

Introduction to the Principals and History of Art II

(ARH2051)

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This course serves as a general survey to Western Art History and covers art from the Renaissance to the present day. There will be a broad range of themes, periods, and cultural contexts discussed as we explore six hundred years of art.

Assignments

Section: 20%

Mid Term: 30%

Final: 50%

UF grading policy for assigning grade points can be read at: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx>

Readings

There is no required text book for this course. All readings will be made available electronically in .pdf form.

Critical Dates

Mid Term October 3, 2017

Final Exam December 11, 2017 at 12:30PM

Classroom Policy

We will be exploring a range of topics and ideas in this course. Come to the material with an open mind and be prepared for class each day. Some of the readings are easy, some are challenging — if you need to re-read a certain piece. The better prepared you are for class and the more you invest the more you will take away. Be kind and courteous to one another.

Cell phones should remain off and away during class. You will be asked to leave if this is not adhered to and counted absent.

Attendance

As an adult it is understood that life happens. As such you will be permitted **TWO** unexcused absences — upon the third unexcused absence your grade will be lowered one full letter grade per absence. Arriving late or leaving early will be regarded as an absence.

Other Vital Course Information and Policies

First: Any change to the syllabus, assignments, or class itself will be delivered to you in writing via email.

Second: Failure to complete course assignments by their due dates will result in automatic failure of the course without exception.

Third: The university provides students with counseling services. This is truly an invaluable resource and they may be found at

University Counseling Services/ Counseling Center
301 Peabody Hall
P.O. Box 114100, University of Florida Gainesville, FL 32611-4100
Phone: 352-392-1575
Web: <http://www.counsel.ufl.edu>

Four: As a student it is asked of you to evaluate each course you take. These evaluation become available in the final weeks of the semester and may be found at: <https://evaluations.ufl.edu/>

Five: If you are in need of accommodation from a disability you will need to register with the Disability Resource Center (352-392-8565, www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/) and provide them with corresponding documentation. Once registered the Disability Resource will provide you with a letter to give to your instructors.

Six: This course, your behavior, and performance are all bound by the UF Honor Code (<https://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/>). Plagiarism is a very serious violation. Any student violating university policy on plagiarism will, **AT A MINIMUM**, lose one full letter grade to his or her final grade and be reported to the Dean of Students. If you are in doubt, or are unsure, please feel free to ask me.