

AVT and Education Course Offerings for the Art Education: Fall 2009

Foundations of Art Education

AVT 396: 001 72611 (F 8:30 a.m.-12:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Mary Del Popolo

Introduction to Art Teaching and Learning (3:3:0) *Prerequisite: Junior standing, completion of ENGL 302 and completion of at least 20 credits of AVT coursework (including AVT 307), or permission of the art education advisor.* Explores art-teaching profession through readings, discussion, hands-on activities, and visits to diverse area public schools. Students discover a variety of ways that art is taught and evaluated to meet the multiple educational needs of today's PK-12 students.

AVT 493: 001 72639 (T 4:30 pm.-7:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Renee Sandell

Teaching Visual Thinking Through Media, PK-12 (3:3:0) *Prerequisite: AVT 396, or permission of the art education advisor.* Students investigate range and appropriateness of media and materials that encourage creative expression in the art classroom for PK-12 students and expand the artist-teacher's visual repertoire. Incorporates art history, criticism and aesthetics, as well as language arts and other content areas that challenge students' artistic growth and human development.

EDUC 539:001 74555 (W 7:20-10:00 p.m.) ENT 279 Stephen Prifti

Human Development and Learning PK-12 (3:3:0) Provides practicing teachers with foundations of psychological theory, research, and professional practice relating to development and learning in inclusive PK-12 classroom settings. School-based field experience required.

Graduate Art Education

EDRD 501:001 74376 (T 4:30-7:10 p.m.) ENT 176 TBA

Literacy and Curriculum Integration, PK-12 (3:3:0) *Prerequisite: Admission to the MAT program.*

Introduction to K-12 content area reading, writing, and language arts. Emphasizes integration of reading and other language arts across the curriculum; instructional planning; needs of diverse learners. Field experience in public schools is required.

AVT 605:001 72649 (M 4:30-7:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Roger Tomhave

Issues and Research in Art Education (3:3:0) *Prerequisite: Admission to the MAT program.*

Readings and projects explore historical and contemporary ideas, issues, philosophies, pedagogy, and research in Art Education. Investigates teachers' use of research-oriented questions/data to explore issues in the classroom and to improve teaching and learning.

AVT 667:002 76627 (W 4:30 pm.-10:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Mary Del Popolo

2 Dimensional Artmaking: Form + Theme + Context (4:2:4) *Prerequisite: Admission to the Graduate Art Education*

Program and permission of the instructor. Through studio work and research on basic and innovative drawing and other 2D media, students explore expressive visual qualities, composition and color skills in terms of meaningful themes and contexts for developing visual literacy in PK-12.

AVT 691:001 72666 (R 4:30-7:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Staff

Elementary Art Education (3:3:1) *Prerequisite: Admission to the MAT Program and permission of the Art Education*

Director. Concepts and methods in early childhood and elementary art education. Students spend three hours per week in class and one hour per week of required field experience in the public schools and other educational settings.

AVT 695:001 76672 (M-F as arranged) Susan Castellana

Internship in Art Education (Student Teaching K-12) (6:0:0) *Prerequisite: completion of all other MAT program requirements. Corequisite: AVT 696*

AVT 696:002 76628 (W 4:30 -7:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2001 Susan Castellana

Internship in Art Education Seminar for Student Teachers (1:2:0) *Corequisite: AVT 695*

If you are interested in applying for the MAT in Art Education or taking any of these courses, go to the Graduate Art Education Programs website at arteducation.gmu.edu, submit a MAT Inquiry Form, and contact Mary Del Popolo <mdelpopo@gmu.edu> for advising.

For Students in Art Education Concentration for ASTL only:

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Cohort #1 AVT 667:001	(W 4:30-10:10 p.m.) School of Art Bldg 2002 Mary Del Popolo