

**CUYAMACA COLLEGE**  
**COURSE OUTLINE OF RECORD**

**ART 221 – PAINTING III**

2 hours lecture, 4 hours laboratory, 3 units

**Catalog Description**

Offers a wider selection of painting mediums to include acrylic, oil, egg tempera, casein and encaustic. Students will continue developing a personal style of expression.

**Prerequisite**

“C” grade or higher or “Pass” in ART 220 or equivalent

**Entrance Skills**

Without the following skills, competencies and/or knowledge, students entering this course will be highly unlikely to succeed:

- 1) Demonstrate in their own original paintings a personal style and an increasing proficiency in communicating an idea, theme, or emotion.
- 2) Use innovative visual metaphors in their original paintings.
- 3) Discuss a series of their original works of art, using the appropriate vocabulary of art.
- 4) Analyze their works of art as to personal direction and style.
- 5) Compare how distortion is used in photography or video with how the artist uses distortion in painting.
- 6) Describe the use of the elements of art to express mood in one or more of their works of art.
- 7) Select three works of art from their painting portfolio and discuss the intent of the work and the use of the media.
- 8) Prepare portfolios of their original paintings.

**Course Content**

A continuation and extension of ART 220 (Painting II) using a wider selection of painting mediums to include acrylic, oil, egg tempera, casein and encaustic:

- 1) Processing, analyzing, and responding to sensory information through the language and skills unique to the visual arts with an emphasis on painting.
- 2) Artistic processes and skills as developed through the paint media and used to communicate meaning and intent in the students’ original work.
- 3) Responding to, analyzing, and making judgments about paintings and other works of art, including their own, according to the elements of art, the principles of design, and aesthetic qualities.
- 4) Connecting and applying what is learned in painting to other art forms, subject areas, and careers.

**Course Objectives**

Students will be able to:

- 1) Analyze and discuss complex ideas, such as distortion, color theory, arbitrary color, scale, expressive content, and real versus virtual in paintings.
- 2) Plan and create paintings that reflect complex ideas, such as distortion, color theory, arbitrary color, scale, expressive content, and real versus virtual.
- 3) Demonstrate in their own original paintings a personal style and an increasing proficiency in communicating an idea, theme, or emotion using a wider selection of painting mediums to include acrylic, oil, egg tempera, casein and encaustic.
- 4) Use innovative visual metaphors in their original paintings.

- 5) Discuss a series of their original works of art, with increasing proficiency, utilizing the appropriate art vocabulary.
- 6) Analyze their works of art as to personal direction and style at an intermediate level.
- 7) Compare how distortion is used in photography or video with how the artist uses distortion in painting at an intermediate level.
- 8) Describe the use of the elements of art to express mood in one or more of their works of art.
- 9) Select three works of art from their painting portfolio and discuss the intent of the work and the use of the media.
- 10) Prepare portfolios of their original paintings with increasing proficiency.
- 11) Assemble and display objects or works of art as a part of a public exhibition with increasing proficiency.

### **Method of Evaluation**

A grading system will be established by the instructor and implemented uniformly. Grades will be based on demonstrated proficiency in subject matter determined by multiple measurements for evaluation, one of which must be essay exams, skills demonstration or, where appropriate, the symbol system.

- 1) Studio demonstrations and preparation and presentation of a portfolio which measure students' ability to apply artistic processes and skills, using paint media, to communicate meaning and intent in their original paintings.
- 2) Exams and/or quizzes and/or critiques and writing prompts which measure students' ability to perceive and respond to paintings, objects in nature, events, and the environment using the vocabulary of the visual arts to express their observations.
- 3) Exams and/or quizzes and/or critiques, writing prompts and portfolio development which measure students' ability to analyze, assess, and derive meaning from works of art, including their own, according to the elements of art, the principles of design, and aesthetic qualities.

### **Special Materials Required of Student**

- 1) Color wheel
- 2) Paint brushes, palette knife, mixing palette
- 3) Paints (acrylic, oil egg tempera, casein and/or encaustic), paint mediums, solvents
- 4) Paper, boards and masonite panels
- 5) Canvas and stretcher bars
- 6) Centimeter ruler
- 7) 9"x12" sketchbook/journal

### **Minimum Instructional Facilities**

- 1) Smart classroom studio with drawing tables, easels, ventilation system, storage space
- 2) Audiovisual: opaque and slide projector, screen
- 3) Wall space for hanging and critiquing artwork
- 4) Adequate lighting including overhead lights, natural lights, adjustable lamps
- 5) Sinks with hot and cold water as well as traps

### **Method of Instruction**

- 1) Lecture
- 2) Laboratory demonstration
- 3) Field trips
- 4) Group discussions and activities
- 5) Individual and group critiques

**Out-of-Class Assignments**

- 1) Readings
- 2) Writing reports and/or journaling
- 3) Collect reference materials and/or other information as assigned
- 4) Research themes and concepts pertaining to specific assignments
- 5) Computer searches and/or gallery museum visits

**Texts and References**

- 1) Required: None
- 2) Supplemental (representative examples):
  - a. Brooker, Suzanne. *The Elements of Landscape Oil Painting Techniques for Rendering Sky, Terrain, Tress, and Water*. 1st edition. Potter/TenSpeed/Harmony, 2015.
  - b. Casey, Todd. *The Art of Still Life: A Contemporary Guide to Classical Techniques, Composition and Painting in Oil*. The Monacelli Press, 2020.
  - c. Salaski, Cindy. *Oil Painting with the Masters: Essential Techniques from Today's Top Artists*. F+W Media, 2014.

**Exit Skills**

Students having successfully completed this course exit with the following skills, competencies and/or knowledge:

- 1) Analyze and discuss complex ideas, such as distortion, color theory, arbitrary color, scale, expressive content, and real versus virtual in paintings.
- 2) Plan and create paintings that reflect complex ideas, such as distortion, color theory, arbitrary color, scale, expressive content, and real versus virtual.
- 3) Demonstrate in their own original paintings a personal style and an increasing proficiency in communicating an idea, theme, or emotion using a wider selection of painting mediums to include acrylic, oil, egg tempera, casein and encaustic.
- 4) Use innovative visual metaphors in their original paintings.
- 5) Discuss a series of their original works of art, with increasing proficiency, utilizing the appropriate art vocabulary.
- 6) Analyze their works of art as to personal direction and style at an intermediate level.
- 7) Compare how distortion is used in photography or video with how the artist uses distortion in painting at an intermediate level.
- 8) Describe the use of the elements of art to express mood in one or more of their works of art.
- 9) Select three works of art from their painting portfolio and discuss the intent of the work and the use of the media.
- 10) Prepare portfolios of their original paintings with increasing proficiency.
- 11) Assemble and display objects or works of art as a part of a public exhibition with increasing proficiency.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

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

- 1) Create paintings that demonstrate and apply both the principles of design and the elements of art at an intermediate to advanced level.
- 2) Identify artistic qualities, major works, or significant individuals in art from various historical periods.