

AVT280-001 – INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL ARTS CRN 14569  
SPRING, 2012 MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS 1030 - 1320  
ART AND DESIGN BUILDING, RM. 1023  
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CLASS SCHEDULE \*SUBJECT TO CHANGE WEEKLY!

**(WEEK 1) JAN. 23, 25**

**Instruction:**

**Monday** Class introduction. New Media overview, description of approach and goals. syllabus, policies and procedures.

**Wednesday** Introduction to first project, In class demonstrations and lecture. Assign readings. Hand out and discuss project assignment. Introduce Images/Ideas folder.

**(WEEK 2) JAN. 30, FEB. 1**

**Monday** Introduction to Project 1, In class Demonstrations

**Wednesday** Studio Time working on project, In Class Demonstrations

**(WEEK 3) FEB. 6, 8**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations

**Wednesday** Studio Time working on project, In Class Demonstrations

**(WEEK 4) FEB. 13, 15 (PROJECT 1 DUE THIS WEEK)**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday Critique!** Project 1 due: Critique, Introduction to Project 2

**(WEEK 5) FEB. 20, 22**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** Studio Time working on project, In Class Demonstrations

**(WEEK 6) FEB. 27, 29**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 7) MAR. 5, 7 (PROJECT 2 DUE THIS WEEK)**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday Critique!** Project 2 due: Critique, Introduction to Project 3

**(WEEK 8) MAR. 12, 14 (NO CLASS SPRING BREAK)**

**(WEEK 9) MAR. 19, 21**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 10) MAR. 26, 28**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 11) APR. 2, 4**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 12) APR. 9, 11**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 13) APR. 16, 18**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 14) APR. 23, 25**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 15) APR. 30, MAY 2**

**Monday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**Wednesday** In class Demonstrations, Studio Work Time

**(WEEK 16) MAY 7, 9 (FINAL PROJECT DUE THIS WEEK)**

**(IN CLASSROOM OPEN LAB AVAILABLE THIS WEEK)**

**Monday** Project 3 due: Final Critique. Turn in all class work on CD or DVD. Help with final projects re-submission of assignments allowed only if previous work was critiqued, on time, and with permission of Instructor.

**Wednesday** Last day to turn in all re-do's of projects assigned. Re-submission of assignments allowed only if previous work was critiqued, on time, and with permission of Instructor. All and any re-do's and submission of late projects must be handed in no later than Monday, May 14.

<b>First day of classes;</b> last day to submit Domicile Reclassification Application; Payment Due Date; full semester waitlists removed	Mon Jan 23
Summer 2012 Graduation Intent Available via Patriot Web	Mon Jan 30
Last day to drop with no tuition penalty	Tues Jan 31
<b>Last day to add classes</b> —all individualized section forms due	Tues Jan 31
Last day to drop with a 33% tuition penalty	Tues Feb 14
Last day to drop with a 67% tuition penalty	Fri Feb 24
<b>Last day to drop</b>	Fri Feb 24
Last day to file your Spring 2012 Graduation Intent	Fri Feb 24
Immunization Record Deadline	Tue Mar 1
Midterm progress reporting period (100-200 level classes)—grades available	Mon Feb 20

via <a href="#">Patriot Web</a>	Fri Mar 23
Selective Withdrawal Period (undergraduate students only)	Mon Feb 27 Fri Mar 30
Spring Break	Mon Mar 12 Sun Mar 18
<b>Incomplete work from Fall 2011 due to instructor**</b>	Fri Mar 30
<b>Incomplete grade changes from fall 2011 due to registrar**</b>	Fri Apr 6
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline**	Fri May 4
Last day of classes	Sat May 5
<b>Reading Days</b>	Mon May 7 Tue May 8
<b>Exam Period</b> (beginning at 7:30 a.m.)	Wed May 9 Wed May 16
<b>Commencement and Degree Conferral Date</b>	May 19, 2011