



The mission of Concord University is to provide quality, liberal arts-based education, to foster scholarly and creative activities, and to serve the regional community.

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**Part 1:**

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**Course Title:** Art 202:0 Design II

**Course CRN:** 20061

**Semester Taught:** Fall 2019

**Class meeting time:** Tuesday & Thursday 11am -12:15 pm

**Course Management System:** Blackboard will be used to distribute information and may be used for exams.

**Required Materials/Tools:**

X-Acto Blade #11 with replacement blades

Hot Glue Gun

24" Metal ruler

self-healing cutting mat (minimum size 8" x 11")

Other materials, which will be of the student's choosing for each project, will be needed.

**Safety**

If a student is found to be engaging in a classroom activity with disregard for safety procedures the student may be immediately dropped from the class. The student is responsible for his or her personal safety and wellbeing. If a student's actions cause harm to another individual the offending student will be held responsible.

You will be dropped from the course or fail if you are excessively messy or unsafe.

**Computer Hardware/Software Needed:** Reliable Internet access. Computer capable of opening the Blackboard course management system.

Concord University's recommended equipment:  
<http://www.concord.edu/technology/node/23>

**Prerequisites:** N/A

**Required Text:** There is no textbook for this course

**Part 2:**

**Course Description/Rationale:**

Design II is intended to continue to introduce students to design fundamentals and professional practices. The student will learn basic design principles and become familiarized with material construction of design forms.

**Class Format:** Class meetings will include lecture, demonstration, critique, and time to work on projects. The majority of work will be completed outside of class.

**STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT AT ALL CRITIQUES.**

**Concord University Educational Goal(s):** This course directly supports **Concord University General Studies Educational Goal #2.6**. An awareness of the aesthetic principles, methods, materials, and media employed in artistic performance and the creation of works of art and literature

**National Standards:** N/A

**Learning Outcomes:**

- Students will demonstrate knowledge of design fundamentals and principles and their application.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of general physical design materials, technique, traditional, and contemporary trends.
- Students will conceive and complete expressive objects using a variety of materials and techniques.

-Students will become familiarized with assembling physical design objects

-Students will become familiarized with the process of presenting their work to review

-Students will become familiarized with design philosophies and techniques.

-The successful course participant will demonstrate an awareness of the aesthetic principles, methods, materials, and media employed in the creation of works of art. Awareness of aesthetic principles, methods, materials, and media will be assessed through the creation of art works.

### **Course Requirements:**

A grade of a C or better is required for credit for art majors.

### **Grading Policy and Scale, Make-up Policy, Late Work:**

**Course Activities** Class meetings will include lecture, demonstration, critique, and time to complete assignments.

An average of:

- 4 design projects projects

- 4 critique presentations (These are independent grades from one another. Students must present their art project physically for review AND must be present for critiques. Students will give a critique presentation outlining and defending their design choices and philosophies.)

Students will be evaluated on their DAILY work habits and progress. I cannot judge your work if you are not present on workdays or if you are not working in class. Therefore, your final project grade will drop if I do not witness consistent progress on your projects. It is ill-advised to think you can miss class and bring a completed work on the final day thinking you will get a full, good grade. It just isn't so.

You may not think so, but I see you on your cell phones during critiques and on workdays. I would advise against this. I will take the frequency of these instances into account when evaluating your critique and presentations grades. Critique and presentation grades are evaluated using your presentation of your own work and how well you listen and critique the work of others. BE PRESENT. BE INVOLVED.

### **Grading Scale:**

90% - 100% = A

80% - 89% = B

70% - 79% = C

60% - 69% = D

59% - and below = F

**Deadlines:** You are responsible for meeting all deadlines.

If you have trouble with Blackboard, contact the HelpDesk at 304-384-5291 or email at [cuhelpdesk@concord.edu](mailto:cuhelpdesk@concord.edu).

**-Problems will arise.** Try to stay ahead of schedule. Don't hesitate to ask for help. After the deadline is not the time to ask for help.

### **Late Work:**

-Late assignments will not be accepted.

**-Problems will arise.** Try to stay ahead of schedule. Don't hesitate to ask for help. After the deadline is not the time to ask for help.

**Make-up Policy:** Alternative assignments/deadlines will be made at the discretion of the professor.

### **Course Timeline (Schedule of Assignments/Assessments/Presentations)**

#### **Part 3:**

#### **Accessibility/Accommodations:**

Concord University is committed to responding to the needs of students with disabilities as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Please inform your instructor at the beginning of the class semester if you have a disability and are requesting accommodations. It is your responsibility to self-disclose that you are requesting accommodations. The University and instructor will provide you with a reasonable accommodation. You should register with CU's Disability Services Office, located in the Athens campus Jerry and Jean Beasley Student Center, Bottom Floor, across from the Campus Post Office. The Disability Services Office phone is 304-384-6086 or you can email the Director, Nancy Ellison, at nellison@concord.edu for assistance.

#### **Academic Dishonesty**

Academic dishonesty is morally unacceptable as well as destructive to the learning and teaching atmosphere. Academic

dishonesty includes the giving or receiving of improper help on examinations or assignments, falsifying documents, and plagiarism (the act of stealing and using, as one's own, the ideas or the expression of the ideas of another). Such dishonesty can lead to a variety of penalties — including but not limited to failure of assignment, failure of course, loss of institutional privileges, or dismissal from the University. (See University Catalog Academic Policies and Procedures.)

### **Concord University Honor Code**

A Concord University Honor Code was approved by students, staff, faculty, administration, and the CU Board of Governors. The Code states: *"As a member of the Concord University Community I will act with honesty and integrity in accordance with our fundamental principles and I will respect myself and others while challenging them to do the same."*

The Honor Code is intended to unite the Concord community behind a culture of honesty, integrity, and civility.

### **Class/Online Attendance Policy**

Regular class attendance is part of a student's academic obligation at Concord. Irregular attendance may affect academic performance adversely and is detrimental to the atmosphere of a class. (See University Catalog Academic Policies and Procedures.)

**Be present for every class meeting. Be on time for every class meeting. Your instructor cannot instruct you or, quantify your progress if you are not in class.**

**-You may be absent for three class meetings.**

**-If you are absent four class meetings you will be dropped from**

the course or receive a failing grade.

-You are responsible for obtaining information presented during your absence.

-Do not be absent on quiz, exam, or due dates.

## **Emergency Alert System**

In an effort to increase safety and security on our campus, Concord University encourages everyone to register for instant text message alerts. Alerts will only be used for security and safety notices. All students, faculty, and staff are eligible to receive text message alerts on their cell phones or email alerts. Please contact the IT Help Desk for further assistance (304- 384-5291).

## **Emergency Information**

Emergency/courtesy telephones are located at the main entrance of each residence hall and at various other locations on campus. Emergency telephones can be identified by the flashing blue light and will provide the user with a direct link to Public Safety at the press of a button. To report an on-campus emergency, call 304-384-5357 or 911. The Office of Public Safety is located on the bottom floor of the Rahall Technology Center. For further emergency information go to:

<http://www.concord.edu/administration/office-public-safety>.

## **Inclement Weather Policy**

As a general policy, the University will remain in normal operations during adverse weather conditions. In the event of severe weather conditions, the following may occur:

University Closure No students or employees are to report.



Classes Cancelled Students do NOT report BUT employees are expected to report to work at their normal time.

Operating on an Inclement Weather Delay Under this schedule, all 8 a.m. classes will start at 10 a.m. Students and faculty will follow the Inclement Weather Schedule. (See <http://www.concord.edu/emergency-alerts> for Athens/Beckley Inclement Weather Schedules.) *\*Announcements invoking the late schedule or other options referenced above are aired on area radio and television stations and are sent as text and email messages to those enrolled for this service.*

## **Student Conduct**

In classrooms, online, laboratories, and during any activities that are part of course requirements, students are expected to observe reasonable rules of conduct.

## **Technology Services**

Contact the CU Help Desk at extension 5291 from campus or 304-384-5291 off campus. You may also e-mail [cuhelpdesk@concord.edu](mailto:cuhelpdesk@concord.edu).

## **Syllabus Disclaimer**

**"This syllabus is subject to change based on the needs of the class. Please check it regularly."**