically Offered: Spring Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Reports, critiques, presentations, and discussions on current topics in the visual arts.
Note: MFA Seminar III to be taken in the fourth semester.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 696. Teaching Internship I
Term Typically Offered: Spring Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Development and practice of teaching skills and methodologies through work with an individual instructor in an undergraduate course.
Note: To be taken prior to the receipt of a Graduate Teaching Assistantship (GTA).

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 697. Teaching Internship II
Term Typically Offered: Fall Only
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Development and practice of teaching skills and methodologies through work with an individual instructor in an undergraduate course.
Note: To be taken after student receives a GTA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 698. Internship in Studio Art
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
Description: Supervised professional experience in Studio Art.
Note: May be repeated, but no more than 2 hours may be counted toward MFA.

For class offerings for a specific term, refer to the Schedule of Classes (http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm)

ART 699. MFA Thesis Project
Prerequisite(s): MFA standing or faculty consent.
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