## **Liverpool** John Moores University

Title: VISUAL STUDIES 2

Status: Definitive

Code: **5502GA** (116702)

Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Liverpool School of Art & Design

Teaching School/Faculty: St Helens College

Team	Leader
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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ5 Value: 24.00 Delivered 60.00

**Hours:** 

Total Private

Learning 240 Study: 180

**Hours:** 

## **Delivery Options**

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Practical	33.000
Seminar	6.000
Tutorial	6.000
Workshop	15.000

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	AS1	Traditional Portfolio	60.0	
Portfolio	AS2	Digital Portfolio	40.0	

#### **Aims**

- 1. Develop a personal artistic process that best communicates the individual's concepts and vision.
- 2. Utilise the rules of drawing through the interpretation of image creation and measurement. (Suggested: perspective, and the golden ratio)
- 3. Confidently use real world experiences to visualise imaginary places and objects.
- 4. Work effectively between traditional and digital processes.

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Apply personal drawing skill through a series of visual exercises.
- 2 Present a visual narrative that is fluent through out individual's ongoing practice.
- Apply traditional art practice and present relevant connections between historical image making and digital media production.
- 4 Create digital interpretations of vistas and areas that convey atmosphere and narrative.

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Traditional Portfolio 1 2 3 4

Digital Portfolio 3 4

## **Outline Syllabus**

Workshops will be facilitated to assist in expanding students drawing and observation skills. These will encourage development of draughtsmanship in your visual mark making. You will develop personal strategies to produce imaginative and sophisticated concept art. Through demonstrations and experimentation you will increase the digital vocabulary when using the large amount of processes within digital drawing and painting tools.

# **Learning Activities**

Work will be practically based to ensure the visual exploration of potential new processes and ways of thinking. A short series of workshops will introduce drawing theory and further sessions will develop your personal drawing skills. A visit by a concept artist will be supported by tutorials to stimulate group debate and critical evaluation.

#### References

Course Material	Book
Author	Dexter, E.
Publishing Year	2005
Title	Vitamin D
Subtitle	New Perspectives in Drawing
Edition	

Publisher	Phaidon
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Edwards, B.
Publishing Year	2001
Title	The New Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Harper Collins
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Lee, S.
Publishing Year	1986
Title	How to Draw Comics the 'Marvel' Way
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	Titan Books Ltd
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Hogarth, B.
Publishing Year	1995
Title	Dynamic Wrinkles and Drapery
Subtitle	Solutions for Drawing the Clothed Figure
Edition	
Publisher	Watson-Guptill Publications Inc
ISBN	

Course Material	Book
Author	Hoptman, L.
Publishing Year	2002
Title	Drawing Now, Eight Propositions
Subtitle	
Edition	
Publisher	MOMA
ISBN	

# Notes

Expanding on previous visual studies a personal, visual language related to Game Art practice.