ART 2.3 Course Outline as of Fall 2021

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: ART 2.3 Title: HISTORY OF MODERN ART

Full Title: History of Modern Art in Europe and North America

Last Reviewed: 11/9/2020

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	5	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 or P/NP

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

Also Listed As:

Formerly: ART 2C

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Eligibility for ENGL 100 or ESL 100 or appropriate placement based on AB705 mandates

Limits on Enrollment:

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive:

E Humanities Fall 1981

CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

C1 Arts Fall 1981

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

3A Arts Fall 1981

CSU Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

UC Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

CID:

CID Descriptor: ARTH 120 Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary

SRJC Equivalent Course(s): ART2.2 AND ART2.3 CID Descriptor: ARTH 150 Survey of Modern Art

SRJC Equivalent Course(s): ART2.3

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. Place a work of art in its historical, cultural and stylistic context.
- 2. Perform visual and critical analysis of a work of art using specialized vocabulary.

Objectives:

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

- 1. Recognize and identify the forms, titles, artists, dates, and locations of works of Western art and architecture from the mid-19th to mid-20th century.
- 2. Locate and explain the cultural, chronological and geographical contexts of these major works.
- 3. Use the principles of aesthetic and critical analysis through comparison of known works to evaluate the qualities of unknown works.
- 4. Identify the unique contributions of individuals and stylistic groups and assess their continuing influence on art today.
- 5. Recognize basic methods and materials used in architecture, painting, sculpture, printmaking, photography, ceramics, metal work and textiles.

Topics and Scope:

Lecture and discussion of examples of works from Europe and North America in the following styles:

1. Neoclassicism

- 2. Romanticism
- 3. Early Photography
- 4. Pre-Raphaelites
- 5. Arts and Crafts Movement
- 6. Realism
- 7. Impressionism
- 8. Post-Impressionism
- 9. Symbolism
- 10. Art Nouveau
- 11. Art Deco
- 12. Fauvism
- 13. Expressionism
- 14. Cubism
- 15. Futurism
- 16. Dada
- 17. Surrealism
- 18. Bauhaus
- 19. De Stiil
- 20. Modern Architecture
- 21. Early Motion Pictures
- 22. Social Realism
- 23. Harlem Renaissance
- 24. Abstract Expressionism
- 25. Bay Area Figurative Movement
- 26. Pop Art
- 27. Minimalism

Assignment:

- 1. Two to three hours of weekly reading outside of class
- 2. Writing Projects, including research papers, museum/gallery responses, formal analysis essays, critique essays, or similar
- 3. Identifying, analyzing and critiquing unfamiliar works of art (optional)
- 4. Presentation (optional)
- 5. At least 3 exams

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.

Writing projects

Writing 40 - 60%

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

Identifying, analyzing, and critiquing unfamiliar works of art

Problem solving 0 - 20%

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

Presentation

Skill Demonstrations 0 - 20%

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

Exams: Essay, short answer, multiple choice, true/false, compare/contrast, matching items, fill-ins, vocabulary or similar

Exams 40 - 60%

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

Attendance and class participation

Other Category 0 - 20%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Art History. 6th ed. Stokstad, Marilyn, and Michael Watt Cothren. Prentice Hall. 2018

Gardner's Art Through the Ages: The Western Perspective. 16th ed. Kleiner, Fred S. Thomson Wadsworth. 2021

History of Modern Art: Painting Sculpture, Architecture, Photography. 7th ed. Arnason, H. Harvard. Pearson. 2013 (classic)

Selections from Open Educational Resources and websites including:

- 1. Smarthistory.org
- 2. KhanAcademy.org
- 3. The Art Story.org
- 4. MetMuseum.org/toah/ (Heilbrunn Timeline of Art History)