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Adults Summer 2025 Classes

Registration opens Tuesday, April 8 at 9:00 am

We are committed to providing high-quality and relevant art education and enrichment programs for adults and children without discrimination. We embrace the core values of inclusivity, diversity, collaboration, and respect in providing programming excellence and innovation.

Ceramics

Our long established ceramics department offers classes for the beginner to advanced student. Registered students have the opportunity to develop, grow, and enjoy optional open studio time. Advanced students may also take part in BAYarts Annual Advanced Student Ceramic Exhibit in the spring. Participants will learn how to market, sell, display and install an exhibit. Classes include clay, glazes and firing. Additional fees apply for extra clay.

BEGINNING CERAMICS

MEGAN DALOZ

\$360

For students with little to no experience in the ceramic studio. Perhaps you have never taken a ceramics class, or you have but you want a refresher course. In this class we will learn the basics of wheel thrown and hand built ceramics, from wedging to glazing. Let us help you start on your clay journey! The classroom is wheelchair accessible.

MON 6:30-8:30 pm June 30-Sept 1 10 weeks

BEGINNER TO ADVANCED CERAMICS

MEGAN DALOZ

\$360

A class for students at all skill levels. Whether you're looking to perfect an already growing skillset, try working with clay for the first time, or unsure where you stand, this is the class for you. Join us as we all find new ways to approach and improve techniques in both hand built and wheel thrown ceramics. The classroom is wheelchair accessible.

TUES 6:30-8:30 pm July 1-Sept 2 10 weeks

EXPLORING FORM

ANDREA SERAFINO

\$360

Students will explore various building techniques to explore form, altering form, stacking forms and combining techniques to create new and interesting shapes in clay. Some assignments will be given.

FRI 10 am-12 pm or 12:30-2:30 pm June 27-Sept 5 10 weeks (No class July 4)

INDEPENDENT STUDY

MOIRA BEALE

\$360

Beginning students will learn the basics in hand building and get a taste of throwing pieces such as mugs, bowls and platters plus glaze demos. Intermediate to advanced students will have the opportunity to refine their skills and work on independent projects plus instructors will give suggestions on form and style development. Individual projects will be given as needed based on level and skill. Focus this session will be on surface design, brushwork and glazing. All students will receive one on one attention and consultation. Classroom is wheelchair accessible.

WED 7-9 pm MULTI LEVEL July 2-Sept 3, 10 weeks

THU 7-9 pm INTERMEDIATE-ADVANCED

(One year ceramic experience) July 3- Sept 4, 10 weeks

JOURNEY IN CLAY - MULTI LEVELS

MOIRA BEALE

\$360

Pottery is an exciting and mysterious craft, whether you imagine yourself on the potter's wheel or creating hand built objects, we offer you everything you need to embark on a journey exploring the endless possibilities in ceramics. For beginners we will offer a range of assignments in the basics of hand building and a taste of throwing together with glaze demos. More experienced students will have the opportunity to improve skills and create both artistic and functional forms with instructor guidance. Classroom is wheelchair accessible.

SAT 1-3 pm June 28-Sept 6 10 weeks (No Class 7/5)

CERAMICS CREATE NIGHTS

If you are a little intimidated by working with clay, or committing to a long session, try one of our create nights. It's a great introduction to the medium in a smaller class size, yet learning all of the basic techniques in a fun and casual atmosphere!

PLAYFUL PLANTERS

LARRY HAMILTON

\$80

Join us for a fun 2-week workshop. The first week will focus on handbuilding techniques that will create fun and exciting planters for your indoor plants. The second week will focus on painting & glazing your planter.

FRI 6:30-8:30 pm JUNE 6-13

TREE VASES

LARRY HAMILTON

\$80

Join us for a fun 2-week workshop. The first week will focus on handbuilding techniques that will create unique tree shaped vases for your floral arrangements. The second week will focus on painting & glazing your vase.

FRI 6:30-8:30 pm JUNE 20-27

PLATES & PLATTERS

LARRY HAMILTON

\$80

Join us for a fun 2-week workshop. The first week will focus on handbuilding techniques that will create unique and functional plates & platters. The second week will focus on painting & glazing your platters.

FRI 6:30-8:30 pm JULY 7-11

Painting

Special 2-day immersive workshop: HOW TO CREATE BETTER PAINTINGS

Hugh O'Neill

\$450

Join celebrated Irish artist Hugh O'Neill from Ireland Art Tours and discover your creative potential. Whether you are an aspiring artist or an experienced creator, this workshop offers a unique opportunity to explore various mediums, techniques and styles. This immersive 2-day workshop will provide a supportive and inspiring environment where artists can explore Acrylic and Oil techniques, fostering creativity and self expression.

Supply list will be provided.

JUNE 14-15 9:30 am-3 pm

EXPRESSIVE PORTRAITS IN OIL OR ACRYLIC

SUSAN GRAY BE

\$270

Begin by sketching in charcoal and graphite, then advance to working in full color in a medium of your choice. Aesthetic expression evolves as we cover ideal facial proportions and more importantly, the unique qualities of each individual face. Live models are essential and will be present throughout the course. Open to all levels, yet some experience is helpful. A supply list will be provided prior to class. Please come to the first class with all materials and ready to discuss which color medium you will choose. Class is located on the second floor.

MON 11 am-1:30 pm April 28-June 9 (No class May 26) 6 weeks ***Search under Spring adults***

STILL LIFE IN ACRYLICS & OIL

SUSAN GRAY BE

\$270

Using acrylics and/or Oil, learn the fundamentals of painting, from organizing a palette and blending, color mixing, brushwork, and glazing techniques to the elements of design and composition. All levels are welcome, especially beginning painters! Supply list will be provided prior to class Class is located on the second floor.

FRI 11 am-1:30 pm April 25-June 6 (No Class May 23) 6 weeks ***Search under Spring adults***

BEGINNING OIL PAINTING

ERJON HAJNAJ

\$432

This course is designed for students who are beginners and interested in learning how to paint in oils. You will learn about different types of mediums, brushes, and different grades of paints. We will practice together in class by painting still lifes, landscapes, portraits of people and pets. You will learn different techniques from the Renaissance and Baroque eras. The main objective of this class is to become comfortable and familiar with painting in oil, and also have lots of fun while learning.

WED 5-8 pm June 11-Aug 13 10 weeks

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED OIL PAINTING

ERJON HAJNAJ

\$432

Learn how to paint like the Old Masters. This course is designed for students who are interested in learning different painting techniques from the Renaissance and Baroque eras. You will also learn chiaroscuro, as seen in works by Da Vinci, Caravaggio, and Rembrandt. The main objective of this class is to have fun and learn.

MON 5-8 pm June 9-Aug 11 10 weeks

PAINT BAYARTS! PRACTICE PLEIN AIR WORKSHOP

CAMILLE TULCEWICZ

\$65

Have you always wanted to be that artist that is out in the park painting, soaking in the calmness of the day while producing an original piece of art? Are you hesitant to enter a formal Plein Air Contest and would like to learn what it takes?

Come to the workshop geared with your favorite painting medium (watercolors, acrylics, oils or pastels) and supplies to paint a scene outdoors on the BAYarts campus.

First we will have a discussion, assess materials and then head outside for some sketches before returning for a friendly critique of composition choices. We will then travel out to paint. You will break and lunch on your own. The day will end with a group discussion and friendly critiques. Bring along a lunch. Intermediate level.

SAT 12-5 pm 6/14 or 8/23

SKETCH YOUR DAY

CAMILLE TULCEWICZ

\$50

Do you want to improve your drawing skills? Good sketches lead to good drawings! All you need are a couple of pencils, an eraser, and a sketchbook.

Here's how we'll do it: We'll gather as a friendly group and I will introduce you to a few sketching exercises in graphite pencil. Then we'll disperse and wander the BAYarts campus where you will sketch the next assignment. Next, we'll come back together to discuss and share your results. After that comes round #2! You'll get another assignment, and head off for more sketching, followed by more discussion and sharing. Finally, round #3 and wrap up with some quick sketches.

It will be a mindful, meaningful, and relaxing day, in which you will build your sketching and drawing skills. This class is for all levels.

Sat 2-4 pm 6/14 or 8/23

FUNDAMENTALS OF OIL PAINTING

ADRIAN EISENHOWER

\$240

In this course, students will learn and practice the underpinning concepts of constructing oil paintings, including blocking-in with dead color, relating values and exploring color theory. We will explore the properties of oil paints, how to mix colors, and how to create texture and depth in their work in service of compelling compositions. By the end of the

course, students will have developed a solid foundation in oil painting, with the skills to create their own expressive pieces.

FRI 10:30 am-12:30 pm July 11-AUG 15

Jewelry

FRENCH FLOWERS-A BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE METALSMITHING WORKSHOP

BRENDA GLASURE

\$125

"When you take a flower in your hand and really look at it, it's your world for the moment."
Georgia O'Keeffe

As the earth wakes up from her winter sleep, we will be making pretty little posey drop earrings for everyday wear. Your creations will be unique to you. I will give you choices of various flower/petal shapes in different metals to texture, layer, or create little faceted drops in your favorite stones. We will use a micro-torch to solder layered metal shapes. When your fantastic flower is complete, we will attach it to French earwires for a light, sparkly design to enhance your style. I will teach you everything you need to know to get from the rough shapes to an awesome little blossom. Come metalsmith with me and let's have some fun!

SAT 10 am-1 pm April 19 ***Search under Spring adults***

POSEY POSTS-A BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE METALSMITHING WORKSHOP

BRENDA GLASURE

\$115

"The earth laughs in flowers." -Ralph Waldo Emerson

As the earth wakes up from her winter sleep, we will be making pretty little posey post earrings for everyday wear. Your creations will be unique to you. I will give you choices of various flower/petal shapes in different metals to texture, layer, or create little faceted drops in your favorite stones. We will use a micro-torch to solder layered metal shapes and attach them to a stainless steel post. I will teach you everything you need to know to get from the rough shapes to an awesome little blossom. Come metalsmith with me and let's have some fun!

SAT 10 am-12:30 pm April 12 or May 31 ***Search under Spring adults***

Mixed Media

SOFT GOTHIC LETTERING

TINA BENAVIDES

\$200

Also known as gothicised italic, this is a softer, more modern form of blackletter. This style can be used to create beautiful art pieces and can be used alone or mixed well with other calligraphy styles and is a great introduction to broad nib calligraphy. Students will learn how to use a Pilot Parallel pen learning the basic calligraphy strokes, embellishments, and spacing as well as pen manipulation and use in ornamental design.

TUES 6:30-8:30 pm May 27-June 24 5 weeks

TEXTILE DESIGN

MARY URBAS

\$385

This class will give students hands-on experience in the different methods and techniques of applying images, colorants, and other surface embellishments to fabric. The finished fabric can be incorporated into quilts, wearables, home furnishings, wall hangings and other unique projects.

Experience the different methods of applying fabric dyes and textiles paints including: block printing, stamping, handpainting, mono printing, tie dye and silkscreen printing.

Silkscreen print, hand paint, and stamp fabric, t-shirts and more! Includes all materials.

MON 4-7 pm June 16-July 21

WORLD COLLAGE DAY WORKSHOP

MICHAEL ALBERT

\$10

New York American Pop Artist Michael Albert will bring his modern pop art experience to BAYarts! This 2 hour session will include a short artist introduction and presentation

followed by a hands on collage workshop using materials of choice, cereal boxes and other printed cardboard consumables. Participants will get a free signed print from selection of choice. Space is limited to 50 participants.

Join us afterwards for our Faculty Open House taking place on the entire campus from 12-3, meet some of our talented instructors, join in an art demonstration and more!

The Faculty Open House is free to attend.

MAY 10 10:30 am-12:30 pm

Writing

WRITER'S SALON

SUSAN MANGAN

\$175

Join a friendly group of writers on a creative journey at BAYarts. This summer we will be exploring the warmth of nature and the beauty of the written word during our Writer's Salon. Students will be dipping into memoir, poetry, and prose through lively conversation and creative writing activities that will inspire original work. Enjoy the ultimate staycation: the freedom of summer, the joy of words, friendship, and the chance to flourish during a creative summer idyll.

WED 7-8:45 pm June 11-July 30 8 weeks

Art for Fun: Mini Sessions

PAINT WITH CLAY

MELISSA METZGER

\$75

Using air dry clay, you will create a dimensional painting with sculptural elements. From a flowery field to a pet portrait, the subject matter is up to you. We will have air dry clay, clay tools and frames for the finished pieces.

WED 11 am-2 pm April 9 *Search under Spring adults*

INTRODUCTION TO WATERCOLOR & INK

JULIE ORNDORFF

\$60

Come unlock the mystery to this fun and portable medium! It's my go-to for Plein air, or on-the-go-arding. The ink is the icing on top, making all of your fun designs pop! Bring a photo, or there will be some for you to follow along with. All materials are provided.

THURS 5-7 pm May 22 ***Search under Spring adults***

ALCOHOL INK FOR BEGINNERS

YVONNE BOLDEN

\$85

Alcohol ink design is the art of blending alcohol ink and movement to create amazing, one of a kind art work. In this 2 hour workshop you will learn the basic concepts of this medium, learn techniques, and gain skills to create vivid colorful art. This 2 week workshop is for those that would love to express their creativity and spend time with like minded novice and seasoned artists. Please bring a paint shirt.

THURS 6:30-8:30 pm April 10 & 17 ***Search under Spring adults***

THURS 6:30-8:30 pm May 8 & 15 ***Search under Spring adults***

CUSTOM SHOES

JULIE ORNDORFF

\$50

Ever think to yourself: "I wish my plain blue Toms weren't so BORING?!" Bring them along and I'll show you a few methods to paint your shows that are fun and quick! Bring a pair of canvas shoes (does not have to be a Toms shoe, but must be canvas) or there will be some available for you to use.

WED 6:30-8:30 pm April 16 ***Search under Spring adults***

BOOKBINDING

JULIE ORNDORFF

\$100

The binding of a book, just as you want it. What kind of design would you choose for the front and inside covers of this lined secret keeper? Join us for an engaging workshop where you'll learn the basics of this ancient art and bring home a bound book to store your collection of ideas, dreams, thoughts, and doodles. All materials are provided.

THURS 11 am-3 pm, April 3 OR May 8 ***Search under Spring adults***

WED 1-5 pm April 16 ***Search under Spring adults***

SAT 11-3 pm May 17 ***Search under Spring adults***

BUILDING METAL MOBILES

TESS YOUNG

\$150

Join us for this one day workshop for adults of all experience levels where you'll construct a balanced mobile out of metal! This workshop is a playful and fun exploration into building an Alexander Calder-style hanging metal mobile. Using just metal and wire and cut out shapes, you can create a balanced and unique hanging mobile that will last for years. All tools and materials are provided, all you need to bring is your creativity.

SAT 12-3 pm April 19 ***Search under Spring adults***

INTRODUCTION TO COLORED PENCIL DRAWING

JOHN PLYMAK

\$40

Fine artist and graphic designer John Plymak is excited to offer this workshop that introduces students to colored pencil drawing. This class will contain lectures, demos, and exercises in layering and blending colored pencils, as well as an intro to color theory, and conclude with a simple colored pencil drawing from direct observation. Please bring a set of colored pencils, a drawing pad, and eraser.

SAT 12-2 pm April 26 ***Search under Spring adults***

KATHY'S QUILTING BEE

KATHY SELVAGGIO

\$216

"A blanket warms the body, but a quilt warms the soul".

Join us for this 6 week session where you will have the choice of sewing either a t-shirt quilt, baby quilt or poof top quilt! A t-shirt quilt is a blast from the past, plus a cozy comfort on a cold night and a wonderful way to preserve memories. Kathy will guide students in all of the steps to create a one-of-a kind piece of cozy fabric art of your choosing. If you have a

portable sewing machine please bring it to class. We will have a few available for use. A materials list will be provided.

TUE 11 am-1 pm April 29-June 3 6 WEEKS ***Search under Spring adults***

HAMMERING AND STAMPING METAL WORKSHOP

TESS YOUNG

\$150

This 3-hour workshop is the perfect taster class with metals and metal forming. In this class we will use several methods to form, stamp, and texture different metals into unique designs. Metal dog tags, textured bracelets, keychains, or tiny metal sculptures – there are unlimited projects to fabricate out of copper or brass. This is a very hands-on, noisy and therapeutic class for you to hammer it all out. Students will take home one or several small metal projects.

SAT 11 am-2 pm May 3 ***Search under Spring adults***