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## Art & Design/Illustration

students to apply professional skills and conduct associated with the field of

Industrial Design.

ARID380 Title Metal Casting Technology.

Prerequisites ARID 210.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 2 hours lab.

Course Description The study of contemporary industrial metal casting techniques. Laboratory

activities will afford the student an opportunity to develop an understanding

of casting practices as applied to the design of industrial products.

ARID410 Title Senior Design Thesis I.

Prerequisites ARID 302, ARID 303, ARID 360. For Industrial Design (INDS) majors only.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 2 hours studio.

Course Description Students begin to research and explore design opportunities to develop

multiple project concepts based on their own interests for the purpose of proposing a complex industrial design thesis project. Students are required to provide evidence of all the knowledge they have obtained in the major, and to present data resulting from independent studies, exploration and research. The project complexity is expected to be on the level of a senior thesis and its viability is evaluated by a faculty appointed panel. Students work in conjunction with faculty, external consultants, or an actual client.

ARID411 Title Senior Design Thesis II.

Prerequisites ARID 302, ARID 303, ARID 410. For Industrial Design (INDS) majors only.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 2 hours studio.

Course Description This course is the second part of a two- part course sequence (with ARID 410).

Students focus on the completion of their thesis projects. They work independently; receive regular feedback from faculty and their external consultant. The objective is to build students' confidence in developing and finalizing design details and perfecting their projects to achieve a rational design solution. Preparing design documentation, study and presentation

models and illustrative presentation panels is compulsory.

ARIL220 Title Illustration, Beginning I.

Prerequisites ARFD 122.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 6 hours studio.

Course Description A study of the major historical and contemporary themes of illustration and

its influences. Through slide presentation the work of leading illustrators will be shown and discussed and the relationship between illustration and fine

art will be explored. Illustration assignments will provide concrete

experience of the related thematic issues and introduce formal approaches and

relevant techniques.

ARIL221 Title Intro 3D Computer Illustration and Animation Arts: Modeling.

Prerequisites ARFD 123.
Corequisites ARIL 230.
Special Fee Special fee.

Course Description Course focuses on 3D computer modeling and texturing polygonal wire frames

built from students' sketches. Realistic texture rendering and lighting is stressed. Previous course ARIL 319 effective through Winter 2014.

ARIL230 Title Illustration, Beginning II.

Prerequisites ARIL 220.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 4 hours studio.

Course Description Students learn illustrational concepts and techniques in the context of a

ARIL230 Course Description variety of media. From storyboards for animation, TV and film, to digital

illustration, to experimental image making for the music industry, this course

focuses on materials & techniques as well as concept and composition.

ARIL260 Title Introduction to Cartooning.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description A studio exploration of the single-panel cartoon, humorous illustration, and

the editorial cartoon through discussion, examination and experimentation. Cartoon formats, concepts, styles, techniques and history will be discussed. The student will experience creating cartoons from the isolation of an idea to

the point of completion for publication. Students will receive ongoing

one-on-one critiques. Each major project assignment will culminate in a group

critique, which will also serve as the "publication deadline" for each

project.

ARIL261 Title Character Design for 2D Animation.

Prerequisites ARIL 220.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description This course focuses on designing and drawing characters for animation.

Gesture drawing, action poses, flipbooks and stop-motion projects are employed to help students better understand fundamental concepts of traditional cel animation. Use of a capture device, pencil tests, inking and other 2-D

animation skills are explored.

ARIL262 Title Principles of 2D Animation.

Prerequisites ARFD 125.

Corequisites ARIL 220, ARIL 230, ARIL 261.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 4 hours studio.

Course Description Students demonstrate 2D competencies in a short animated assignment. The

course emphasizes character and scene design.

ARIL264 Title Digital Illustration.

Prerequisites ARIL 320.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Course dedicated to the fast-paced world of magazine and newspaper

illustration, with a heavy focus on concepts and how to interpret a story, but also including some new developments such as simple animations for online and

mobile editions.

ARIL280 Title The World of Illustration and Animation.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 3 hours lecture.

Course Description History of illustration/animation: Course begins with and overview of the

history of illustration and animation and the convergence of the two. Emphasis will be on the various illustration and illustration/animation industries. Analytic discourse on concept and technique will be discussed.

ARIL318 Title Animation Production.

**Prerequisites** ARIL 262. Special fee. Special Fee

Number and type of credits

1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

**Course Description** 

Students learn how to organize and plan an animation project, add sound and finish their final product. All the steps from concept to final product are covered: Storyboarding, Animatic, Sound, Post-production. While students will make use of computer technology for the practical side of this course, the main focus is on the professional animation process: workflow, planning and

best practices.

ARIL320 Title Illustration III, Art of the Visual Narrative.

> **Prerequisites** ARIL 220, ARIL 230.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

**Course Description** Students learn to produce sequential narrative imagery. From comic book art

to graphic novels, to children's books, this course emphasizes continuity,

story structure, and character definition.

ARIL321 Title Intermediate 3D Computer Illustration and Animation Arts: Animation.

> **Prerequisites** ARIL 221 and ARIL 230.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 2 hours lecture, 4 hours studio.

**Course Description** An exploration of 3-D computer-generated imagery and animation combining

traditional illustrative techniques and digital technology. May be repeated

once for a maximum of 6.0 credits.

ARIL322 Title Animation for the Internet and Mobile Media.

> **Prerequisites** ARIL 262. Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hour studio.

**Course Description** This course focuses on the requirements for animations that are to be viewed

> on the Internet and mobile media, which differ from the more traditional animation platforms like television and the big screen. Current trends will

be surveyed. Ways to translate static illustration into a moving

Internet/Mobile media experience are investigated, both conceptually and

technically. Students will create work that is appropriate for chosen media.

ARIL340 Title Editorial Illustration.

Prerequisites ARIL 220 and ARIL 230.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Course dedicated to the fast-paced world of magazine and newspaper

illustration, with a heavy focus on concepts and how to interpret a story, but also including some new developments such as simple animations for online and

mobile editions.

ARIL350 Title Professional Business Practice for the Artist.

Prerequisites ARIL 220 and ARIL 230 and ARIL 320.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description This course is designed to provide students with the information and tools

needed to begin a freelance career. Some of these include a comprehensive overview of business practices, systems and the development of interpersonal

skills.

ARIL360 Title Intermediate 3D II - Motion, Lighting and Texture Mapping.

Prerequisites ARIL 221; ARIL 321 may be taken as a corequisite or prerequisite.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Students complete projects addressing lighting 3D objects, lighting movement,

and establishing cohesion between background, object, reflectivity, and

optical depth.

ARIL361 Title Animation: Broadcast Graphics.

Prerequisites ARIL 321.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description An overview of the working aspects of broadcast animation. Focus is on

computer graphics as it has integrated into the broadcast industry. Students create animation sequences for news, industrial, educational and informational

venues.

ARIL421 Title Advanced 3-D Computer Illustration and Animation Arts.

Prerequisites ARIL 321.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description A 2nd level computer illustration and animation course introducing industry

standard software: Maya. A mix of traditional animation principles from storyboarding to character development as well as inverse kinematics and

keyframing will be taught.

ARIL422 Title Final Project I.

Prerequisites ARIL 320.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 4 hours lecture.

Course Description With faculty advisement, each senior student will design a project within an

area of Illustration: Print & Animation. The body of the work will be

completed in Final Project II.

ARIL423 Title Final Project II.

Prerequisites ARIL 422.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 3 hours studio, 1 hour lecture.

Course Description With faculty advisement, each senior student will complete and present a body

of work within an area of Illustration: Print & Animation already established

and explored in Final Project I.

ARIL430 Title Illustration IV: Advanced.

Prerequisites ARIL 220 and ARIL 230 and ARIL 320.

Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Senior level illustration course to further refine students' technique,

concepts, style and voice as illustrators, and to build portfolio quality

work.

ARIL440 Title Portfolio for Illustrators.

Prerequisites ARIL 320.
Corequisites ARIL 430.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Senior level illustration course to further refine students' technique,

concepts, style and voice as illustrators, and to build portfolio quality

work.

ARIL460 Title Advanced Animation II: Interactive Media/Gaming.

Prerequisites ARIL 420.
Special Fee Special fee.

Number and type of credits 1 hour lecture, 3 hours studio.

Course Description Students create low polygon characters and scenes for use in game prototypes.

Stand-alone game prototypes demonstrate basic game design principles through

scripting and storyboarding.

ARIN180 Title Arab Americans: Before and After 9/11.

Number and type of credits 3 hours lecture.

Course Description This course examines the various manifestations of Arab American culture

before and after the events of 9/11. By examining writings, visual materials, and media portrayals of Arabs in America, students will explore the major elements in the history of Arabs in America that have shaped their culture.

Cross listed with ARAB 180.

ARIN185 Title The Arab World and Religion.

Number and type of credits 3 hours lecture.

Course Description This course examines the various manifestations of religion in modern Arab

culture. Through works written by both Arab and Western authors students will

ARIN185 Course Description explore the major religions of the Arab world, and how they have shaped modern

Arab culture. Course conducted in English. Students wishing to complete written work in Arabic should register under the ARAB number; students completing written work in English should register under the ARIN number.

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ARIN193 Title Introduction to Arab Culture.

Number and type of credits 3 hours lecture.

Course Description This course introduces some of the main themes and concepts of Arab culture(s)

in Arabic-speaking countries. This course will highlight such topics as: the history, geography, and demographics of the Arab World; the concept of ethnicity and Arab identity; the importance of religion, namely Islam;