GD 58 Course Outline as of Fall 2014

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: GD 58 Title: ADVANCED PAGE LAYOUT

Full Title: Advanced Page Layout and Advertising Design

Last Reviewed: 4/14/2014

| Units | | Course Hours per Week | • | Nbr of Weeks | Course Hours Total | |
|---------|------|-----------------------|------|--------------|---------------------------|-------|
| Maximum | 3.00 | Lecture Scheduled | 3.00 | 17.5 | Lecture Scheduled | 52.50 |
| Minimum | 3.00 | Lab Scheduled | 0 | 6 | Lab Scheduled | 0 |
| | | Contact DHR | 0 | | Contact DHR | 0 |
| | | Contact Total | 3.00 | | Contact Total | 52.50 |
| | | Non-contact DHR | 0 | | Non-contact DHR | 0 |

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

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 CS 72.11A and GD 54; OR Course Completion of CS 72.11B

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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Limits on Enrollment: Transfer Credit: CSU;

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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: Spring 2010 Inactive: Fall 2020

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate effective design principles in the creation of print and interactive projects using InDesign.
- 2. Explain basic concepts and terminology of advertising, page layout and interactive digital design.

Objectives:

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

- 1. Explain the fundamentals of interactive design and digital/online publishing including software, terminology, formats, target devices and sizes
- 2. Use the principles of design, color, typography, and grid systems to create page layouts for print and digital publications
- 3. Use InDesign to create effective layouts and re-purpose it for digital publication
- 4. Use a variety of advertising techniques and theories to develop a brand and create effective print and online advertisements aimed at the bilingual market
- 5. Design a Portable Document Format (PDF) presentation with interactive elements in InDesign
- 6. Demonstrate sensitivity to diverse populations in advertising

Topics and Scope:

- 1. Overview of print and digital publishing: techniques, formats, software tools and target devices.
- 2. Introduction to brand development: creating and promoting a brand identity including

distribution options and formats

- 3. Effective practicies for creating on-target print and online advertisements aimed at global and bilingual markets
- 4. Advanced layout techniques for effective advertisements
- 5. Evaluating and developing great advertising headlines and copy
- 6. Selecting and using color and image for the global market
- 7. Techniques for translating a print advertisement into an animated online advertisement in InDesign
- 8. Introduction to long publication design: book and magazine design and layout techniques
- 9. How to sell the story: book jacket design for print and online distribution
- 10. How to design magazine layouts that appeal to specific target audiences
- 11. Techniques for developing attractive magazine covers and 2-page spreads
- 12. Designing a grid system for 2-page magazine spreads and implementing it in InDesign
- 13. Using InDesign to add interactivity and animation to a magazine page for distribution on tablet devices
- 14. Developing an interactive Portable Document Format (PDF) presentation in InDesign
- 15. Exploring the exploitation of diverse populations in advertising

Assignment:

- 1. Project to develop branding and promotional materials for a global company
- 2. Advertisement layouts that target both English and Spanish speaking audiences designed for print and then re-purposed for online display.
- 3. Book jacket and interior page design for a book dealing with a foreign author or subject (suitable for print and online distribution)
- 4. Print magazine spread with an editorial focus with added interactivity for tablet distribution
- 5. Interactive Portable Document Format (PDF) presentation
- 6. 10 to 15 pages per week of reading
- 7. Final project portfolio presentations in PDF form

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.

Planning and research for design projects.

Problem solving 30 - 35%

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

All class projects included in final project portfolio

Skill Demonstrations 55 - 60%

Participation and PDF presentation

Exams
0 - 0%

Exams
0 - 0%

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

Other Category
5 - 10%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill

Adobe InDesign CS6 Interactive: Digital Publishing for the Internet and the iPad (Adobe CS6) (1st). Botello, Chris; Dove, Dylan. Cengage Learning: 2012