

Minnesota State University Moorhead

ART 304C: Figure Painting

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 4

Lecture Hours/Week: 1

Lab Hours/Week: 5

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

This course requires the following prerequisite

ART 203C - Introduction to Painting

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Refinement of technical facility and concentration on the subjects of portraiture and figure painting. Study of portraiture/figure painting and their compositional strategies. In-depth studio investigation in historical and contemporary portrait/figure painting.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 05/19/2022 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Working from human models; plaster cast and photography will be used if needed
2. Painting materials, tools, techniques, color and concepts for portraiture
3. Human anatomy, muscles, bone structures and various costumes

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Understand the painting media and its application methods for portraiture and full figure painting.
2. Further understand color theory and compositional strategies.
3. Create a strong figure painting portfolio.

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

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted