FLORS 111 Course Outline as of Fall 2005

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: FLORS 111 Title: IKEBANA: TRAD & CONTEMP

Full Title: Ikebana: Traditional & Contemporary Designs

Last Reviewed: 2/1/2010

Units		Course Hours per Week]	Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	1.00	Lecture Scheduled	1.50	8	Lecture Scheduled	12.00
Minimum	1.00	Lab Scheduled	1.50	8	Lab Scheduled	12.00
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	24.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 24.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 48.00

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

Repeatability: 39 - Total 2 Times

Also Listed As:

Formerly: FLORS 88

Catalog Description:

Theory and practice of contemporary and traditional Japanese Ikebana designs. Class will explore the elements of geometric and abstract forms with an emphasis on creative achievement.

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Course Completion of FLOR 83B (or FLORS 83B)

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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achievement. (Grade or P/NP)

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Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment:

Transfer Credit:

Repeatability: Total 2 Times

ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

CSU Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

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

- 1. Examine the differences between contemporary and traditional Japanese floral art.
- 2. Identify various forms of contemporary and traditional Japanese floral art.
- 3. Discuss design principles and styles, utilizing a working vocabulary of Japanese and Western style terms.
- 4. Select and obtain appropriate materials and containers for use in creating arrangements.
- 5. Create basic arrangements utilizing Japanese and contemporary styles.
- 6. Create arrangements demonstrating imagination and creativity.
- 7. Based on subsequent repeats, students will:
 - a. work with different seasonal materials
 - b. increase skill with assembly and design principles
 - c. gain confidence and speed

Topics and Scope:

- I. Introduction to Traditional Ikebana
- A. Characteristics
- B. Historical development
 - 1. Classical arrangement
 - 2. Naturalistic arrangement -- Nageire
 - 3. Moribana
- C. Materials used
 - 1. Representing the past
 - 2. Representing the present
 - 3. Representing the future
 - 4. Appropriate materials for each style of arrangement
 - a. selecting

- b. obtaining
- 5. Appropriate containers for the different styles
 - a. obtaining
 - b. utilizing
- II. Fundamental Principles of Arrangement/Design
 - A. Precepts
 - 1. Line
 - 2. Rhythm
 - 3. Color
 - B. Three main lines
 - 1. Heaven
 - 2. Man
 - 3. Earth
- III. Japanese Style Arrangements
 - A. Nageire
 - B. Moribana
 - C. Shoka
- IV. Contemporary Style Arrangements
 - A. Abstract form
 - B. Imagination and creativity

Assignment:

- 1. Create a basic Japanese arrangement-- Nageire.
- 2. Create Japanese style arrangements -- Moribana, Shoka.
- 3. Create arrangements using lines.
- 4. Create arrangements using mass.
- 5. Create arrangements in the abstract form.
- 6. Create arrangements using imagination and creativity.
- 7. Portfolio: photos of design projects with accompanying journal entries identifying styles, listing materials, and describing methods for each project.
- 8. Midterm and final exam.
- 9. Reading, 5-10 pages per week.

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Writing 0 - 0%

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving 0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Class performances

Skill Demonstrations 50 - 80%

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Completion

Exams 20 - 30%

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Class participation; skill, confidence, speed for subsequent repeats.

Other Category 0 - 20%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

The Pleasures of Ikebana. Hinata, Koji. Weatherhill, 1997. Instructor prepared materials.