

We acknowledge that Western University is located on the traditional lands of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, L naapéewak and Attawandaron peoples, on lands connected with the London Township and Sombra Treaties of 1796 and the Dish with One Spoon Covenant Wampum. This land continues to be home to diverse Indigenous peoples (First Nations, Métis and Inuit) whom we recognize as contemporary stewards of the land and vital contributors of our society.

Term: Winter 2022

Time: Monday 8:30-11:30 am

Location: VAC 249

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Students will participate in presentations, group critiques, issue-related seminars, and discussions. They will be expected to carry out self-generated work and research. Students will work in the direction and medium of their choice and will be expected to work in a self-directed manner in the production of such work. The student will prepare written and verbal statements and presentations concerning their subject.

There are readings assigned for most weeks in this course. Course readings are available on OWL. Students are responsible for providing all materials for their studio project.

Students must attend all class sessions and come fully prepared to discuss readings and participate in all related class activities. Course readings are available on OWL.

All work for the course must be entirely of the student's own and all sources used in presentations or papers must be properly cited. All course work must be completed specifically for the class alone and completed punctually by the end of the course.

Attendance and Participation	10%
Written Reading Responses	20%
Presentations	25%
Course Project	45%

"Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site:

http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_grad.pdf

Enrollment in this course is restricted to graduate students in the Department of Visual Arts, as well as any student that has obtained special permission to enroll in this course from the course instructor as well as the Graduate Chair (or equivalent) from the student's home program.

Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to Mental Health@Western <http://www.uwo.ca/uwocom/mentalhealth/> for a complete list of options about how to obtain help.

