ART 31D Course Outline as of Fall 2008

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: ART 31D Title: ADVANCED CERAMICS II

Full Title: Advanced Ceramics 2 Last Reviewed: 10/22/2018

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	2.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	35.00
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	4.00	5	Lab Scheduled	70.00
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	6.00		Contact Total	105.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 70.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 175.00

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Course Completion of ART 31C

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment:

Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

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

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

CSU Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

UC Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

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

- 1. Design their own projects, continuing to develop subject matter and personal vision.
- 2. Develop artistic standard for judgment of their own work.
- 3. Practice firing gas and/or electric kilns.
- 4. Evaluate a series of their own related works in a portfolio.
- 5. Examine ideas, tools, media, decoration techniques and process of working through self-expression.
- 6. Expand a working vocabulary used by professional ceramic artists.
- 7. Analyze and criticize examples of historical and contemporary ceramics.
- 8. Define health and safety issues that arise from the use of ceramics materials and equipment.
- 9. Create one's own personal glazes.

Topics and Scope:

- 1. Advanced potter's wheel and hand-building techniques for the creation of historical and contemporary ceramic forms displaying personal expression.
- 2. Demonstration of firing processes for gas and electric kilns.
- 3. Creation of personal glazes for one's own work.
- 4. Critique of own and other students' work.
- 5. Preparation of an individual portfolio, including presentation of work in progress for discussion.
- 6. The use, care and safety for materials, tools and equipment of ceramics.
- 7. The concepts and elements of historical and contemporary ceramics.

Assignment:

- 1. Students will work individually on self-selected subject matter approved by the instructor in advance. Individuals are expected to show work in progress for critique and discussion.
- 2. Complete a series of line blends/triaxials and color experiments with glaze materials, and apply them to test tiles.
- 3. Write two reports (2-3 pages each); one on a ceramic artist and one on a gallery exhibition.
- 4. Portfolio preparation.

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.

Short reports on artists and gallery exhibitions.

Writing 10 - 20%

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, Final exhibit of completed glazed work.

Skill Demonstrations 60 - 75%

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

None

Exams 0 - 0%

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

Attendance, effort, artistic growth and class participation.

Other Category 15 - 20%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Ceramics, Glen C. Nelson, Richard Burkett, 6th ed., Wordsworth, Thomson Learning, Inc., 2002.