# National Chiayi University Course Syllabus Fall Semester, Academic Year 101

Course code	10112740003	Course level	Master
Course title	Issues in Modern & Contemporary Art	Instructor	FENG-JUNG LIU
Credits(Cours e Hours)	2.0 (2.0)	Class	Department of Visual Arts Grade 1 Class A
Prerequisite Courses		Required/ Elective	Elective
Class location	美術館 L207	Class Language	English
Availability of certificate	none		Class 7 ~ 8 on Mon, Office:L204 Class 7 ~ 8 on Fri, Office:L204
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## A.Goals at the Department or Institute level

本所將致力於增進台灣視覺藝術理論與創作之研究,並且改進藝術教育與文化之品質。本所為達上述目標, 十分強調課程之周延設計、教學與研究之不斷改進,以及與文化機構及其他學校之互動。未來將適時申請並成立 博士班。其教育目標分述如下:

- 1.培育視覺藝術與設計創作專業人才。
- 2.深化視覺藝術與設計理論專業知能。
- 3.提供藝術與設計教師進修管道,強化各級藝術與設計教育之品質。
- 4 增進文化行政與藝術管理重業知能,提昇全民文化素養。

#### B.Relationship to departmental core ability indices

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Core abilities	Relationship	
1.To cultivate the abilities of integration of various materials.	Least related	
2.To develop the research abilities of integration of theoretical and practical.	Moderately related	
3.To establish the creative abilities of humanistic and cultural sense.	Strongly related	
4.To cultivate the capacity of digital arts design and practical arts.	Least related	
5.To emphasize on the research of local and international aesthetic theories.	Highly related	
6.To focus on the discussion of local art history.	Highly related	
7.To discuss the new thoughts on arts education.	Moderately related	
8.To design arts education with the combination of local characteristics	Moderately related	
9.To develop the professional knowledge of cultural administration and arts.	Moderately related	

# C.Course description

This course is to help students to learn the core knowledge and to deal with the related issues of modern and contemporary art. Based on the knowledge, students are expected to do research or apply their learning to art production. (此科目旨在協助學生學習現代與當代藝術相關論題之核心知識,且加以探討,同時期望學生基於這些知識進行研究,且應用於藝術創作之學習中。)

### D.Subject's master syllabus

1. Issues of modern art: Impressionism, Neo-impressionism, and Postimpressionism; (現代藝術論題:印象派新印象派後印象派)2. Issues of modern art: Symbolism, Fauvism, and Expressionism(現代藝術論題:象徵主義野獸派表現主義)3. Issues of modern art: Cubism, and Futurism (現代藝術論題:立體派未來派)4. Issues of modern art: Neo-plasticism and constructivism (現代藝術論題:新造形與構成主義)5. Issues of modern art: Dada, Surrealism, and Scuola Metafisica (現代藝術論題:達達、超現實、形上繪畫)6. Issues of contemporary art (當代藝術論題)7. Comparison between modern and postmodern art and culture (現代與後現代藝術與文化之比較)8. Eastern philosophy and aesthetics in modern and contemporary art (現代與當代藝術中東方哲學與美學)9. Issues of the modern and contemporary art of Taiwan (台灣現代與當代藝術論題)

## E.Course objectives

- 1.to explore the theories and styles of modern art. (探討現代藝術之理論與風格)
- 2.to explore the theories and styles of of contemporary art. (探討當代藝術之理論與風格)

3.to compare modern and postmodern art and culture. (比較現代與後現代藝術與文化)

4.to analyze Eastern philosophy and aesthetics in modern and contemporary art. (分析現代與當代藝術中之東方哲學與美學) 5.to explore the modern and contemporary art of Taiwan. (探討現代與當代台灣藝術)

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Date	Theme or topic	Content	Teaching method
	Introduction to this course modern art (I)— Impressionism (1) (課程導論;現代藝術1,印象派 1)	Introduction; Theories and styles of Manet, Monet(1)(課程導論; Manet, Monet之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion.
	modern art (I) - Impressionism(2))(現代藝術1,印 象派2)	Theories and styles of Renoir,Degas,Toulouse-Lautrec) (Renoir,Degas,Toulouse-Lautrec之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art(II) - Neo-impressionism))(現代藝術2, 新印象派)	Theories and styles of Seurat(Seurat之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
10/11	modern art (III)- Postimpressionism (1)(現代藝術 3,後印象派1)	Theories and styles of Cezanne(Seurat之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art (IV)- Postimpressionism(2) ( 現代藝術4, 後印象派2 )	Theories and styles of Gauguin and Van Gogh(Seurat 之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art(V)— Symbolism(現 代藝術5,象徵主義)	Theories and styles of Symbolism(象徵主義之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art (VI)— Fauvism(現代 藝術6,野獸派)	Theories and styles of Fauvism(野獸派之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art (VII) - Expressionism(現代藝術7,表現主 義)	Theories and styles of Expressionism(表現主義之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern art (VIII) - Cubism(現 代藝術8,立體派)	Theories and styles of Cubism(立體派之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
Week 10 11/22	modern art (IX) – Futurism(現 代藝術9,未來派)	Theories and styles of Futurism(未來派之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
		Theories and styles of Neo-plasticism and constructivism(新造形與構成主義之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
12/06	modern art (XI) - Dada,Surrealism, and Scuola Metafisica(現代藝術11,達達、超 現實、形上繪畫)	Theories and styles of Dada,Surrealism, and Scuola Metafisica(達達、超現實、形上繪畫之理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
Week 13 12/13	contemporary art (I) – The Americans(當代藝術-美國藝術 家)	Theories and styles of the contemporary American art(當代美國藝術理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	contemporary art (II) -The Europeans(當代藝術-歐洲藝術 家)	Theories and styles of the contemporary European art(當代歐洲藝術理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
	modern and postmodern art and culture(現代與後現代之藝術與文化)	comparison between modern and postmodern art, culture as well as issues (比較現代與後現代間藝術、文化與議題)	
	Eastern philosophy and aesthetics	Purity,spirituality,Eastern philosophy and aesthetics in modern and contemporary art (現代與當代藝術中之純粹性、精神性、東方哲學與美學)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.

- ·	Theories and styles of the modern and contemporary art of Taiwan)(台灣之現代與當代藝術理論與風格)	Lecture, Discussion, Presentation.
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#### G.Course requirements

- 1. Participation in discussion. (討論之參與情形)
- 2. oral presentation. (口頭報告)
- 3. term paper. (期末報告)
- 4. assignment. (作業)

#### H.Grading policy

- 1.Participation in discussion 25%: Participation in discussion (討論之參與情形)
- 2.Essay 40%:term paper, academically written(以嚴謹學術方式敘寫期末報告)
- 3.Oral presentation 25%: individual's oral presentation with one of the topics in the course (以課堂之課題進行個人口頭報告) 4.Other 10%: assignments (完成課堂給予之作業)

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- 1. Illegal duplications of teaching materials with intellectual property in any form are prohibited.
- 2. Recognize the importance and significance of gender equity in education. Consult university regulations for its policy. Promote gender equity by illustrating the concept in classes and provide proper consultation to students.