

**JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**State University of New York**

---

**INSTITUTIONAL COURSE SYLLABUS**

**Course Title:** Portfolio Seminar

**Course Abbreviation and Number:** ART 2750

**Credit Hours:** 2

**Course Type:** Lecture/Lab

**Course Description:** Students will complete their visual art portfolio containing artist's resume and statement, 20 slides of personal work, and digital media of all portfolio components. Professional practice of the visual artist will be introduced. Research project, participation in juried show(s), and portfolio completion are required.

Prerequisite: ENG 1510 and at least one studio art course, ART 1730 is preferred.

---

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

1. Identify the elements of professional practice as a visual artist
  2. Compose artist statement
  3. Compose artist resume and update it as career advances
  4. Demonstrate techniques and knowledge of documenting artworks
  5. Present artworks in a professional manner
  6. Participate in local, national, and international level juried art exhibitions
- 

**Topics Covered:**

- Artist statement
  - Artist resume
  - Juried show research: application: professional quality presentation of artwork
  - Documentation of artwork: Slide and Digital format
  - Artist statement critique
  - Art gallery as business
  - Further education and grants research
  - Art portfolio preparation
- 

**Information for Students**

- Expectations of Students
    - [Civility Statement](#)
    - [Student Responsibility Statement](#)
    - [Academic Integrity Statement](#)
  - [Accessibility Services](#)  
Students who require accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability must make their accommodation requests to the Accessibility Services Coordinator.
  - [Get Help: JCC & Community Resources](#)
  - [Emergency Closing Procedures](#)
  - Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
-------	--------	-----	--------	-----	--------	-----	-----
  - Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
- 

**Effective Date:** Fall 2021