

Minnesota State University Moorhead

COMM 430: Documentary Photography

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

This course requires the following prerequisite

COMM 230 - Photography

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

The class is designed to achieve the following outcomes: an ability to research, photograph, organize and present a group photographic project documenting some aspect of our region. Repeatable for credit.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 09/09/2014 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Researching the topic of a photographic documentation project
2. Photographing the subject of the documentary.
3. Editing the photographs to be included in a documentary photography presentation.
4. Selecting and organizing one's photographs for public display.
5. An advanced photography course for individual and group documentary projects

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Conduct background research on a photographic project.
2. Create a photographic documentation of some aspect of our region.
3. Organize a coordinated presentation of the photographic documentation project.
4. Ability to research, photograph, organize and present a group photographic project documenting some aspect of our region.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted