



**COMMON COURSE OUTLINE: Course discipline/number/title: ART 2281: Art Portfolio**

**A. CATALOG DESCRIPTION**

1. Credits: 2
2. Hours/Week: 1 lecture, 1 lab
3. Prerequisites (Course discipline/number): By permission of instructor
4. Co-requisites (Course discipline/number): None
5. MnTC Goals (if any): NA

This course provides the fundamentals required to create a portfolio, a resume and an artist statement. The portfolio will bring together a body of work and will include the creation of new work for the purposes of transferring to a four-year art program, for job placement, or for exhibition. There will be an accompanying presentation of the work that will be representative of the student's accomplishments at RCTC.

**B. DATE LAST REVISED (Month, year): February, 2011**

**C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS:**

1. Written Artist Statement
2. Developing a Resume
3. Prepare a portfolio for transferring to a four year art program, for job placement, or exhibition
  - a) Create New Works
  - b) Select and Edit from Previously Completed Works
4. Portfolio Presentation
5. Oral Presentation

**D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (GENERAL): The student will be able to:**

1. Create and Develop a portfolio
2. Demonstrate core competencies
  - a) Technical Proficiencies
  - b) Conceptual Proficiencies
3. Demonstrate of Aesthetic Growth
4. Create a Resume
5. Define a Artist Statement

**E. LEARNING OUTCOMES (MNTC): NA**

**F. METHODS FOR EVALUATION OF STUDENT LEARNING:**

1. Course portfolio based grades
2. Writing assignments

**G. SPECIAL INFORMATION (if any):**

The initial lab session explains and familiarizes the student with general safety hazards and safety equipment in the lab. During the pre-lab discussion, the hazardous characteristics of the chemicals used during the lab are discussed. The students will be instructed on the proper disposal of any hazardous products. The instructor will direct all students to wear necessary protective equipment while working with the chemicals. A copy of Material Safety Data Sheets for chemicals used is available in the lab.