

# CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY CHANNEL ISLANDS

## COURSE MODIFICATION PROPOSAL

DATE: NOVEMBER 2, 2005; **REVISED 8.1.08 BY DAN WAKELEE**

PROGRAM AREA **ART**

### 1. Catalog Description of the Course. *[Follow accepted catalog format.]*

*(If Cross-listed please submit a form for each prefix being modified)*

#### OLD

Prefix ART Course# 205 Title Multimedia Units (3)  
hours per week

☒ Prerequisites ART 105, 106, 108

☐ Corequisites

Description An introduction to techniques and concepts involved in the production of interactive multimedia. Projects explore basic interactive technologies utilized in the creation of digital graphics, websites and computer game designs.

☐ Gen Ed Categories ☐ CR/NC ☐ Repeatable for up to units

☐ Lab Fee Required

☒ A - Z

#### NEW

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**6 hours ACTIVITY per week**

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### 2. Mode of instruction

#### Existing

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Lecture	_____	_____	_____	_____
Seminar	_____	_____	_____	_____
Laboratory	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>20</u>	_____
Activity	_____	_____	_____	_____

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### 3. Course Content in Outline Form if Being Changed. *[Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]*

#### OLD

#### NEW

### 4. Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course. (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) *[Use as much space as necessary]*

#### OLD

This course fulfills 3 units of the lower division studio art requirement for the Art Major.

This course provides students with the opportunity to explore artistic processes and emerging technologies involved in digital art and multimedia art forms. This course will also serve to complement numerous courses offered within the Art Program. (i.e. Animation, Graphic Design, Web Art and Time-Based Art). As a result of recent developments in digital art technology and its increased use of the computer in the creation of art, there is a clear demand for a course focusing on the conceptual development and technical methods employed in this artistic process. This course advances the mission of the CSUCI Art Program and the University to be on the forefront of technological innovation. It also serves to prepare CSUCI students to succeed as digital media artist working in the Web and entertainment industries.

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Through studio projects involving technical demonstrations, artistic exercises, discussions, field trips, student presentations and critiques, students will:

- Demonstrate artistic concepts involved in the production of multimedia art projects utilizing emerging digital technologies.
- Demonstrate a familiarity with the high-tech environment.
- Demonstrate proficiency with multimedia software programs.
- Articulate, verbally and in written form, their conscious intentions and coherent aesthetics in relationship to projects they produce.
- Develop a personal artistic/symbolic language expressed through the artistic process.
- Demonstrate methods and processes utilized in refinement of artistic ideas and technical issues.
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**5. References.** *[Provide 3-5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]*

**OLD**

- Besley, Kris, Sham Bhargal, and Amanda Farr, *Foundation Flash MX*, Friends of Ed, 2002
- Blair, Preston, *How to Animate Film Cartoons*, Walter Foster Pub., 1989
- Davis, Joshua, Eric Jordan and Yugo Nakamura, *New Masters of Flash*, Friends of Ed, 2000
- Makar, Jobe, *Macromedia Flash MX Game Design Demystified*, 2002
- Rebenschied, Shane, *Learning Flash MX*, lynda.com, 2002
- Ulrich, Katherine, *Visual QuickStart Guide Flash MX for Windows and Macintosh*, Peachpit Press, 2002

**NEW**

- Bhargal, Sham, *Foundation Macromedia Flash 8*
- Blair, Preston, *How to Animate Film Cartoons*, Walter Foster Publishers, 1989
- Johnston, Ollie & Frank Thomas, *The Illusion of Life: Disney Animation*
- Rebenschied, Shane, *Macromedia Flash MX 2004 Beyond the Basics Hands-On Training*
- Ulrich, Katherine, *Visual QuickStart Guide Flash 8 for Windows and Macintosh*, Peachpit Press, 2005

**6. Indicate Changes and Justification for Each.** *[Check all that apply and follow with justification. Be as brief as possible but, use as much space as necessary.]*

- ☐ Course title
- ☐ Prefix/suffix
- ☐ Course number
- ☐ Units
- ☐ Staffing formula and enrollment limits
- ☒ Prerequisites/corequisites
- ☐ Catalog description
- ☐ Course content
- ☒ References
- ☐ GE

☐ Other

**Justification** The prerequisites for the course have been changed to include COMP 105. This has been added to accommodate students who are Computer Gaming minors.

**7. If this modification results in a GE-related change indicate GE category affected and Attach a GE Criteria Form:**

**A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)**

A-1 Oral Communication ☐

A-2 English Writing ☐

A-3 Critical Thinking ☐

**B (Mathematics, Sciences & Technology)**

B-1 Physical Sciences ☐

B-2 Life Sciences – Biology ☐

B-3 Mathematics – Mathematics and Applications ☐

B-4 Computers and Information Technology ☐

**C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages & Cultures)**

C-1 Art ☐

C-2 Literature Courses ☐

C-3a Language ☐

C-3b Multicultural ☐

**D (Social Perspectives)** ☐

**E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)** ☐

**UD Interdisciplinary** ☐

**8. New Resources Required. YES ☐ NO ☐**

If YES, list the resources needed and obtain signatures from the appropriate programs/units on the consultation sheet below.

a. Computer (data processing), audio visual, broadcasting needs, other equipment)

b. Library needs

c. Facility/space needs

**9. Will this course modification alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program? YES ☐ NO ☒**

If, YES attach a program modification form for all programs affected.

Asst. Professor Liz King

Proposer of Course Modification

10/9/05

Date

## Approvals



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Program Chair

10/10/05

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Curriculum Committee Chair

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