THREE RIVERS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

DESIGN PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT K297

Spring Semester 2006, Tuesday 9 - 11:45am

Instructor:

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Grade:

Vignettes 50%

Portfolio 50%

Course Objectives:

This course introduces design students to methods and practices of presentation and portfolio development. Concepts covered include target audience, graphic composition, text composition, models, multi-media techniques, and oral presentations. Students will explore and implement strategies for organizing portfolio packages for use in transferring to universities or for job placement. Final portfolios, consisting mainly of work performed at Three Rivers, will be presented as part of the final grade.

Computer utilization will include presentation applications such as MS PowerPoint, scanning, art-

work, photo-imaging, and other related applications.

Method:

Lectures, Slide Lectures, Simulations, Class Discussion

Text:

TBA, (and Instructor Supplements)

Week 1 (1/24)	Design Representation Program/Target Audience	Week 9 (3/21)	Spring Break No Classes in Session
Week 2 (1/31)	Story Boards Concept Intent/Rollout	Week 10 (3/28)	Rendering Depth, Landscape, Details
Week 3 (2/07)	Passive Presentation Mediums Print Output Mediums	Week 11 (4/04)	Model Techniques Massing/Form/Layered
Week 4 (2/14)	Active Presentation Mediums Video Clips/Animation	Week 12 (4/11)	Photographics Position, Field, Integration
Week 5 (2/21)	Unit Composition Page Layout/Balance/Form	Week 13 (4/18)	Oral Presentations Outline, Disposition
Week 6 (3/28)	Text Integration Scriptors/Fonts	Week 14 (4/25)	Final Portfolio Prep Layout/Prepare Artwork
Week 7 (3/07)	Integrating Graphic Design Enhancements, Limits, Effects	Week 15 (5/01)	Final Portfolio Prep Development/Outputs
Week 8 (3/14)	Audience Control Perception, Scale, Venue	Week 16 (5/08)	Portfolio Reviews

Additional Course Requirements:

Supplies

Students will be required to provide drafting, rendering and model-making supplies, along with being able to meet reprographic requirements.