JAN. 6 - MAR. 15, 2020 WINTER SESSION ART CLASSES





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The Evanston Art Center is dedicated to fostering the appreciation and expression of the arts among diverse audiences. The Art Center offers extensive and innovative instruction in broad areas of artistic endeavor through classes, exhibitions, interactive arts activities, and community outreach initiatives.

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IMPORTANT DATES

Winter Term	Monday, January 6 - Sunday, March 15
Winter Break Camp:	Thursday, January 2 and Friday, January 3
Make-Up Week	Monday, March 16 - Sunday, March 22

Classes without minimum enrollment are cancelled 3 days before first class. All registered for class will be notified of cancellation and receive a full refund. EAC is closed on the following days: Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4, and Labor Day.

CLASS DISCOUNTS

Refer a friend (first-time student) and receive a 20% discount off the price of one class. EAC's Director of IT and Administration must be alerted when you are introducing a student to an EAC class <u>at the time of registration</u> to receive the discount. **Save \$20 if you register for a 8-10 week course by December 15, 2019.**

FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS AND PAYMENT PLANS

EAC is dedicated to making visual art accessible to everyone. Need-based scholarships are available and can be applied to classes and workshops. Visit our website or front desk for financial aid applications. Please complete the application and return with your class registration, preferably 2 weeks before the start of class. Payment plans are also available. For more information, please call 847-475-5300.

PARKING

The parking lot adjacent to the Art Center is available on a first-come, first-served basis with vehicles exhibiting a parking permit. Parking permits are available to students registered in a 4-week or longer session. Pick up permits at the EAC front desk at the beginning of each session. Street parking is also available.

WE WELCOME ALL

The Evanston Art Center welcomes and respects all of our community: students, artists, faculty, and staff. We acknowledge and honor the fundamental value and dignity of all individuals including, but not limited to, race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, religion, class, ability, language, nationality, immigration status and training.

EVANSTON ART CENTER

EAC's galleries are open to the public.

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DEAR FRIENDS OF THE ART CENTER,

90 years ago, a visionary group of artists, teachers, and patrons saw that the most valuable gift for an emerging talent is time, space, and a supportive community. The Evanston Art Center was the embodiment of that vision.

As we celebrate 90 years of bringing the arts to our community, your donation truly makes a difference. Your gift allows us to offer financial aid for Art School classes, compelling exhibitions, outreach programs, and new audience engagement initiatives.

Your donations support community outreach projects including:

- Partnership with Books and Breakfast, an organization that provides breakfast, homework tutoring, and enrichment activities to students before the school day starts.
- After-school programming at Walker and Dewey Elementary Schools. The program serves K-5 students through after-school art education classes, and expose students to a variety of art materials.
- EAC partners with local nonprofits including Y.O.U., Northshore YWCA, and Family Focus of Evanston to provide offsite photography classes for at-risk teens.

Join us in this quintessential year as we celebrate the past and envision the future. Make a gift in honor of EAC's 90th Anniversary to be a part of this significant milestone.

Sincerely

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Paula Danoff President & Chief Executive Officer

Debra Favre Board President

SUPPORT OUR ANNUAL FUND

The Evanston Art Center's classes, exhibitions and community outreach programs serve individuals of all ages from over 100 zip codes. We offer many art activities, special programs and exhibitions that are free and open to the public. Your generous donation to our Annual Fund will ensure that EAC continues the depth and accessibility of its arts programming and will allow for new community initiatives that will positively impact thousands of people. Visit <u>evanstonartcenter.org/support</u> for more information.

BECOME A MEMBER AND SAVE

As a member of the Evanston Art Center, you are one of our most valued supporters. Membership contributions help to defray expenses of running a high-quality Art School and enable us to fulfill our mission and continue our community outreach. Members receive a discount on all classes, workshops and programs.

BASIC MEMBERSHIP

\$45 EAC STUDENT

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\$35 SENIOR (65+)/YOUTH FINE ART

MEMBER BENEFITS

Special mailings announcing exhibition openings, workshops and events
Discounts on EAC classes and workshops
Discounts on special arts-related programming
A 10% savings at Genesis Art Supply
A 10% savings at Blick Art Materials
Invitations to members-only events, like Art After 5 private collection tours

2020 WINTER CALENDAR

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LEARN MORE! SEARCH THE COURSE NUMBER ONLINE.

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152	Pastel Drawing Studio (Drawing & Painting)	0519 0289	Form & Function (Ceramics) Drawing & Painting the Nude (Drawing	(Digital Media) 0170 Beginning Acrylic Painting (Drawing
110 158 01	Painting Studio (Drawing & Painting) 59 Figures and Nature Drawing/Painting	0208	& Painting) Paint Your Heart Out (Drawing &	Painting) 0107 Night Watch: Oil Painting (Drawing &
576	(Drawing & Painting) The Figure: Real or Imagined (Figure	0106	Painting) Painting with Acrylics (Drawing &	Painting) 0301 Painting Studio: Color Exploration
	Sculpture) 521 Beginning Jewelry (Jewelry)	3593	Painting) Jewelry and Objects (Jewelry)	(Drawing & Painting) 3589 Enameling (Jewelry)
509	Intaglio (Printmaking)	7716	Intro to Woodturning (Woodworking)	
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175	Open Figure Studio: Independent Study (Drawing & Painting) DROP-IN	7620 0231	Abstract Photography (Digital Media) Mixed Media: Flora and Landscape in	1226 Writing and Talking About Your Work (Art Seminars)
0160A	, E0160B Watercolors (Drawing & Painting)		Watercolor and Soft Pastels (Drawing & Painting)	1222 Opening the Door to Contemporary / (Art Seminars)
547	Forming and Construction for Jewelry & Objects (Jewelry)	0119	Drawing Into Painting (Drawing & Painting)	0417 Hot Wax Batik and Paper Beadmakin (Artistic Forms)
				7256, 7257 Digital Photography I (Digital Media 0277 Intro to Figure Drawing (Drawing &
				Painting) 0128 Exploring Drawing Media (Drawing &
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275	(Drawing & Painting) Pushing the Figure: Abstraction &	0115 0307	Going Abstract (Drawing & Painting) Painting, Color and Design (Drawing &	Painting) 0351 Color as an Object: Painting with Col
520	Beyond (Drawing & Painting) Bookbinding Series (Printmaking)	0393	Painting) Mixed Media Independent Study	(Drawing & Painting) 3597 Beginning/Intermediate Jewelry
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579 590	Independent Study (Figure Sculpture) Metalsmithing and Design (Jewelry)	7715	Intermediate Woodworking (Woodworking)	
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YOUTH FINE ART AT-A-GLANCE

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FRIDAY

AFTERNOON

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SUNDAY

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4014	Youth Introduction to Ceramics Ages 13-17
4213	Art Explorers Ages 5-9



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BOOK YOUR NEXT **ART PARTY AT THE EAC!**

Our experienced staff of teaching artists can customize an art lesson for any event!

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WORKSHOPS

Immerse yourself in a medium, learn a new technique, or craft a new project in these 1-day or multiple day sessions. Supplies are provided unless indicated online. A 30-minute lunch break is built into all-day workshops.

JANUARY

9701 1-DAY WORKSHOP TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHY Paul Berg

Saturday, January 11; 1:00-4pm Whether you are traveling to an exotic destination or somewhere closer to home, you'll want to return with the best quality images. Professional photographer Paul Berg who has traveled extensively will cover key topics including: capturing the essence of a place, the best equipment to pack and capturing images that reflect your unique vision. Bring up to 10 of your best travel images on a jump drive for review/critique session during the final segment of the workshop. Skill Level: Intermediate

EAC Member \$105 / Non-member \$125

9210 1-DAY WORKSHOP **DIGITAL PHOTO REFRESHER** Jess Leonard

Saturday, January 18; 1:15-4pm Have you taken a photo class at the EAC before and want a refresher, or do you want to take a higher level class to be challenged in new ways? This workshop is meant to refresh any information covered in the level one course, and prepare you for a higher level course. Please bring your DSLR camera.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

9329 1-DAY WORKSHOP

CREATE A RING DISH AGES 16+ Stephanie Brohman Friday, January 24; 1-4pm

Are you constantly trying to find a safe place to put your rings when doing household chores? Learning the basic of sawing, forming, sanding, filing, and texturing, we'll create a unique dish for your rings or a great gift. Brass and copper with be available for purchase from the instructor; all other materials will be provided.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115



Stephanie Brohman

NEW! 9613 1-DAY WORKSHOP **PEN TURNING** Andy Kuby

Saturday, January 25; 9:30am-3:30pm Explore the materials and equipment needed to begin turning pens and mandrel projects on your own! Prepare the wood for turning and learn basic turning skills. At the end of the workshop, walk away with completed projects: two pens and one keychain pill box.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$150 / Non-member \$170

9142 1-DAY WORKSHOP SKETCHBOOK JOURNAL YOUR NEW YEAR'S **RESOLUTIONS AGES 16+** Anne Leuck

Saturday, January 25; 1-4pm Not only can sketchbook journaling be a relaxing, fun and creative outlet, but also a powerful tool for self-care. Start the new year off right by exploring how you can nurture your mind, body and spirit, from gratitude and intention setting to monitoring mood, meds, diet, exercise, and starting new healthy habits like meditation. Learn to create a graphic journal documenting your wellness journey using words and images - a glorious array of colorful marker media and page decor. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$90 / Non-member \$110

9017 2-DAY WORKSHOP ACRYLIC POURS FOR JEWELRY **Kathy Cunningham** Wednesday, January 29 & February 5;

6:30-9:30pm Make cabochons for jewelry using

the fun and unpredictability of acrylic pours. Week one will be creating pours, and week two will be the completion of the cabochons.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$135 / Non-member \$155

FEBRUARY

9750 1-DAY WORKSHOP LASER CUTTING FOR WOODWORKING

Bill First and Jiaqi Zhang Saturday, February 1; 1-4pm

Explore basic techniques in Adobe IIlustrator to create templates and jigs and its benefits for woodworking and furniture making. Learning how to engrave patterns, logos, or names directly onto the material will also be discussed. A terrific addition for any woodworking student! An external hard drive or zip disk will be required.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$105 / Non-member \$125

9507 1-DAY WORKSHOP

MIXED MEDIA ENCAUSTIC **Robin Samiljan**

Sunday, February 2; 12:30-3:30pm Brings focus on the importance of exploring materials that fuse and combine with the encaustic medium. Discover and develop the creative process using a variety of materials; the encaustic medium will be the "glue" that brings a multitude of materials together during this transformative workshop. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

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Adult classes that accept youth/teens

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9610 1-DAY WORKSHOP HANDMADE WOODEN BOWLS **Geof Prairie**

Sunday, February 2; 10am-3:30pm

Wooden bowls are unique, practical, and fun to make. Work on lathes using woodturning tools to finish a bowl in a day. Instruction and first attempts are in the morning; in the afternoon, there will be time for guided practice and finishing.

Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$140 / Non-member \$160

9714 1-DAY WORKSHOP WHAT IS LASER CUTTING AND ENGRAVING? Jiaqi Zhang

Saturday, February 8; 1-4pm

Bring your inventive ideas to life using our laser cutting and engraving machine. Learn how to design graphics on Adobe Illustrator, engrave on wood with your custom designed patterns, pictures taken from your phone or letters. Make a bookmark, keychain, or coaster. Students will leave with a functional, as well as decorative, addition to your home or a perfect gift! Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$105 / Non-member \$125

9147 1-DAY WORKSHOP

FRANKENTHALER DID IT: POURING WITH OIL PAINT Dan Sullivan

Saturday, February 8; 10:30am-3:30pm No brushes needed! Learn the soak/ stain techniques of artist Helen Frankenthaler. Ideal for anyone looking to have fun and experiment with materials and process. We will make our paints and pour our first steps onto the canvas. By the end of the session, you will have the confidence to complete your paintings on your own. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

9055 2-DAY WORKSHOP

CLAY AND MOSAICS Bonnie Katz

Sunday, February 9 and 23; 12:30-3:30pm

On day one, explore basic clay handbuilding techniques, such as pinch, slab and coil, to create colorful simple clay shapes and tiles. Decorate your shapes with textures and underglazes/ glazes. On day two, incorporate your shapes with commercial ceramic tiles and glass to create a 8" x 8" design on a wooden substrate. The finished step of grouting will be demonstrated in class. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$140 / Non-member \$160

NEW! 9720 1-DAY WORKSHOP DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY MEETS LASER ENGRAVING Jess Leonard and Jiaqi Zhang

Saturday, February 15; 1-4pm

Trying to find a creative way to show off your photographs? Learn how to edit your photos using Adobe Photoshop, and create a print with our inkjet printers. Then, use Laser Cutting & Engraving machine to make a unique frame, or engrave your photos onto wood. Bring 1-2 digital photos for printing

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$105 / Non-member \$125

9011 1-DAY WORKSHOP **BORO AND SASHIKO**

STITCHING Akemi Cohn

Sunday, February 16; 9:30 am-3:30pm In Japan boro (rag or scraps of cloth that are sewn together) was a symbol of an impoverished past, but now the term also encompasses and represents an essential principle of rural ethics and aesthetics. Inspired by this Japanese technique, you will develop your own visual expressions through exercises such as stitching, cutting, mending, and patching fabric. Start to stitch with various shades of indigo dyed fabrics (previously dyed by your instructor) and then apply Sashiko (running) stitches to these small pieces of cloth. You may assemble them to form a small Japanese style patchwork if time allows. The kit (various shades of blue; hand-dyed indigo fabric set, Sashiko pattern, Sashiko thread) will be available for purchase from the instructor for \$12.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$130 / Non-member \$150



9008 1-DAY WORKSHOP WATERCOLOR IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE **AGES 16+**

Jill Stark Sunday, February 16; 1-3pm

Watercolor is fun and easier than you would think! Learn various techniques and color theory while exploring different ways to combine light, composition, color, and textures in watercolor painting. The instructor, using American Sign Language (ASL), through step-by-step demonstrations, will show you how to create your own watercolor landscape. All supplies provided.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$60 / Non-member \$80

(NEW!) 9317 1-DAY WORKSHOP STAMPED SPINNER RING AGES 16+

Stephanie Brohman Friday, February 21; 1-4pm Using metal stamps is the perfect way to create a personalized piece of jew-

elry with words, textures and creative designs. Learn how to create one-of-akind ring for everyday wear - perfect for gifts or yourself! We will cover the basics of metal stamping, texturing, filing, sanding, soldering and patinas. Expect to make at least one ring. Copper, brass and silver will be available for purchase from the instructor; all other materials will be provided. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$90 / Non-member \$110



POETRY & ART AGES 16+ Michelle Kogan

Saturday, February 22; 9:30am-12:30pm The link between poetry and art is ripe for exploration-In this workshop we will write and use ekphrastic poetry-poems written and inspired by works of art, as a departure point for your poems. Some of the poetic forms we'll review may include skinny, haiku, tanka, and cherita. We'll look at contemporary and historical art, and images of art you share, we will create both poems inspired by art and sketches inspired by poetry. Bring to class: writing journal/sketchbook, pencils, and erasers, watercolors, watercolor or regular inks, watercolor ink, brushes, pen holders and nibs.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$90 / Non-member \$110

9726 1-DAY WORKSHOP **MACRO PHOTOGRAPHY** Paul Berg

Saturday, February 22; 1-4pm The natural world offers an infinite number of opportunities for close-up photography, though capturing these images can be challenging. Learn how to take beautiful close-up images of plants and other life forms with more confidence and consistency. Bring up to ten nature photographs in JPEG format (not necessarily taken with a macro filter or lens) on a jump drive for review and critique.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

9207 1-DAY WORKSHOP **3D PRINTING & MODELING AGES 16+**

Miki Straus

Saturday, February 29; 1-4pm

Explore the possibilities of computer art by digitally designing your own sculpture. Learn the basics of 3D printers and Tinkercad, a free 3D modeling software accessible from home. Your 3D printed model will be ready a few days following the workshop.

Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

3-DAY WORKSHOP 9117

COLOR AS AN OBJECT: PAINTING WITH COLOR Dan Sullivan Saturday, February 29, March 7 & 14;

12:30-3:30pm

Want to grow your practice with color in either oil or acrylic? We'll begin with the basics of color theory, and progress through creating color swatches and learning about our materials, ultimately creating two paintings that demonstrate the main principles of color theory. Paintings will either be abstract or from references you bring. To expand on these foundational building blocks, we will begin to experiment with color as an object, mark making, and process paintings. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$170 / Non-member \$190

MARCH

9611 **1-DAY WORKSHOP** HANDMADE WOODEN BOWLS

Geof Prairie

Sunday, March 1; 10am-3:30pm

Wooden bowls are unique, practical, and fun to make. Work on lathes using woodturning tools to finish a bowl in a day. Instruction and first attempts are in the morning; in the afternoon, there will be time for guided practice and finishing.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$140 / Non-member \$160

9026 1-DAY WORKSHOP

PEN & INK & DR. MARTIN WATERCOLOR

Michelle Kogan Saturday, March 7; 9:30am-3:30pm

Create studies and one finished piece using dip pens, micron pens, brush pens, and Dr. Martin watercolors. The instructor will provide a still life, or you can bring in still life material. See posted list for materials. Bring a lunchwe'll break for half an hour. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$135 / Non-member \$155

9166 1-DAY WORKSHOP **JEWELRY MAKING WITH 3D** PRINTING AND LASER CUT-TING

Miki Straus and Jiaqi Zhang Saturday, March 7; 1-4pm

If you are looking to create something special, personal and outstanding; combining 3D printing and laser cutting is the perfect vehicle to create a custom piece of jewelry. We will experiment designing complicated yet delicate meshes, utilize acrylic or wood as materials and make some bold new statements you just can't achieve with other methods. You can use it for rings, bracelets, pendants and earrings. Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$105 / Non-member \$125



Bonnie Katz

(NEW! 9158 1-DAY WORKSHOP

FRANKENTHALER DID IT: POURING WITH OIL PAINT **Dan Sullivan**

Sunday, March 8; 10:30am-3:30pm No brushes needed! Learn the soak/ stain techniques of artist Helen Frankenthaler. Ideal for anyone looking to have fun and experiment with materials and process. We will make our paints and pour our first steps onto the canvas. By the end of the session, you will have the confidence to complete your paintings on your own.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$125 / Non-member \$145

9437 1-DAY WORKSHOP HAND PAINT WOOL YARN WITH ACID DYES Cathy Montoya

Sunday, March 8; 12:30-3:30pm

Acid dyes are lightfast, washfast, and simple to use. Learn to prepare the yarn, calculate dye amounts, make dye solutions, steam set the dye, and try different techniques on five 20g mini hanks of yarn. Class includes one 100g hank of undyed wool, latex gloves, and all dye materials. See supply list for what you should bring.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$100 / Non-member \$120

NEW 9167 1-DAY WORKSHOP HAND TIED FLORAL BOUQUETS

Eileen Weber

Saturday, March 14; 10-11am

Create a fresh floral European handtied bouquet using seasonal flowers! Explore formal design elements and principles, and take your gorgeous bouquet home. Floral shears or clippers required.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

9208 1-DAY WORKSHOP EXPLORING EXPOSURE Jess Leonard

Saturday, March 14; 1:15-4pm

Learn how to manually control your own DSLR camera's exposure when making digital photos, learning how to control the 3 main components of exposure: ISO, shutter speed, and aperture. The first half of the workshop will focus on the technical components of exposure, while the second half will consist of an in-class shooting assignment. Leave with a basic understanding of how exposure works, how to manually control your DSLR camera, and basic Photoshop editing.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$95 / Non-member \$115

THE CHICAGO MOSAIC SCHOOL COURSES AT THE **EVANSTON ART CENTER**

3610, 3611

3610 5-Week Beginning January 7 3611 5-Week Beginning February 11 **GLASS-ON-GLASS MOSAIC** Martha Crandall Tuesday 1-3:30pm

Learn about the unique effects that transparency, light, and color create with mosaic on glass. Complete a beautiful transparent artwork that will convey the same beauty and qualities of stained glass, but with mosaic techniques. Bring in rough sketches and ideas to the first class. Smaller substrates, approximately 10" x 14" are included. Students may bring their own reclaimed window, but note that larger projects will likely not be completed in 6 weeks.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295 The Chicago Mosaic School (CMS) and EAC are delighted to partner to offer courses at their respective locations. Learn more about CMS, the first and only premier, not-for-profit mosaic art school outside Europe. Visit their location at 1127 West Granville Avenue in Chicago or online at www.ChicagoMosaicSchool.org.

9906 1-DAY **FAMILY WORKSHOP** FAMILY MOSAIC WORKSHOP

Jessica Johnson Saturday, October 5; 12:30-3:30pm Parent and child, grandparent and grandchild, aunts, uncles, nieces or nephews - every kind of duo is invited to create a beautiful mosaic work together! With the adults' assistance and oversight, kids will make an original mosaic piece from our array of glass and special elements. Come bond together materials and yourselves! Cost of the class covers one adult and one child and includes materials and use of tools. For children 6-10 years old. All materials are included.

EAC Member \$60 / Non-member \$80

9361 1-DAY WORKSHOP **COLOR & CONTRAST IN** MOSAICS Lvdia Shepard

Saturday, November 2; 10am-3pm Learn the technique of incorporating plaster into your mosaic work. Plaster surfaces create a unique contrast from surrounding materials in texture and a wide variety of color. Its application can range from a portion of the subject (i.e., the face of a figure) to a background element. Create two 4×4" pieces using plaster with smalti and other studio elements to learn necessary steps and techniques of pouring, pigmenting, painting and the proper treatment of the plaster this process.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$180 / Non-member \$200

ART SEMINARS AND ARTISTIC **FORMS**

Art Seminars are ideal to learn more about art and artists through dialogue and slide lectures.

Artistic Forms are artistic pursuits that move beyond a "traditional" visual art class. Some supplies provided. Check online for a supply list or call EAC.

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3642 10-WEEK

MOSAICS Bonnie Katz Monday 1-4 pm

In this multi-level class, learn the process of creating a mosaic piece: cutting tile, layout and design, substrates, adhesives and grouting. You are welcome to bring your own collection of ceramic/glass and found objects to incorporate into your work. Some material provided. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

TUESDAY

1226 5-WEEK **BEGINNING JANUARY 7** WRITING AND TALKING ABOUT YOUR WORK

Steve Juras Tuesday 6:30-8:30pm

Crafting an artist statement, applying for exhibitions, and giving an "elevator pitch" about your work can feel daunting. We'll use a participatory workshop format to not only craft an artist statement but also better understand your artistic intentions. Artists are expected to bring in their own work for us to discuss in a supportive environment.

EAC Member \$150 / Non-member \$170

5-WEEK 1120, 1121 1120 5-Week Beginning January 7 1121 5-Week Beginning February 11 INTRODUCTION TO **INTERIOR DESIGN AGES 16+** Amy Koetz

Tuesday 6:30-8:30pm Explore the basics of space planning, materials and sources, and color theory. The goal will be to upgrade a room in your home by adding new, purging old,

and reusing and repurposing existing. Add value and transform your space within your scope, schedule and budget. Online tools, such as Pinterest, will be taught to create dynamic concept boards. Reference guides provided. Organizational binders and tracing paper are needed.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$170 / Non-member \$190

1222 4-WEEK

BEGINNING FEBRUARY 18 OPENING THE DOOR TO CONTEMPORARY ART Steve Juras

Tuesday 6:30-8:30pm

The contemporary art world can often seem inaccessible. In this introductory course, you'll step right in and learn about the themes, ideas and questions contemporary art addresses. We'll also discover how contemporary artists work by making a studio visit to Pilsen's Mana Contemporary and visiting Devening Projects, a contemporary art gallery in Garfield Park. EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

INTERVIEW WITH BOARD MEMBER ELENA GONZALES



Your newly released book, Exhibitions for Social Justice, discusses how museums have the power to enrich their communities. Was there a specific moment that made you realize the power museums have to change to our communities?

I would say there were two moments. One was when I was a high school student working on my Metro History Fair project. I was doing research in the library of the Field Museum, and I discovered that this was truly a passion project for those who started the museum and convinced Field to fund it. Look where it is today! Then, when I was working at the National Museum of Mexican Art in Chicago, I had the opportunity to work on large project involving three exhibitions, one of which I curated. I saw this project open the eyes of staff members and visitors alike to our Mexican and African shared history. My own idea of my own family was forever changed by that project, and I know many others had similar experiences.

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Have you always been a writer? How did you discover your passion for writing?

My father, Laurence Gonzales, has made his living as a freelance writer for over fifty years, and my mother, Carolyn Lorence, was a librarian and a fierce editor. So I grew up in a home that was utterly passionate about the written word and books in particular. I didn't give much thought to writing a book of my own until I began to try to discern what my path would look like after earning my doctorate, but I have always communicated best in writing. Whatever I do, writing is always a part of it. As a little girl, I kept a journal from before I could write. And I still keep one. Actually four: one for each of my two children, one for myself, and a one sentence a day one for the family.

You have worked with and curated exhibitions for varied museums including Chicago's National Museum of Mexican Art (NMMA) and Brown University's Haffenreffer Museum of Anthropology. Did working with these museums motivate or inspire you to write this book?

Working at the NMMA solidified my plan for my doctorate - to study and write about curatorial work for social justice. It convinced me that this work is possible and prevalent. Once I got my sea legs at Brown, I began thinking of the possibility of a book. All of the other curatorial work I've done, at the Haffenreffer and elsewhere, has been a laboratory for me to test out ideas that I have studied and wanted to discuss in the book. Every time I encounter excellent curatorial work for social justice, it inspires me to stay engaged with this topic and motivates me to keep sharing that work as widely as possible.

What was the most surprising part of researching and writing your book?

I was very surprised to find that museums working for social justice want to inspire visitors to take action, but they often don't plan for this or evaluate on it. Consequently, there is very little published research on inspiring visitors to take action through museum visits. I did a great deal of new research on this for the book and continued to be surprised to find that people do take action, that action can be extremely consequential and snowball into much greater action, and people even take action decades after a museum visit in ways that relate back to that visit.

What would you say to people who might dismiss a museum as a dusty collection of antiques?

There are 80,000 museums in the world. That's more than all of the Starbucks and McDonalds franchises combined (thank you, Gail Lorde). And some of them are dusty collections of antiques. But an increasing number of them are doing very important work. Some people call museums the third leg on the stool of education, with the idea that the other legs are families and schools. That's how important museums are to the way we understand our world. In addition, depending on what study you read, museums are either the most trusted source of information in America or one of the most, alongside family and friends. However, museums have been responsible for supporting and maintaining ideas that have been extremely troublesome, such as white supremacy. Now is the time for museums to use their power to change those ideas and work for justice.

JOIN ELENA AND OUR OTHER TRUSTEES TODAY! EAC IS LOOKING FOR BOARD MEMBERS! CONTACT PAULA DANOFF AT PDANOFF@EVANSTONARTCENTER.ORG OR 847-475-5300 FOR MORE INFORMA-TION

0417 10-WEEK HOT WAX BATIK AND PAPER BEAD MAKING Georgia Braun

Tuesday 6:30-9:30pm Ease the winter chill and discover the satisfaction of creating with wax, heat, cloth, paper and string. Enjoy the warmly inviting scent of beeswax while you create beautiful wall hangings, functional and wearable art, including wax dipped paper "porcelain" beads. Learn how to make waxed linen string, light shades, (plastic replaceable) sandwich wraps and more. Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$415 / Non-member \$435

WEDNESDAY

1229 4-WEEK 🖤 🛨

BEGINNING JANUARY 29 IMPRESSIONISM TO 1920: FOUR PAINTERS & THEIR INFLUENCE AGES 16+ Virginia Roeder Wednesday 1-3pm

Connect or rediscover with the influences of contemporary art, focusing on four major painters: Monet, van Gogh, Picasso and Matisse, and their influences. View their work, and we'll discuss ideas related to how their focus on light, color and space transformed art from realism to abstraction.

EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

1228 4-WEEK BEGINNING FEBRUARY 19

PAINTING, NOT PAINTING Steve Juras Wednesday 1-3pm

In this seminar we'll explore a constellation of modern and contemporary artists who have redefined the practice of painting by exploring what it is not. From Tibetan sand mandalas to Joan Miro's burnt canvases to Katharina Grosse's paintings/sculptures, we'll learn how artists use ideas of absence, silence and erasure to push the boundaries of painting as we know it.

EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

THURSDAY

0418, 0419 5-WEEK

0418 5-Week Beginning January 9 0419 5-Week Beginning February 13 MIXED MEDIA MOLD

MAKING

Stephanie Brohman Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

Learn the basics of silicone mold making. Create one- and two-part molds from a variety of silicones and rubbers, taken from either a created or found object. A variety of materials can be used alongside our molds, including



wax, plastic, clay, plaster, and concrete. Designed to help you with production and will allow you to make multiples quicker, whether you make jewelry, sculpture, ceramics, etc. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$200 / Non-member \$220

SUNDAY

1010 5-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 12 JOY OF CALLIGRAPHY AGES 16+ Karen Daughtry

Sunday 1-4pm Explore the tools of calligraphy with emphasis on the broad-nib dip

with emphasis on the broad-hib dip pen. Learn how to render beautiful letterforms in the Foundational, Italic, and Uncial hands, and follow your curiosity and pleasure in experimenting with new materials and ideas. Instruction on slant, spacing, and the importance of negative space, plus an overview of design elements and tools, the historical context of hand lettering and its influence on typography will be discussed. Materials to bring: Speedball introductory calligraphy kit and practice paper (ordinary copier paper is fine).

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$170 / Non-member \$190 Photo: Ashleigh Pastor

CERAMICS

Ceramics classes include free, monitored studio time, dependent upon class schedules. Limited studio time during the first week of classes. Class fees include glazes, firings, and one free bag of clay. You may purchase additional clay at the front desk. Only clay purchased from EAC may be used in EAC kilns.

6051 10-WEEK INDEPENDENT STUDY: CERAMICS

For those interested in studio access without instruction. Enrollees must have a studio orientation with the Ceramics Studio Coordinator, have completed one EAC Ceramics class, and adhere to EAC's studio policies on materials, clean-up, and entrance / exit procedures. Open Studio begins second week of classes and goes into Make-Up Week.

EAC Membership Required: \$335

0533 10-WEEK BEGINNING WHEEL THROWING Nicole Paulina

Monday 9:30am-12:30pm

Introduction to the potter's wheel, giving you a solid base on which to build your throwing skills. Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0519 10-WEEK

FORM & FUNCTION Les Orenstein Monday 6:30-9:30pm

For students with some experience in throwing and hand-building, add to your repertoire of form and techniques to explore how function relates to form working with high-fire reduction stoneware.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

WEDNESDAY

0508 10-WEEK

THROW, HANDBUILD AND ALTER Lisa Harris Wednesday 9:30am-12:30pm

For students with specific goals who want to build on their wheel or handbuilding construction skills. Join us! Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0555 10-WEEK

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED CERAMICS Catherine Tweedie Wednesday 1-4pm

For students with some experience in throwing and hand-building, add to your repertoire of form and technique. Throw "larger," adding appendages to pots, and altering thrown forms. Explore form and function, as well as shape and design of ceramic pieces. Skill: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0556 10-WEEK

Les Orenstein Wednesday 7-10pm

Taught at your individual skill level. Learn and become comfortable with the basic techniques in throwing, such as centering, opening, and pulling cylinders, and glazing. Create mugs, bowls and plates using high-fire reduction.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

THURSDAY

0557 10-WEEK LEARN TO THROW Les Orenstein

Thursday 9am-12pm Taught at your individual skill level. Learn and become comfortable with the basic techniques in throwing, such as centering, opening, and pulling cylinders, and glazing. Create mugs, bowls and plates using high-fire reduction.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0558 10-WEEK PINCH, SLAB, COIL: CERAMIC HANDBUILDING Bonnie Katz

Thursday 6:30-9:30pm Pinching, coil and slab techniques demonstrated to create a variety of

demonstrated to create a variety of projects ranging from functional vessels to sculptural forms, figures and tiles. You will paint and carve while exploring slips and glazes. Historical and contemporary artists will be introduced for inspiration. More advanced students will be encouraged to hone your skills while exploring new or continued projects.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

FRIDAY

0507 10-WEEK INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED WHEEL THROWN CERAMICS Nolan Baumgartner Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

For those experienced in wheel thrown ceramics, hone your technique. Learn to use clay more efficiently, and make increasingly complex forms. Weekly demonstrations will include throwing, building, and glazing techniques. Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

SUNDAY

0520 10-WEEK ADAPTIVE CERAMICS AGES 16+ Mollie Morris

Sunday 10am-12:30pm Working in clay and usir

Working in clay and using a pottery wheel is for everyone! In this adaptive class ideal for people with disabilities, the instructor will creatively adapt processes and equipment to be accessible to each individual student. Companions are welcome, but not required. Students are encouraged to reach out to Director of Education Christena Gunther, cgunther@ evanstonartcenter.org, in advance to discuss any needs and modifications, and may schedule a time to visit the Ceramics Studio in advance to be comfortable with the space and instructor. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$340 / Non-member \$360

DIGITAL MEDIA AND FABRICATION Our Maker Lab is the essential space to

Our Maker Lab is the essential space to explore design, photography, video, 3D printing, and laser engraving processes and techniques. If you can imagine an image or an object, likely it can be made here. Maker Lab Open Studio time is available for current Maker Lab students beginning the second week of the term.

MONDAY

7235, 7236 5-WEEK 7235 5-Week Beginning January 6 7236 5-Week Beginning February 10 BLACK & WHITE DARKROOM ESSENTIALS AGES 16+

Jess Leonard

Monday 6:30-9:30pm Learn how to work within the world of black and white analog photography! In this fast paced digital age, take a step back and slow down by working with analog equipment in our darkroom. This class will provide you with all the knowledge necessary to manually shoot with a 35mm film camera, process your own film, and make black and white prints with an enlarger. 35mm film and paper will be provided. Please bring your own 35mm film camera, the EAC has a limited supply available for check out.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$235 / Non-member \$255

WEDNESDAY

7265 5-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 8 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY LEVEL 1: GET OFF AUTO! 16+ Jordan Scott

Wednesday 9:30am-11:30am

Break away from relying on your camera's automatic settings and begin to manually control each variable that makes a photograph "work": the ISO, the shutter speed, and the aperture. Along with learning how to manually control your camera, discover how to organize and edit your photos using Adobe Photoshop, and go through the process of printing a selection of your images with our inkjet printers. Bring a DSLR camera, a hard-drive or large thumb drive for transporting digital files, notebook, file or folder for holding and carrying prints. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$160 / Non-member \$180

7258, 7259 5-WEEK 7258 5-Week Beginning January 8 7259 5-Week Beginning February 12 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY LEVEL 2: BUILDING ON THE BASICS AGES 16+ Jess Leonard

Wednesday 6:30-8:30pm

Take the next steps in developing your photographic practice! Experiment with tools like Adobe Bridge and Photoshop and begin to understand photography on a conceptual level. Create a more developed portfolio of images and prints and form a better understanding of your own style. Bring a DSLR camera, a hard-drive or large thumb drive for transporting digital files, notebook, file or folder for holding and carrying prints (optional). Recommended prerequisite: Level 1. **Skill Level: Intermediate**

EAC Member \$160 / Non-member \$180

THURSDAY

7267. 7268 5-WEEK

7267, 7268 S-WEEK 7267 5-week Beginning January 9 7268 5-week Beginning February 13 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY LEVEL 2: BUILDING ON THE BASICS AGES 16+ Jordan Scott

Thursday 9:30am-11:30am

Take the next steps in developing your photographic practice! Experiment with tools like Adobe Bridge and Photoshop and begin to understand photography on a conceptual level. Create a more developed portfolio of images and prints and form a better understanding of your own style. Bring a DSLR camera, a hard-drive or large thumb drive for transporting digital files, notebook, file or folder for holding and carrying prints (optional). Recommended prerequisite: Level 1. **Skill Level: Intermediate**

EAC Member \$160 / Non-member \$180

7230, 7231 5-WEEK 7230 5-Week Beginning January 9 7231 5-Week Beginning February 13 PHOTOSHOP ESSENTIALS Jess Leonard

Thursday 1-3pm

This is an introductory course is for those with minimal to no prior experience working with Mac laptops and/or Photoshop. We will cover the basics of computer usage before we dive in to Photoshop. Learn the basic functions of the essential tools in Photoshop. We will learn how to crop, rotate, adjust the image size, and how to make basic exposure, brightness, and contrast adjustments. Please bring in your own images to edit in class. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$160 / Non-member \$180

7350, 7351 4-WEEK 7350 4-Week Beginning January 16 7350 4-Week Beginning February 20 ART & TECHNOLOGY: CONSTRUCTION AND DESIGN WITH LASER CUTTING AND ENGRAVING AGES 16+ Jiaqi Zhang Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

Design and make your own customized lamp, home decors, furniture or other aesthetic objects. Explore the potential of the laser cutter through a series of hands-on technical practices and investigations on materials. This course covers the basic principles and practices of design methodology and construction. Specifically, the course provides extensive technical training in the use of laser cutting and engraving machine as fabrication tool. Bring home your one of a kind design. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$190 / Non-member \$210

DRAWING AND PAINTING

Check in at the front desk for your room assignment on your first day of class. Most art materials are not provided. Check for a supply list online, or call for more information.

MONDAY

0152 10-WEEK PASTEL DRAWING STUDIO Didier Nolet

Monday 9am-12pm

Soft pastel is a unique medium that combines the qualities of drawing and painting. Dry pigments look like velvet catching the light. Create pastels from nature, photographs or memories as you explore composition, color, light, shadow and perspective. An advanced studio class with significant independent work.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$350 / Non-member \$370



Jill Sutton

0110 10-WEEK

PAINTING STUDIO Janis Pozzi-Johnson Monday 9:15am-12:15pm

Participate in a lively, interactive working environment. Choose to develop paintings to a more finished, resolved statement, or to address those challenges that have impeded forward movement. Skill development, use of materials, stylistic choices, personal imagery, and aesthetic content will be addressed. Come prepared to work the first class!

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$350 / Non-member \$370

0158, 0159 5-WEEK

0158 5-Week Beginning January 6 0159 5-Week Beginning February 10 FIGURES AND NATURE DRAWING/PAINTING Michelle Kogan Monday 9:30am-12:30pm

Using drawing/painting media we'll begin drawing from a life model and add nature elements to develop compositions. Each class begins with warm up sketches. Instruction will focus on creating strong compositions, anatomy, materials, color, and combining figures in nature. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$205 / Non-member \$225

0151 10-WEEK

THE WORLD TRAVELER Didier Nolet

Monday 1-4pm Guided by a master landscape painter, create landscape paintings of any place around the country and world using your trips, magazines or memory as inspiration. Demos and group critiques will help you to gain confidence in this studio class.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$350 / Non-member \$370

0278 10-WEEK

DRAWING & PAINTING THE NUDE: THE LONG POSE Ken Minami Monday 1-4pm

Designed for the student who wishes to pursue figure painting or drawing in greater depth with two- and threeweek poses allowing for thorough study of the model. Painting students will be encouraged to draw with the brush in full color. Drawing students can work with charcoal, conté crayon, pencil or pastel. Every class will start with 30 minutes of shorter poses. **Skill Level: Intermediate**

EAC Member \$405 / Non-member \$425

0208 10-WEEK

PAINT YOUR HEART OUT Jill King Monday 1-4pm

Awaken your creative instincts and collaborate with a group of kindred spirits while working in the EAC studio environment. Learn to access your un-



Jim Law

censored voice and free yourself from limiting opinions of what is considered acceptable artmaking. In this class, students elevate painting skills by exploring paint application methods and mediums. Develop personal imagery and invent on a 2D surface. Bring acrylics, oils, watercolors or gouache. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0106 10-WEEK

PAINTING WITH ACRYLICS Nina Weiss Monday 1-4pm

A strong introduction to painting in which you learn about color mixing, painting techniques and composition exclusively in acrylics. Receive one-onone instruction and develop personal themes. Learn the specifics of this rich technique, which can equal the wonders of oil when well-mastered. **Skill Level:** All Levels

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0170 10-WEEK BEGINNING ACRYLIC PAINTING Janet Trierweiler

Monday 6:30-9pm Learn fundamental acrylic painting skills while practicing the art of expression, line, gesture, rhythm, tone and color. Achieve an understanding of acrylic materials and techniques as you work with both observational and imaginative painting methods, becoming familiar with acrylic painting in stylistic periods in art history and contemporary art. Check supply list online.

Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$290 / Non-member \$310

0107 10-WEEK

NIGHT WATCH: OIL PAINTING Tracy Ostmann Haschke Monday 6:30-9:30pm

Discover the basics of oil painting in this studio class, including painting techniques used since the time of Rembrandt. Those with more experience will learn advanced techniques used by the Old Masters. Creativity and experimentation encouraged.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0301 10-WEEK

PAINTING STUDIO: COLOR EXPLORATION Nina Weiss

Monday 6:30-9:30pm

Bring richness, color and depth to your paintings. Using a limited palette inspired by color theory, implement techniques such as layering, optical mixture, broken brushstroke and glazing to create complex, expressive color. Learn about materials and techniques in the medium of your choice including: gouache, acrylic, and oil while constructing paintings with a variety of subject matter, highlighting composition, color, gesture, and line. **Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$350 / Non-member \$370**

TUESDAY

0175 10-WEEK OR DROP-IN OPEN FIGURE STUDIO: INDEPENDENT STUDY Tuesday 9:30-am-12:30pm

Participants must have previously completed 1 EAC painting or drawing class. Figure Studio offers participants the opportunity to work in their choice of media and study the nude. Poses range from 1-30 minutes. Instruction is not included; a classroom monitor is in charge. EAC membership is required. Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Members only: \$250 or \$30 per drop-in session

E0160A, E0160B 5-WEEK

E0160A 5-Week Beginning January 7 E0160B 5-Week Beginning February 11 WATERCOLORS:

MATERIALS, COMPOSITION & TECHNIQUE AGES 16+ Michelle Kogan

Tuesday 9:30am-12:30pm

Create vibrant paintings with strong compositions using watercolor tubes and pencils. Instruction includes demos on watercolor techniques - applying transparent versus opaque watercolor, washes, and painting wet on wet. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0231 10-WEEK

MIXED MEDIA: FLORA AND LANDSCAPE IN WATERCOLOR AND SOFT PASTEL Fiona Craig Tuesday 1-4pm

Mixed media using watercolors and soft (dry) pastels offer wonderful ways to construct textural, 3D looking artworks, while enjoying the relaxing, therapeutic aspects of art-making. Explore fun, traditional and experimental ways to apply these materials to achieve interesting effects. We start with a paint-along demonstration, then individual choice of subject. No prior experience or drawing ability necessary. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0119 10-WEEK DRAWING INTO PAINTING Sarah Kaiser-Amaral

Tuesday 1-4pm

Learn the fundamentals of drawing before picking up a paintbrush. For the first half of the course, we will use dry media and focus on measuring, value, and perspective. During the second half, you will transition into painting with watercolor. We will cover color theory, and focus on still life and landscape.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0277 10-WEEK INTRO TO FIGURE DRAWING Duffy O'Connor Tuesday 6:30-9:30pm

Expand your skills, and learn to draw the figure! This supportive, multi-level class welcomes students who are new to drawing the human figure as well as those with experience. Introductory exercises will prepare students to create increasingly complex drawings as the session progresses using a range of black and white media with the optional introduction of color. Drawing the figure is a challenging and rewarding tradition in the arts - join us! Drawing pencils, charcoal, eraser and 18 x 24" drawing pad. Beginners are welcome, but this is ideal for students with drawing experience. Skill Level: Intermediate

EAC Member \$405 / Non-member \$425

0128 10-WEEK

EXPLORING DRAWING MEDIA John Fleck Tuesday 6:30-9:30pm

Take your drawing skills further by exploring the possibilities beyond charcoal and graphite. We will spend time working with portable and expressive tools, ideal for urban sketching: pen and ink, markers, pastels and colored pencils. Discover which ones work best for you and your creative goals. Explore the creative options of different types and colors of paper.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

WEDNESDAY

0233 10-WEEK PAINTING VIBRANT FLORA & LANDSCAPES IN OILS Fiona Craig

Wednesday 9:30am-12:30pm Render flowers and landscapes richly and beautifully in oil paints! Discover how to achieve vibrant, confident artworks that convey a sense of light, shadow, and sculptural form. Color mixing and brush stroke application will also be a major focus. You will start with a paint-along demonstration, then work on your own choice of subject. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0153 10-WEEK

CHILDREN'S PICTURE BOOK ILLUSTRATION Michelle Kogan Wednesday 9:30am-12:30pm

Bring your own picture book story to take it to the next level - publishing! Learn about creating sequential scenes and making a picture book dummy. The class will cover thumbnail layouts, storyboarding, and using a scanner/computer to create book concepts. Bring to first class: 9 x 12" sketchbook, tracing paper pad, kneaded eraser, 3 Staedtler mars #3b drawing pencils, pencil sharpener, and references for your picture book drawings. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0275 10-WEEK

PUSHING THE FIGURE: ABSTRACTION & BEYOND Janis Pozzi-Johnson

Wednesday 9:30am-12:30pm Designed for the figurative painter who wishes to challenge their way of seeing and representing the figure beyond traditional rendering. You will be exposed to the work of Nathan Oliveira, Elaine de Kooning, Richard Diebenkorn, and Barbara Knoll, among many other contemporary abstract figurative painters. Re-interpreting figure/ground relationships, use of color, and markmaking within the context of exploring abstraction and strong design enables the emergence of a new, highly personal, abstracted visual language. This process-driven class works with a clothed model.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0169 10-WEEK

ENSEMBLE OF THE PORTRAIT

Ken Minami Wednesday 1-4pm

Analyze the drawing and color aspects of portrait painting separately, and then combine them into a coordinated

whole. Color studies map out the major color relationships and monochrome drawings develop ability to see the form. Poses will last three weeks, with a strong emphasis on seeing large visual impression. Ideal for paint and pastel, but can be studied with drawing media only.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$405 / Non-member \$425

0115 10-WEEK

GOING ABSTRACT Tracy Ostmann Haschke Wednesday 1-4pm

Learn everything you have wanted to know about going abstract: including process, techniques and concepts behind making abstract art. This studio class will help you understand what abstraction is, and how to achieve it in your own work.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365



0307 10-WEEK

PAINTING, COLOR AND DESIGN **Janet Trierweiler** Wednesday 1-4pm

Get introduced to stimulating color and design methods. Learn how to progress from idea to sketch to painting to both enrich creativity and bring a sense of order to your artwork. Personalize your color palette, and work with the principles of pictorial structure to help vou develop an exciting and cohesive body of work. Acrylic or oil paint, charcoal, graphite or colored pencils will be used. Bring what supplies you have to the first class. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0393 10-WEEK **MIXED MEDIA** INDEPENDENT STUDY **Mairin Hartt**

Wednesday 1-4pm

Interested in expanding your personal art practice, working on independent projects, and/or exploring new material combinations with the support of an instructor? Come to the first class with a general idea of what you would like to work on, and well as materials you would like to work with. Best suited for students with experience in 2D arts practices.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0121 10-WEEK 🖤 🚭

ALL ABOUT COLOR WITH SOFT PASTELS AGES 16+ Ken Minami

Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm

Graduate yourself from drawing into color mixing with soft pastels. Learn to compose full color pictures and experiment with blended smooth and more textural effects. We will begin working with vivid still life set-ups, and conclude with a 3-week study of the clothed live model. Instructor works with you in an individualized way. Oil painters are welcome as well. Previous drawing experience is highly recommended.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$360 / Non-member \$380

0326. 0327 5-WEEK

0326 5-Week Beginning January 8 0327 5-Week Beginning February 12 EXPLORING ACRYLICS: FROM BASICS TO PUSHING THE LIMITS Sandra Bacon Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm

Acrylics are versatile paints, and this class explores a range of techniques from traditional to contemporary. From experimenting with the lines of paints to using different mediums, we will work on projects such as layering, making gel skins for abstract landscapes, subtractive painting, pouring, mono

printing, and more! Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0351 10-WEEK

COLOR AS AN OBJECT: PAINTING WITH COLOR **Dan Sullivan**

Wednesday 6:30-9:30pm Want to grow your practice with color in either oil or acrylic? We'll begin with the basics of color theory, and progress through creating color swatches and learning about our materials,

ultimately creating two paintings that demonstrate the main principles of color theory. Paintings will either be abstract or from references you bring. To expand on these foundational building blocks, we will begin to experiment with color as an object, mark making, and process paintings. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

THURSDAY

0354 10-WEEK **OIL PAINTING STUDIO: STILL LIFE & FIGURE Michelle Kogan** Thursday 9:30am-12:30pm

Create paintings in oils using non-toxic mediums as the Renaissance painters did. Choose to paint from still life arrangements or material you bring in. We will also paint from a clothed model for two sessions. We will have 1:1 and group critiques. Some prior drawing recommended.

Skill Levels: All Levels EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0318 10-WEEK

MULTI-LEVEL ABSTRACT PAINTING STUDIO Janet Trierweiler Thursday 9:30am-12:30pm

What is abstract? You are encouraged to work in series, giving everyone the ability to evolve through investigation of your own work. You will be introduced to methods to answer your questions about abstraction, while enjoying personal expression. These new skills enrich and bring order to paintings, giving confidence to develop an exciting and cohesive body of work. Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0162A 5-WEEK **BEGINNING JANUARY 9** WATERCOLOR PENCILS Linny Freeman

Thursday 9:30am-12pm Watercolor pencils offer an exciting, new dimension to the art of sketching and designing. This vibrant medium allows you to float between a sketch and color washing - adding a new sense of creative freedom. We will

explore different techniques including dry and wet pencils, layering, shading, color blending, and more. Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0165 10-WEEK

BEGINNING DRAWING Jill Sutton

Thursday 9:30am-12:30pm

Ideal for learning fundamental drawing skills, regardless of previous experience. Using historical and contemporary art references, weekly exercises will range from familiar subjects like still-life and landscape to exploring the realm of abstract and conceptual art working in black and white, and color. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0186 10-WEEK **BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE OIL PAINTING** Jill Sutton

Thursday 1-4pm

This multi-level course will provide a solid understanding of the technical and practical aspects of oil painting. Formal and cognitive concerns of image-making are addressed using various subjects, such as the stilllife, model, and landscape. Drawing experience is recommended. Bring 18" x 24" or larger piece of drawing paper and charcoal to the first class. Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0122 5-WEEK **BEGINNING FEBRUARY 13**

PAINTED FLOORCLOTHS AGES 16+ Virginia Roeder

Thursday 1-4pm

Design your own floorcloth, an Early American art form of floor coverings. Learn various techniques: staining, stenciling, geometric design or free hand images. Display on the floor or use as a wall-hanging. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0161 10-WEEK WATERCOLORS: **BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE** Linny Freeman

Thursday 1-4pm

This fun and creative approach to watercolor painting is an exciting way to get started or enhance and expand your knowledge. Learn traditional techniques, including wet-into-wet, glazing, coloring mixing, flat washes, graduated washes, color mixing, and more. Experiment with watercolor paints and pencils (optional) on a variety of subjects, including still-life and landscape.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

INTERVIEW WITH EAC MEMBER BORUCH "EUGENE" LEV

Did you grow up making art? When you were a child, did you consider a career as an artist?

Well, yes. What is the essence of making art? It's to be creative. And I was creative climbing trees. shooting a slingshot, working with colored clay and reading lots of ture projects I also used images from books. Fifty books of Encyclopedia were marked with a sticky working on my sculpture garden making landscapes, planting trees and filling that environment with a lot of animals. Did I think I would about my future. I was thinking that there is no way I can read all of the books I wanted. In real life I became a structural engineer, and I was working in building design most of my life. I'm glad to be back to myself.

What inspires you as an artist? Where do our ideas come from?

With me it's kind of a mystery. I've said mystery, because it happens that something blows up your mind, something really interesting that often doesn't have a straight connection to your reality. You don't know it's coming before it hits you. I try to make a quick sketch or a note before it fades. If it's a commission, I work out a few ideas within given guidelines and it's also very interesting process. Each project is a statement; at least it should be a statement. Obviously, being in art environment may help to generate ideas as well.

What is your favorite piece of art that you have created?

I have a few, but it's hard to discuss them without the images. They are on my website: www.LSculpture. com. I still love my first piece I've made here, 15 years ago, with the wonderful model Stephanie.



Search of the Center of the Universe

Tell us more about your piece, Search of the Center of the Universe, that was accepted to the Beijing International Art Biennale. Will you be traveling to China to see it installed?

I didn't travel to China this time. I've written detailed installation instructions, and it was supposed the National Art Museum of China in Beijing. My younger son and I used to watch a starry sky and listen to Stephen Hawking together a lot. It was Sasha's passion, and I shared his curiosity. This wonder brought me to this project. Neither Sasha nor I we were able to fully my imagination. We believe that the Universe is expanding and this process started with the beginning of creation. A moment of beginning could be traced back. Based on (the Center) could be discovered. If I throw a stone into a pond, and make a photo of the waves within it's not seen anymore. You can see this process in this piece: putting together fragments of the Universe, pieces of our discovery. I like to

look at this piece from a more general point of view as well. It's a process of solving a puzzle. Including the puzzle of the world where we all live and the one which is within me. I can see fragments. And if we will solve those we should clearly see how all of us and everything around is connected.

You've been taking classes at the EAC for several years. What do you love about EAC that brings you back each term?

I took my first class with Sheila Oettinger in the summer of 2004, and from that time on, I've been working in the Evanston Art Center at least once a week and my home studio. For many years I was a part of the Friday figure sculpture studio. I was fortunate to work side-toside by Sueko Kawamuro, a great sculptor with delicate taste and a sharp eye. Just seeing her working gave me a lot. My sculpture stand was next to Lucia Miller's, and our conversations and her friendship were very important for me. The Evanston Art Center is growing in terms of variety of classes in all thinkable directions of art. I like an atmosphere of the art classes. My roots as an artist are in the Evanston Art Center.

0303 4-WEEK

BEGINNING FEBRUARY 6

MIXED MEDIA ENCAUSTIC STUDIO Robin Samiljan

Thursday 1-4pm

Explore mixed media encaustic painting and collage, always incorporating the use of encaustic medium. Combine found objects, papers, transfers, and just about anything else with wax. Focus will include adding pigment to wax by working with alcohol ink, oil sticks and pastels.

Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$145 / Non-member \$165

0319, 0320 5-WEEK

0319 5-Week Beginning January 9 0320 5-Week Beginning February 13 ACRYLIC POUR PAINTING Kathy Cunningham Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

Who needs brushes when you can pour acrylic paint and create unique and unpredictable works of art? Experiment with acrylic pours learning new techniques and approaches to create either stand-alone abstract paintings or backgrounds for further development. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0126 10-WEEK

DRAWING SIMPLIFIED

Thursday 6:30-9:30pm Strengthen your ability to render realistically on paper. We will work on drawing skills with charcoal and pencil (graphite and colored), with an emphasis on getting accurate shapes and expressive value relationships. Drawing is fundamental and these skills will help students with any and all art they may make in future. Some time will also be spent drawing on toned (non-white) paper, because it eases the depiction of form as the middle value is already there in the paper. We will mostly work from still life setups with some work from photos. Rediscover what can be done on paper! **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

FRIDAY

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0163, 0187 5-WEEK 💛

0163 5-Week Beginning January 10 0187 5-Week Beginning February 14 PEN & INK & WATERCOLOR AGES 16+ Michelle Kogan

Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

Using still-life and reference material you will create drawings and paintings using a variety of pens-dip pens, micron pens, brush pens; watercolors, Dr. Martin Watercolors, and brushes, on various papers. See posted list for materials.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0174 10-WEEK FROM HEAD TO TOE: CONTEMPORARY PORTRAIT MAKING AND FIGURE STUDY Eleanor Spiess-Ferris Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

A contemporary look at drawing and/or painting the portrait and/or the figure through the examination of 20th and 21st century artists from Picasso to Eric Fischl and artists like Chuck Close. Using oil and acrylic paints or drawing materials, the long pose, live models allow direct observation to begin an abstraction or to include in another artwork. The instruction is individualized with some demonstrations and discussions. Each model pose is two weeks. Bring newsprint, charcoal and painting materials to the first class. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

0352, 0353 5-WEEK 0352 5-Week Beginning January 10 0353 5-Week Beginning February 14 CREATIVE USES FOR INKS

Kathy Cunningham Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

Inks have the ability to create fluid and impressionistic effects on both porous and non-porous surfaces. Using ceramic tile, clayboard, canvas, wood, glass, metal, fabric, and rice paper, learn how to utilize and control ink to create one-of-a-kind works of art that allow you to flex your creativity.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0380 10-WEEK GO FIGURE! Sarah Kaiser-Amaral Friday 1-4pm

Explore figure drawing and painting while learning about proportions, line, shape, and value. Work in dry media such as graphite, charcoal, and pastel, building up to work with wet media such as ink and watercolor. Study both classical and contemporary examples that range from Durer to Diebenkorn. Begin with gesture drawing and learn to measure as we gradually progress into longer poses. Work with the live model during most sessions; also work with casts. For the first class, bring graphite pencils, ink pens and newsprint. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Member \$405 / Non-member \$425

0245, 0246 5-WEEK 0245 5-Week Beginning January 10 0246 5-Week Beginning February 21 WATERCOLOR IN THE ABSTRACT AGES 16+ John Herron Friday 1-4pm

Take a stab at this fluid and spontaneous medium. If acrylics are your first love, learn how to merge the two. If watercolor is your thing, learn how to produce more expressive work. Experiment and learn to be fearless in your painting. Create exciting shapes and textures not achievable with oils or acrylics. If you are new to watercolor, fear not, the instructor will demonstrate how to work with a variety of tools and materials including brushes, pencils, blades, frisket, salt, and a lot more. Beginners can do this. More advanced artists will thrive. Everyone will have fun. **Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195**

0111 10-WEEK

THE ARTIST'S STUDIO Tracy Ostmann Haschke Friday 1-4pm

This studio class offers time to work on projects of your personal preference with the availability of individualized instruction and technique. Students are encouraged to explore line, composition, color, and scale. Group critiques and references to classic and contemporary art are included. Bring your choice of medium (acrylic, pastel, charcoal and/or pencil) to the first class.

Skilled Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

0103 10-WEEK BEGINNING DRAWING AGES 16+

Duffy O'Connor Friday 1-4pm

Get grounded in the basics of drawing and artistic expression. Explore basic techniques and subject matter to experimentation in media and imagery. Beginning with pencil, charcoal, pastel and moving to ink and collage, you will explore self-expression through the subject matter of still-life, interior space, the figure and abstraction. Jumpstart your art in this supportive, creative environment. Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$345 / Non-member \$365

SATURDAY

0117, 0118 5-WEEK

0117 5-Week Beginning January 11 0118 5-Week Beginning February 15 EXPLORATIONS IN COLLAGE Mairin Hartt

Saturday 9:30am-12:30pm

Examine different types of collage, altered art, and other forms of mixedmedia utilized by Dada, Surrealist, and contemporary artists. Classes will focus on different types and approaches to collage, with the final weeks focusing on combining collage and other media. Techniques and practices covered include photomontage, text collage, mixed-media painting, gel medium transfer, and altered imagery. You are encouraged to experiment with multiple materials and media. **Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195**

0347 5-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 11 EXPLODATIONS IN MIX

EXPLORATIONS IN MIXED MEDIA Mairin Hartt

Mairin Hartt Saturday 1-4pm

Explore the various practices of mixed media in 2D art. Learn multiple mixedmedia techniques looking to historical and contemporary artists as inspiration, and experiment with the possibilities of various media combinations in application to drawing and found imagery. Projects will include forms of collage, altered art, and mixed-media painting and drawing.

Skill Level: Äll Levels EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

SUNDAY

0269 10-WEEK

DRAWING & PAINTING THE PORTRAIT Ken Minami

Sunday 10am-1pm

See how shadow and light reveal the forms of the head and how these individual forms fit into a coordinated whole. For painting, learn to organize the major color relationships. Composition, light effects, and atmosphere will be studied to produce lively paintings and drawings. There will be one pose lasting three weeks for a thorough model study.

Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$405 / Non-member \$425

Sunday 10am-12pm Some of the most interesting subjects for botanical art are found in the depths of winter. You will learn how to use colored pencil to render the form and texture of seed pods, acorns and pinecones, as well as how to layer color to bring new life and vibrancy to these normally overlooked objects.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0394, 0395 5-WEEK 0394 5-Week Beginning January 12 0395 5-Week Beginning February 16 SKETCHING FOR BUSY

PEOPLE

Georgia Braun Sunday 10am-12pm

Warning: homework is involved! In fact, it is essential. But the payoff? Sketch with aplomb in a short amount of time! Learn basic drawing skills that never fail you. Discover how to look closely to draw quickly and effectively. Bolster your confidence to sketch comfortably in public, within the short time frame of a lunch break or a sightseeing tour. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

0173 10-WEEK OR DROP-IN SUNDAY SALON RJ Ryan-Novak Sunday 12:30-3:30pm

Sunday Salon is an independent figure studio for all. New and experienced artists use the studio as an opportunity to study, or explore new creative treatments of, the human figure. Models hold one pose the entire session, and are booked for two consecutive weeks. All mark-making materials are welcome. Skill Level: All Levels

EAC Members Only, \$250 or \$30 per drop-in session

FIGURE SCULPTURE

Figure sculpture classes include free studio time, dependent upon class schedules. No studio time during the first week of classes. Class fees include glazes and clay. EAC does charge students to fire work based on the actual weight of the piece.

MONDAY

2576 10-WEEK THE FIGURE: REAL OR IMAGINED Barbara Goldsmith Monday 9:30am-12:30pm Sculpt the figure in clay from live mod-

els. Models generally hold the same pose for three classes. Study the model, learning to see proportions, gesture, and anatomy as you work realistically or use the model as inspiration for more imaginative interpretative work. Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

TUESDAY

2555 10-WEEK

INDEPENDENT STUDY WITH MONITOR: FIGURE SCULPTURE Tuesday 6:30-9:30pm

Independent studio time with a nude model holding one pose for one or two sessions. There is no instructor, but two experienced monitors will be present to oversee all studio sessions. Figure sculpture experience is helpful, but monitors are available to offer guidance. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Members Only \$335

THURSDAY

2581 10-WEEK NEW EXPLORATIONS Barbara Goldsmith

Thursday 9:30am-12:30pm

Learn to create abstract 3D art forms by exploring non-objective, organic and figurative themes. Stoneware clay, along with metal, glass, and found objects may be used. Instruction in slab and coil building techniques will be investigated. Some sculpture experience is recommended. Skill Level: Intermediate EAC Member \$370 / Non-member \$390

FRIDAY

2579 10-WEEK

INDEPENDENT STUDY: FIGURE SCULPTURE Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

Independent studio time with a nude model holding one pose per session. There is no instructor, and the course is informal with a monitor overseeing all studio sessions. Figure sculpture experience is a prerequisite. Skill Level: Intermediate/Advanced EAC Members only: \$335

JEWELRY, METALSMITHING, AND METAL SCULPTURE

All jewelry classes include free, monitored studio time, dependent upon class schedules. No studio time during the first week of classes. Class fees include some materials. Sheet metal is available for purchase at the front desk. Note no open-toed shoes or flowy scarves or clothing are permitted in the Jewelry Studio.

MONITORED OPEN JEWELRY STUDIO

Open Studio is a benefit of currently enrolled students in Jewelry, Metalsmithing and Metal Sculpture classes to continue working on projects outside of class. It begins the week after classes start, and continues through Make-Up Week. All currently enrolled students may attend. Beginners may take advantage of this after the basics of metalsmithing and equipment have been covered, along with the go-ahead from your instructor. Open Studio Hours: Tuesday: 1-4pm; Friday: 1-8:30 pm; Sunday: 1-3:30pm. (These hours are subject to change.) COST: Included in Jewelry, Metalsmithing, and Metal Tuition

3502 10-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 13 ADVANCED OPEN STUDIO (AOS) JEWELRY INDEPENDENT STUDY

For advanced students who want to work on your own or with a small group of advanced students outside of class in unmonitored studio time. To be permitted to join AOS, students will be trained in five one-hour authorization sessions. After which they will be evaluated and may be allowed to work independently. The AOS Coordinator will arrange rapid-fire demos, class outings, guest artists, and other events tailored to the group's needs and interests. EAC's well-equipped studio will be at your disposal to create, improve your skills, and become part of a supportive artist community!

AOS Authorization Training Sessions Required for New AOS Students (Five 1-hour sessions): \$100

Once authorized: AOS Independent Study: EAC Member \$340 / Non-member \$360

MONDAY

3520, 3521 5-WEEK

3520 5-Week Beginning January 6 3521 5-Week Beginning February 10 BEGINNING JEWELRY AGES 16+

Stephanie Brohman Monday 9:30am-12:30pm

Perfect for beginning students interested in learning how to make one-of-a-kind jewelry. Learn basic fabrication skills, such as using a jeweler's saw, drilling, finishing, soldering, riveting, basic stone setting and color on metal techniques. Expect to complete your own bracelets, rings, necklaces and more!

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$200 / Non-member \$220

3593 10-WEEK 🕈

JEWELRY AND OBJECTS

AGES 16+ Nancy Sickbert-Wheeler Monday 1-4pm

Metalsmithing for beginning to Intermediate students. Learn basic fabrication techniques in daily classes then take them to a new level while combining etching, creative linkage, roller printing, riveting, enameling and creating hollow forms! Explore various ways of stone setting with enamels, stones and found objects. **Skill Level: Intermediate**

EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420



Nancy Sickbert-Wheeler

3589 10-WEEK

ENAMELING Leslie Perrino Monday 7-10pm

Immerse yourself in glass and fire! Apply glass to metal and see it transform in a hot kiln. Learning the basics is easy - spend the class exploring a large and fascinating array of techniques to create your beautiful and durable pieces of jewelry or sculpture. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

TUESDAY

3547 10-WEEK

FORMING AND CONSTRUCTION FOR JEWELRY AND OBJECTS Darlys Ewoldt Tuesday 9:30am-12:30pm

Create unique 3D forms for jewelry and objects by learning to combine hammered metal forms with construction techniques. Perfect your soldering skills by learning to properly fit complex curves and edges. Forming processes include sinking, raising, fold-forming, anticlastic forming, and forging.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

3503 10-WEEK

LOST WAX CASTING AND MORE

Virgil Robinson & Kathy Cunningham Tuesday 7-10pm

Designed for individuals interested in lost wax casting and special projects, and those who are proficient in fabrication skills such as soldering, sawing and finishing. Topics include wax carving, casting, bezel making, working in gold or silver, fabrication techniques, and oxidation. Cast at least once during the term. Skill Level: Intermediate/Advanced EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

WEDNESDAY

3592 10-WEEK

STUDIO JEWELRY MAKING Nancy Sickbert-Wheeler Wednesday 1-4pm

Create new work combining metals techniques taught in weekly demonstrations. Use silver, copper and brass in projects suggested to challenge and inspire creativity. Research, examine and discuss the work of various metal artists. Continue to learn soldering, forging and enameling techniques incorporating new acquired skills. Design a series of pieces that become your own body of work.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

3597 10-WEEK BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE JEWELRY

Leslie Perrino Wednesday 7-10

Wednesday 7-10pm Learn the fabrication building blocks of successful metalworking: forming, soldering, polishing, stone setting, and more. We begin with three jewelry projects designed to teach techniques, tools and safety. The remainder is dedicated to making unique custom jewelry, small sculpture, household creations, and more. Kit costs approximately \$90.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

THURSDAY

3599 10-WEEK INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED JEWELRY **Leslie Perrino** Thursday 7-10pm

Designed to allow intermediate and advanced artists to build skills and challenge themselves to perfect techniques and learn new ones, build a body of work, or finish a special project. Individual attention will be focused as needed. This is a fun and nurturing place to take your skills and art to the next level.

Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

FRIDAY

3590 5-WEEK **BEGINNING JANUARY 10** METALSMITHING AND DESIGN

Joshua Herman Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

First, uncover the jewelry basics: sawing, filing, soldering, as well as finishing and patinas. Then, we'll build on your design skills, learning to find inspiration and create ideas that you will then produce with your newlyacquired talents. Take home a piece you can be proud of! Skill Level: Beginner

EAC Member \$200 / Non-member \$220

SUNDAY

3525 10-WEEK BEGINNING METALSMITHING

Kathy Cunningham Sunday 9:30am-12:30pm

Multiple methods will be explored in this class from shaping and forming metal, achieving textures, soldering and cold connections, and finishing techniques. Learn proper use of hand tools and studio equipment. A ring, pendant, pin and bracelet will incorporate the various methods presented. Great for refreshing skill too! Bring a sketchbook. **Skill Level: Beginner**

EAC Member \$400 / Non-member \$420

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Kasia Stachowiak

All printmaking classes include free,

monitored studio time that begins one week after classes start. Independent Study time is available. Most supplies are provided. Paper is available for purchase at cost.

6151 10-WEEK PRINTMAKING INDEPENDENT STUDY For experienced printmakers

who desire studio access without instruction. Anyone enrolling must take a studio orientation, and adhere to EAC studio policies on materials, clean-up, as well as entrance and exit procedures. Must have taken at least one EAC printmaking course. Independent Study will take place during Open Studios beginning second week of class. New enrollees must contact Director of Education Christena Gunther or Studio Coordinator Duffy O'Connor prior to registering.

Skill Level: Advanced EAC Members only: \$290

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1509 10-WEEK **INTAGLIO AGES 16+** Duffy O'Connor Monday 9:30am-12:30pm This is a multi-level course that invites beginners to work alongside experienced printmakers as they explore the tradition of Intaglio

printmaking. The basic processes of intaglio printmaking of etching (line, aquatint and softground) and drypoint will be taught with primarily black and white imagery; color printing can be explored beyond the beginner level. Imagery will be generated by you and all work will be made with the advice of the instructor. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

TUESDAY

1590 10-WEEK **BOOKBINDING SERIES AGES 16+** Jamie Thome Tuesday 9:30am-12:30pm

This multi-level, hands-on course introduces newcomers to the basic skills and tools to create hand-crafted books. Learn about folding, sewing and gluing to explore different types of stitches and structures to create several of your own sample books. More experienced returning students will explore more complex structures with in-depth techniques, potentially covering Coptic bindings, long-stitch, advanced Japanese side-stitch or others, as well as developing content for your pieces.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

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GREETING CARDS AGES 16+ Kasia Stachowiak Tuesday 6:30-9:30pm

Have fun, and create your own greeting cards on paper of your choice! With smaller sized cards, it is easy to manage imagery of your choice, including minimal designs, flowers, graphics, and text. **Skill Level: All Levels**

EAC Member \$205/ Non-member \$225

THURSDAY

1514 6-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 9

ARTIST BOOKS Yoonshin Park Thursday 9:30am-12:30pm

Designed to introduce the world of artists' books. Learn the definition of artists' books and explore different ways to deliver your creative ideas through this unique medium. In this multi-level class, basic book making techniques from non-binding (folding) to single section binding will be introduced, and the close observation of different material types will be encouraged. After being exposed to various methods and approaches, create your own artist book however you'd like!

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$210 / Non-member \$230

1503 10-WEEK

AGES 16+ Duffy O'Connor Thursday 1-4pm

Explore traditional and contemporary methods of relief printmaking to become familiar with the tools, techniques and the translation of imagery and ideas for this rewarding process. New students will be introduced to linoleum, wood, and alternative substrates. Returning students will be guided through more advanced techniques including reduction prints, additive processes, multiple block and color methods of printing, as well as exploring more contemporary approaches and applications.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

1566 10-WEEK PRINTING PATTERNS FOR PAPER AND FABRIC Millicent Kennedy Nora Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

Master printing repeating patterns for fabric and paper using woodcut and screen print methods. A variety of patterning methods will be introduced and you will collaborate on a group project as well as individual work. Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$415 / Non-member \$435

SATURDAY

1510 10-WEEK INTAGLIO AGES 16+ Duffy O'Connor Saturday 1-4pm

This is a multi-level course that invites beginners to work alongside experienced printmakers as they explore the tradition of Intaglio printmaking. The basic processes of intaglio printmaking of etching (line, aquatint and softground) and drypoint will be taught with primarily black and white imagery; color printing can be explored beyond the beginner level. Imagery will be generated by you and all work will be made with the advice of the instructor.

Skill Level: All Levels EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

SUNDAY

1520 5-WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 12 BEGINNING BOOKBINDING AGES 16+

Millicent Kennedy Nora Sunday 9:30am-11:30pm

This hands-on course introduces the basic skills and tools to create hand-crafted books. You will learn about folding, sewing and gluing to explore different types of stitches and structures to create several of your own sample books.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$150 / Non-member \$170

1511 6-WEEK • BEGINNING FEBRUARY 16

INTERMEDIATE BOOKBINDING AGES 16+

Millicent Kennedy Nora Sunday 9:30am-11:30pm Utilizing skills garnered in the beginning class, you will explore more complex structures with in-depth techniques, potentially covering Coptic bindings, long-stitch, advanced Japanese side-stitch or others, as well as developing content for your pieces. Some bookbinding experience is helpful, though motivated students can easily keep up. Skill Level: Intermediate

EAC Member \$175 / Non-member \$195

1550 10-WEEK PRINTMAKING EXPLORATIONS Raeleen Kao

Sunday 11:30am-2:30pm

Designed for experienced printmakers who want to deepen their printmaking practice. The instructor will work oneon-one with students on individual projects and demonstrate new techniques to enhance the student's skill. Students and instructor will engage in supportive discussions and critiques to create an environment of aesthetic growth and community. Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$410 / Non-member \$430

WOODWORKING

All Woodworking classes include free, monitored studio time for those authorized to work independently that begins one week after classes begin. You must provide your own wood and materials for most classes.

6771 10-WEEK WOODWORKING INDEPENDENT STUDY

A one-year \$75 membership is required to participate in the EAC Independent Study program, for those interested in studio access without instruction. Anyone enrolling must have a studio orientation and adhere to EAC's studio policies on materials, cleanup, and entrance and exit procedures. Prerequisite: students enrolled must have completed one wood class at EAC. Open Studio begins second week of classes.

EAC Members only: \$330

MONDAY

7716 10-WEEK INTRO TO WOODTURNING FOR ADULTS Bob Shuford

Monday 1-4pm

Discover the joy of creating useful and artful objects of wood on the lathe. Learn and perfect the basics of woodturning while creating several small projects. Instructor-led demonstrations alternate with guided practice at the lathe, safety procedures, and time for creating at your own pace. Tools and materials provided. Returning students are welcome.

Skill Level: Beginner, Intermediate EAC Member \$420 / Non-member \$440

THURSDAY

7717 10-WEEK

INTERMEDIATE TURNING WITH TRADITIONAL TOOLS Andy Kuby Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

Develop skill in the use of traditional

turning tools and complete a variety of projects that utilize specific skills, including small spindle projects (like bottle stoppers, pens and other decorative work), cross grain projects

INTERVIEW WITH EXHIBITING ARTIST: SUSAN BEINER



How do you want your viewers to feel as they experience your work?

I want the viewer to be aware of the environment, what its made of, how we choose to be a part of it, and the consequences of our actions.

What is the biggest challenge you face when creating a new piece of work?

Well, sometimes mounting can be a challenge because it has to be figured out before the piece is actually made. Since the works change during the making process, I always hope I'm not too far off. Additionally, making sure the message is communicated through object and experience of the piece. Talk me through your thought process when working on a project. Do previous projects inspire new ones, or do you start with a completely fresh idea?

It's all continuous in terms of thought, but I start with new ideas, which are usually all related to a similar subject or cause based on the environment.

How much time do you take from projects once they are completed?

Larger format projects take about 1.5 - 2 years to complete, but during this time I am always working on smaller pieces or experiments so that I keep moving though concepts that inspire me. Additionally, I can ship smaller pieces to exhibitions while I am working on larger pieces. Once a project is complete, I usually just move onto the next idea. What are you most looking forward to about displaying your work at the Evanston Art Center?

The same piece can be very different based on the venue and its audience. The difference is intriguing.

SUSAN BEINER'S EXHIBITION WILL OPEN ON MARCH 29 AT EAC, DON'T MISS IT! (platters and bowls) and end grain work (boxes and small vessels). Instructor's demonstrations alternate with guided practice at the lathe, and you learning at your own pace. Expand your knowledge of woodturning to include the use and maintenance of traditional tools (such as gouges, scrapers, skews). Learn more about sharpening, harvesting wood, holding the work on the lathe, end and cross grain turning, green and dry wood turning and design considerations. Skill Level: Intermediate, Advanced EAC Member \$420 / Non-member \$440

FRIDAY

7711 10-WEEK BASIC WOODWORKING FOR ADULTS Bill First

Friday 9:30am-12:30pm

A comprehensive review of tools and techniques for beginning woodworkers. Hand and power tools, joinery and finishes will be explored. You are encouraged to purchase and fabricate two woodworking projects. You are responsible for purchasing your own materials.

Skill Level: Beginner EAC Member \$420 / Non-member \$440

7715 10-WEEK INTERMEDIATE WOODWORKING FOR ADULTS Bill First Friday 1-4pm

Build upon Basic Woodworking for Adults for continuing students, and appropriate for new students with previous woodworking experience. Continue to work on current projects and develop new ideas. Understanding wood and wood movement, purchasing raw lumber, furniture joinery, and finishing techniques, and a thorough understanding of hand and power tools in today's woodworking shops will be discussed. You are responsible for purchasing safety items, materials and hardware for your own projects. **Skill Level: Intermediate**

EAC Member \$420 / Non-member \$440



Andrew Kuby

YOUTH FINE ARTS (YFA)

Check in at the front desk for your room assignment on the first day of class. Supplies are included in the tuition price for YFA classes with a few exceptions that are indicated.

YFA WORKSHOPS

9907 1-DAY WORKSHOP NEW YEAR, NEW YOU CRAFTS! AGES 5-11 + ADULT CAREGIVER Samira Taher Kolb

Saturday, January 4; 10am-12pm It's a brand-new year for resolutions and inspirations! Create New Yearinspired crafts with Samira Taher Kolb of Let's Craft It! Create motivational wall pennants and adorable, glittery, good luck charms – encouraging us

to kick off 2020 just right! Price is for 1 child and 1 adult. \$15 for additional child.

EAC Member \$30 / Non-member \$35

9908 1-DAY WORKSHOP

ALL YOU NEED IS LOVE AGES 5-11 + ADULT CAREGIVER Samira Taher Kolb Saturday, February 8; 10am-12pm Love is in the air. Create lovable crafts

Love Is in the air. Create lovable crafts with Samira Taher Kolb of Let's Craft It! We'll make a heartwarming yarn wall hanging, and fun 3D pop-up cards that you can send to your friends and family. Price is for one child and one adult. \$15 for each additional child.

EAC Member \$30 / Non-member \$35

9909 1-DAY WORKSHOP

Saturday, March 7, 10am-12pm Bring some cheer to your cold, gray days by creating colorful and warm weather inspired crafts with Samira Taher Kolb of Let's Craft It! We'll make bright hot-air balloon sun-catchers, and colorful sea shell wind chimes. Spring is sure to hurry along with these vibrant crafts! Price is for one child and one adult. \$15 for each additional child. EAC Member \$30 / Non-member \$35

YFA CLASSES

MONDAY

4322 10-WEEK YOUTH PAINTING AND DRAWING AGES 7-11 Vivian Zapata Monday 4:15-6:15pm

Learn new materials, methods, and principles of drawing and painting. As you create multimedia projects, you will gain an understanding of shape, form, value, composition, proportion, perspective and color. EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

4009 10-WEEK

CARTOONING AGES 9-13 Cheryl Steiger Monday 4:15-6:15pm

Learn to express your ideas through cartooning. Drawing techniques, expressions, perspective for backgrounds, composition, story lines and animation will be explored. Those returning can work on individual projects with guidance. EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

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4036 10-WEEK

TEEN METALSMITHING AGES 12-16 Stephanie Brohman Monday 4:15-6:15pm

Perfect for the novice and inspiring metalsmith. We will explore the field of contemporary jewelry, and how to create unique, one-of-a-kind and/ or conceptual pieces. Learn basic fabrication skills such as using a jeweler's saw, drilling, filing, sanding, polishing, soldering, riveting, basic forming and color on metal techniques. Classes will rotate between focusing on a project and focusing on a technique. **EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295**

TUESDAY

4040 10-WEEK OR DROP-IN YOUTH ART OPEN STUDIO AGES 7-14

Samantha Younis Tuesday 4:15-5:45pm

Develop ideas and create projects you imagine! Work in the medium of your choice: drawing, painting or sculpture. An open studio setting without a structured curriculum and formal instruction. Students are encouraged with guidance on an individual basis. Access to painting supplies and materials are included. Register for whole term or drop-in! Note: priority to class is given to students who register for the full term. Drop-in's only available with a minimum number enrolled in the full term. **EAC Member \$215 / Non-member \$235**

4201 10-WEEK

TOT & CAREGIVER TIME Roberta Miles Tuesday 4:15-5:45pm

Young children and their caregivers are invited to explore art at EAC together! Check out EAC art exhibitions, learn to talk about art, and then create your own unique works of art. Older siblings are invited, too! Individual price covers up to two siblings and one adult. EAC Member \$215/ Non-member \$235

4061 10-WEEK

EXPLORING THE MASTERS IN CLAY AGES 8-10 Bonnie Katz Tuesday 4:15-6:15pm

Decorate plates and bowls with faces and animals like Picasso, paint over stencils like Matisse, and make colorful whimsical figures like Miro! Create masterpieces while learning the basic techniques of working with clay and glazes.

EAC Member \$280/ Non-member \$300

4771, 4772 5-WEEK

4771 5-Week Beginning January 7 4772 5-Week beginning February 11 3D MODELING AND PRINTING OBJECTS AGES 9-14 Miki Straus Tuesday 4:15-6:15pm

Turn your imagination into reality through 3D printing! Learn the basics of 3D modeling software and 3D printers to create your very own objects. Students will take home 2-3 small printed objects of their own design, and the knowledge to use Tinkercad, a free software available online. All Digital Media Department students have access to Maker Lab equipment during scheduled, monitored Open Studio hours throughout the term. EAC Member \$145 / Non-member \$165

4062, 4063 5-WEEK

4062 5-Week Beginning January 7 4063 5-Week Beginning February 11 ILLUSTRATION! AGES 9-13 Alex Dahm

Tuesday 4:15-6:15pm Bring your imagination to life! Create

unique original characters, fantasy monsters, and sci-fi landscapes by exploring the world of contemporary illustration as seen in our favorite cartoons, videogames, cereal boxes and manga.

EAC Member \$140 / Non-member \$160

WEDNESDAY

4003 10-WEEK MIXED MEDIA ART AGES 5-7

Bonnie Katz Wednesday 4:15-5:45pm

Explore 2D and 3D work! Spend half the term learning 2D processes, like painting, drawing, and printmaking, as well as creating 3D sculptures. The other half is spent making ceramic clay creations. Kids learn hand-building techniques, and how to embellish and glaze a variety of clay products. EAC Member \$215 / Non-member \$235

4203 10-WEEK

PAINTING LIKE THE MASTERS AGES 8-13 Samantha Younis Wednesday 4:15-5:45pm

Learn about a famous artist with a brief art history lesson, studying different techniques, mediums and styles. Use one of their pieces to inspire your own masterpiece! Topics covered include acrylics, watercolors, drawing, landscape, still-life, pointillism, abstract art, color, perspective, mixed media, and art history. Returning students welcome.

EAC Member \$215 / Non-member \$235

4001 10-WEEK WW THE ART OF PUPPETRY AGES 10-14 Nicole Nienow Wednesday 4:15-6:15pm

Dive deep into the world of puppetry by exploring different forms such as table top, shadow puppets, marionettes, and bunraku. Through construction, mechanism manipulation, and problem solving, we will create an uncanny creature that will come to life in a one-of-a-kind performance that caregivers and family can attend the last day of class.

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

4710 10 WEEK W INTRODUCTION TO TRADITIONAL ANIMATION AGES 12-16 Miki Straus

Wednesday 4:15-6:15pm

Turn your imagination into reality through 3D printing! Learn the basics of 3D modeling software and 3D printers to create your very own objects. Students will take home 2-3 small printed objects of their own design, and the knowledge to use Tinkercad, a free software available online. All Digital Media Department students have access to Maker Lab equipment during scheduled, monitored Open Studio hours throughout the term. EAC Member \$285 / Non-member \$305

4024 8-WEEK

BEGINNING JANUARY 22 TEEN WHEEL THROWING AGES 12-16 Devin T. Hanson Wednesday 4:15-6:15pm

Independently create work on the pottery wheel. All experience levels are welcome, including first-time throwers. Once experienced, the instructor will act as facilitator, helping you create own, unique ideas. Examples of items are mugs, cups, bowls and lamp bases. Purchasing a beginner's pottery set from a local art store is suggested. EAC Member \$280 / Non-member \$300

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INTERVIEW WITH FACULTY MEMBER

Liz joined EAC's Drawing and Painting Faculty in fall 2019 teaching Intro to Acrylic Painting through Landscapes. She will resume teaching in the spring.



Were you always interested in making art? What inspired you to pursue a career in the arts?

As a child, I was always very crafty and really enjoyed making birthday cards, invitations, and school poster projects. I was the type of kid that stayed up all night making sure my projects were perfect before my presentation the next day. My dad was an artist, and would often help me with these projects, and inspired me to be really creative. In high school, I took art all 4 years and loved my art teacher, who was also a very active artist outside of teaching. My freshman year of college I decided to pursue Art Education.

How long have you worked at ETHS? What do you enjoy most about working there?

I've worked at ETHS for 3 years now. What I enjoy most is how there seems to be something for every type of student to get involved in. Students have the ability to create clubs and join as many as they would like. I think that it's very important for students to have a space where they can feel comfortable and connect with other people like them.



What is your favorite media to work with?

My two favorite media to work with are acrylic paint and charcoal.

In one of your interviews with the Evanstonian magazine, you mentioned that you are a self-proclaimed perfectionist. How does being a perfectionist affect your teaching style and artmaking? Does that make it hard to create artwork and be satisfied with the finished product?

Being a perfectionist seems to help my teaching style by making me plan more thoroughly for my lessons. However, it definitely hinders my art-making because I'm almost never satisfied with my finished work.

Do you have a favorite moment where you have learned from one of your students?

My students always teach me how to be flexible. Every student has a different learning style, and through teaching I'm constantly reminded that there is no typical student, and I have to be ready to adapt to the people in my room. I love that I am constantly learning from them.

THURSDAY

4041 10-WEEK OR DROP-IN YOUTH ART OPEN STUDIO AGES 7-14 Samantha Younis Thursday 4:15-5:45pm

Develop ideas and create projects you imagine! Work in the medium of your choice: drawing, sculpture, painting or collage. An open studio setting without a structured curriculum and formal instruction. Students are encouraged with guidance on an individual basis. Access to supplies and materials are included. Register for whole term or drop-in! Note: priority to class is given to students who register for the full term. Drop-in's only available with a minimum number enrolled in the full term.

10-weeks: EAC Member \$215 / EAC Non-member \$235 or \$25 per drop-in session

4327, 4328 5-WEEK

4327, 5-Week Beginning January 9 4328, 5-Week Beginning February 13 EXPLORATIONS IN CLAY: MAKER'S CHOICE! AGES 5-9 Amber Frances Johnson Thursday 4:15-5:45pm

Together we'll learn the basics to working with clay. Learn hand-building techniques to make mugs, musical instruments, and more! Bring your imaginations when we work with slabs and coils to make them into magical landscapes, and create sculptures to live in them. We'll create stamps, and learn how to add textures to our creations. Returning students can continue on projects and create new ones! EAC Member \$145 / Non-member \$165

4038 10-WEEK MULTIMEDIA JEWELRY AGES 9-14

Stephanie Brohman Thursday 4:15-6:15pm

Do you have a passion for jewelry and want to create your own bling? Discover unique techniques to make your own one-of-a kind pieces of jewelry, using techniques such as stamping, etching, resin and beading.

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

4007 10-WEEK

DRAWING AGES 9-13 Cheryl Steiger

Thursday 4:15-6:15pm Begin to learn drawing fundamentals, such as line, shape, form and composi

such as line, shape, form and composition. Explore different materials and techniques drawing from observation and imagination. Those returning can work on individual projects with guidance.

EAC Member \$215 / Non-member \$235

4718, 4719 4-WEEK 4718 4-Week Beginning January 16 4719 4-Week Beginning February 13 ART & TECHNOLOGY: INTERACTIVE ART WITH LASER CUTTING AND ENGRAVING AGES 9-15 Jiagi Zhang

Thursday 4:15-6:15pm

Learn about the advanced ability of our laser cutter and engraver to bring your intricate ideas to life. Explore layering and interlocking techniques to create kinetic, mechanical and interactive art. Combine electronics like LED lights, motors, sensors, and solar panels to explore the possibilities of art and technology. Materials are provided. EAC Member \$130 / Non-member \$150

4005 10-WEEK

CREATE YOUR GRAPHIC NOVEL AGES 12-16 Alex Dahm Thursday 4:15-6:15pm

Create your own comic book from start to finish. Learn all the techniques professional cartoonists use to make the graphic novels you love to read. Explore world building, character design, panel layout, inking, and cover design. You will bring your story to life, and complete issue #1 of your own graphic novel!

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

4191 10-WEEK

TEEN PAINTING AND DRAWING AGES 13-17 Kathy Cunningham Thursday 4:15-6:15pm

Explore drawing and painting, and learn skills such as perspective, composition, lighting, and color theory. Painting includes watercolor and acrylic. Drawing media includes graphite, pen and ink, scratchboard and clayboard with inks. EAC Member \$215 / Non-member \$235

FRIDAY

4705, 4706 5-WEEK 4705 5-Week Beginning January 10

4705 5-Week Beginning January 10 4706 5-Week Beginning February 14 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY AGES 10-16 Jess Leonard Friday 4:15-6:15pm

Experiment with expanding your visual language! Through photography prompts and exercises, students will explore concepts of perspective, composition, and photographic "rules" (and when to break them.) We will then explore Adobe Photoshop to edit and enhance their photographs and print a selection of images with EAC's inkjet printers. If you have a DSLR camera and hard-drive or large thumb drive please bring to class. EAC Member \$145 / Non-member \$165

4008 10-WEEK

EXPLORATIONS IN SCULPTURE AGES 6-10 Georgia Braun Friday 4:15-5:45pm

Design and build one-of-a-kind sculptures in a variety of media ranging from carving into sandstone-like material, creating kinetic sculpture, working with wax, and so much more! We will incorporate other materials, including found objects, into other imaginative 3D projects. We will study sculptors, famous and local artists, and nature for ideas and inspiration.

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

SATURDAY

4311 10-WEEK

CONTEMPORARY PAINTING AGES 12-17 Chris Thomas Saturday 10am-2pm

In this studio-based class, get introduced to contemporary artists and their techniques, like German abstract painter Gerhard Richter, and then try them yourself! Paint collaboratively, use emulsion transfers and create a stencil for use with spray paint as an introduction to street art.

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

SUNDAY

4213 10-WEEK

ART EXPLORERS AGES 5-9 Roberta Miles

Sunday 10am-12pm

Explore color, working with a variety of media including drawing, painting, sculpture and assemblage. Gain confidence while creating beautiful works of art.

EAC Member \$275 / Non-member \$295

4014 10-WEEK

YOUTH INTRODUCTION TO CERAMICS AGES 13-17 Mollie Morris

Sunday 1-3:30pm

Learn the basics using both the wheel and hand building techniques. Wheel techniques will begin with simpler forms including a cylinder, bowl and plate leading into more in-depth processes. Hand building will include, pinch pots, coil and slab. Start with the basics, and you will receive direction and encouragement to expand on areas of your own interest.

EAC Member \$335 / Non-member \$355

WINTER BREAK CAMP

Use your imagination and creativity this winter break to bring out the artist in you!

WHAT TO BRING:

- Reusable, labeled water bottle
- Nut-free snacks
- Epi-pens or other
- medications
- Come to camp dressed for mess!
-] No need to bring art supplies. We'll provide everything!
- Bring (or be prepared to sign) an emergency contact form

LUNCH

For all-day camps, students bring their own nut-free lunch.

*If you'd like to register your child for a morning and an afternoon session, a 30-minute supervised lunch break is included at no extra charge.

EXTENDED STAY ARRANGEMENTS

If you cannot pick up your child until 4:30 p.m., they can stay with a Teaching Assistant and continue to work on their projects started earlier in the day. \$15 per day. Advance notice is required – please contact cgunther@evanstonartcenter.org or call 847-475-5300 ext. 108.

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES ARE WELCOME!

EAC welcomes all students with disabilities to join our classes! EAC is wheelchair-accessible with power-assist doors, an accessible restroom, and an elevator. If your child requires any accommodation to fully participate in the camp, please contact Christena Gunther cgunther@evanstonartcenter.org or 847-475-5300 ext. 108 with as much advance notice as possible. To ensure the best experience possible, we appreciate your sharing as much information about your child as you feel comfortable.



THURSDAY, JANUARY 2 FRIDAY, JANUARY 3



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WARM UP AT THE **RAINFOREST FOR AGES 4-8**

This January, our younger campers explore the theme of the rainforest-receiving inspiration for works of art from the creatures and plants that call the rainforest home.

4630

VISUAL ARTS CAMP: **AGES 4-5 Tanea Crawford** 9am-12pm

Our youngest campers will have early exposure to artistic materials and youth craft projects to become familiar with the foundations of early childhood art making. For our rainforest theme, we'll create tree frogs, toucan collage drawings, raindrop suncatchers, and watercolor "rain" paintings and more. These projects will help build fine motor-skills while allowing space for material exploration and play.

EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

4631 **MIXED MEDIA CAMP:** AGES 6-8* **Emily Culbert** 9am-12pm

Our rainforest-inspired projects will build upon existing art making skills while working with a variety of artistic media, including painting, sculpture and assemblage. Create a jungle painting, and animal assemblage sculpture, and

vine "stained glass" for your window at home. Experiment, discover, and create! EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

4632 **EXPLORING CLAY: AGES 6-8*** Amber Frances Johnson 12:30-3:30pm

Learn hand-building techniques as you pinch, coil, and mold projects inspired by the rainforest. Some ceramic projects include a jungle relief sculpture, tree frog, and a planter to help our green friends grow. EAC Member \$125 / Non-member \$145

ART CAMPS FOR **AGES 9-18**

4633 **CERAMICS CENTRAL:** AGES 9-13* **Amber Frances Johnson** 9am-12pm

Explore the possibilities of working in clay using different hand-building techniques, such as pinch, slab and coil. Design a pinchpot for succulents, design and build a box that tells a story, or create some gifts for friends and family. . the possibilities are endless once you learn the basics!

EAC Member \$125 / Non-member \$145

4635

CREATE A SHORT GRAPHIC NOVEL: AGES 9-13* Alex Dahm 12:30 - 3:30pm

Create your own short comic book. Learn some techniques professional cartoonists use to make the graphic novels you love to read. Explore character design, panel layout, and inking to bring your story to life! EAC Member \$120 / Non-member \$140

4636

HIGH SCHOOL PAINTING INTENSIVE: AGES 14-18 Angela Schlaud 9:30am-3:30pm

Designed to enhance your ability to render objects and the figure through wet media. Learn new techniques and strengthen existing ones - most importantly, understand how to build concepts and think like an artist. Ideal for AP art students or others serious in pursuing art with the goal of developing a portfolio.

EAC Member \$230 / Non-member \$250

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Captains of Industry, Marshall Svendsen, 2019

Offsite EAC Studio Exhibition: Painting and Drawing Dept. at the Lorraine H. Morton Civic Center (Image by Ashleigh Pastor)

UPCOMING EVENTS, EXHIBITIONS & PROGRAMS



Desmond Beach: Color Me This (Installation Image by Ashleigh Pastor)

EAC FACULTY EXHIBITION* January 11 - February 15, 2020

A school is only as good as its faculty. At the Evanston Art Center, our outstanding teaching artists make all the difference. Through their professionalism, passion and capacity to share artistic knowledge, they continue to inspire the community and the students they teach. Our instructors are highly skilled practicing artists who help student artists at all levels define and achieve specific goals. This exhibition will showcase our faculty's most recent artwork.

LOYOLA ACADEMY AP SHOW

February 20 - 23, 2020

The EAC is excited to host Loyola Academy's AP and Honors art students in our galleries for the eighth year! The Loyola Academy students work together to curate, install, and publicize the event, as well as speak publicly about their artwork and inspirations. The beautifully executed artwork offers audiences a window into what is on the minds of our younger artists.

ELEANOR SPIESS-FERRIS RETROSPECTIVE

Curated by Doug Stapleton February 29 - March 29, 2020

Eleanor Spiess-Ferris (b. 1941) is an American symbolist painter cited as a significant surrealist, narrative figurative and feminist artist. This exhibition of over 40 years of painting and drawing by Chicago artist Spiess-Ferris traces the development of her distinctive figures across her career and compares studies and sketches with final works. Spiess-Ferris's figures are narrative bodies, telling stories of personal, spiritual and environmental crises.

SUSAN BEINER* March 28 - May 3, 2020

Using materials that go through an industrial process such as plastics, rubber and foam, Susan Beiner questions how human creations and technology mold our perceptions of the world. Beiner's most recent work displays a shift to a more sculptural attitude, concerned with making what is organic into synthetic. *Read more on p.23*!

SUSAN SMITH TREES* March 28 - May 3, 2020

Susan Smith Trees has exhibited throughout the United States for the past 20 years. She has won numerous awards including the Chicago Artists Program Grant from the Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and commissions from the Open Lands Association of Lake Forest, IL. Her career has involved working in multiple materials including thermoplastic, polyurethene, bronze, resin and found materials.

> GALLERIES ARE FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. CONTACT US FOR GROUP TOURS!



* Exhibition funding provided by the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency, and the EAC's general membership.

STUDIO EXHIBITIONS

The ongoing Studio Exhibition series highlights the variety of exceptional artwork made in our EAC classrooms by featuring student work in our galleries. Each Studio Exhibition is coordinated by the instructor, who curates contemporary and thought-provoking exhibitions of their students' artwork.

FIGURE SCULPTURE DEPARTMENT*

January 11 - February 9, 2020 In the Figure Sculpture Department, students of all backgrounds, from novice to professional artist, share the creative experience of figure sculpting. Whether inspired by life models, or drawn to abstract or organic form, students explore the medium in a supportive and instructive environment.

STUDENTS OF NINA WEISS* January 18 - February 9, 2020

The Evanston Art Center Painting and Drawing department presents a studio exhibition featuring artwork by students of Nina Weiss in her classes "The Art of Perception," "Travel Sketch" and "Painting Studio: Color Exploration."

STUDENTS OF MICHELLE KOGAN*

February 15 - March 15, 2020

The Evanston Art Center Painting and Drawing department presents a studio exhibition featuring artwork by students of Michelle Kogan in her classes "Watercolors: Materials, Composition and Technique," "Oil Painting Studio: Still Life & Figure," "Children's Picture Book Illustration," "Pen & Ink & Watercolor" and "Figures and Nature Drawing / Painting."

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SEE FULL POLICIES ONLINE: WWW.EVANSTONARTCENTER.ORG/ POLICIES

OUR GOAL IS TO MAKE OUR ART PROGRAMMING ACCESSIBLE TO ALL. SEE PAGE 2 ABOUT FINANCIAL AID OPPORTUNITIES.

ACCESSIBILITY FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

The Evanston Art Center is dedicated to making arts accessible to everyone. **Building Accessibility:** Our building is accessible to wheelchair-users and those who need to avoid stairs with power-assist doors, an elevator and accessible restrooms. **Course Accessibility:** We invite students with disabilities to reach out to us in advance. Contact Director of Education Christena Gunther via email cgunther@ evanstonartcenter.org or phone at 847-475-5300 ext. 108 to learn more about a particular class, or to request an accommodation.

CLASS DISCOUNTS

Refer a friend (first-time student) to EAC classes and receive a 20% discount off the price of one class. EAC Director of IT & Administration must be alerted when you are introducing a student to EAC classes at the time of registration to receive the discount.

REFUNDS

See schedule below. Students are responsible for notifying the EAC staff that they wish to drop a class; not attending class does not constitute an official withdrawal from courses or cancellation of tuition or fees. Notifying your teacher does not constitute an official withdrawal - you must notify the EAC Director of IT & Administration or Director of Education. There is no reduced or prorated tuition. There are no refunds or makeup classes for classes students miss. There are no exceptions to the EAC refund policy. Membership is nonrefundable.

CLASS CANCELLATIONS

Classes are cancelled when enrollment minimums are not reached. EAC encourages students to register early. Classes that do not meet enrollment minimums are cancelled three days before the first class, and students are notified by telephone and email. Full tuition will be refunded within three weeks. The Art Center reserves the right to change instructors, class structure, or to discontinue any class without incurring obligations. If a student is unable to attend a class period for any reason, the Art Center is not responsible for providing any make-up. Not attending class does not constitute an official drop or withdrawal from courses or can- cellation of tuition or fees.

MISSED CLASSES

A Make-Up Week is scheduled at the end of each term in the event a class session is cancelled by the EAC or the instructor. Make-Up Week is considered part of the term, and no refunds will be given for unattended scheduled classes during this week. There are no refunds, credits or make-ups for any other class sessions that were held as scheduled and missed by the student (i.e., student "no-show").

CODE OF CONDUCT

To provide students, members, visitors and staff with a safe and supportive educational environment, the Evanston Art Center has adopted a Code of Conduct, printed on the reverse of your enrollment confirmation. Copies of the Code of Conduct are also available through the EAC Registrar or Director of Education. The Art Center reserves the right to refuse to retain any student in any course at any time without incurring obligations.

PERMISSION TO PHOTOGRAPH

The Evanston Art Center retains the right to photograph any class, work, student or event and reproduce the images at its discretion without incurring obligations.

REFUND SCHEDULE	Dropped 7 or more days before first session*	Dropped between 6 days before the first session and the first working day after first session*	Dropped after the first working day after the first session*
ADULT AND YFA CLASSES	Tuition refunded minus \$50 pro- cessing fee**	Tuition is refunded minus a pro- cessing fee equal to 50% of the tuition	NO REFUND OR CREDIT
WORKSHOPS \$100 OR	Tuition refunded minus \$50 pro-	NO REFUND OR CREDIT	NO REFUND OR
MORE	cessing fee**		CREDIT
WORKSHOPS UNDER	Tuition refunded minus \$25 pro-	NO REFUND OR CREDIT	NO REFUND OR
\$100	cessing fee**		CREDIT

**To avoid paying the processing fee, students may elect to receive a full tuition credit for classes or workshops dropped seven days or more BEFORE the first session. Tuition credit will have an expiration date of one year from the date the class or workshop was dropped and must be used in full for EAC class and/or workshop tuition. After the credit is redeemed, no further refund options will be available.

Tuition credits are not redeemable for cash under any circumstances. Tuition credits may be transferred to another individual only with written notice.

MEMBERSHIP LEVEL:	□ EAC STUDENT \$45 □ FAMILY \$60	□ SENIOR / YFA \$35 □ INDIVIDUAL \$50	

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Cell Phone		Email Address	
(If Child) Age	Date of Birth	Sex	School

Parent's Name

Name

Name, Phone of Emergency Contact

Please check your age 🗆 18 - 30 🗅 31 - 40 🗅 41 - 50 🗅 51 - 60 🗅 61 - 70 🗅 71 - 80 🗅 81 - 90 🗅 91 +

PLEASE LIST YOUR CLASS(ES) BELOW, ALONG WITH ANY SECOND CHOICE(S) YOU MAY HAVE. ADDITIONAL CLASSES MAY BE LISTED ON ANOTHER REGISTRATION FORM.

	Code	Class Title	Day	Time	Fee
First Choice					
Second Choice					
First Choice					
Second Choice					
First Choice					
Second Choice					

INTRODUCE A FRIEND (FIRST TIME STUDENT) TO EAC CLASSES AND RECEIVE A 20% DISCOUNT. SEE PREVIOUS PAGE FOR DETAILS:

(PRINT NAME)

I was referred to the EAC by _____

(current EAC student)

I am referring _____

(PRINT NAME)

_____ (first-time student) to the EAC

_____ TOTAL CLASS TUITION ___

PAYMENT

□ CASH □ CHECK □ CREDIT CARD (VISA/MASTERCARD/DISCOVER)

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: EVANSTON ART CENTER

CARD #

EXPIRATION DATE

NAME ____

YES, I'D LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL AID FUND!

YES, I'D LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE EAC OUTREACH FUND! ____

Total Amount

MEMBERSHIP _____

PLEASE READ AND SIGN BELOW.

LIABILITY WAIVER: I have read and understand the registration and refund policies of the Evanston Art Center. Tuition is refundable, minus a processing fee for each class or workshop dropped: ADULTYFA CLASSES - only if EAC registrar is notified by or on the next working day after the first class has met; WORKSHOPS - only if EAC registrar is notified one week before the first session has met. I fully agree to and accept all EAC school policies as outlined in the current catalog and recognize EAC's right to refuse to retain any student in any course at any time without incurring obligations. I know that membership is non-refundable and that there are no exceptions to EAC policies. I hereby accept and assume all risk for any harm, injury or damages that may befall me, foreseen or unforeseen, as a result of my participation in workshops and classes at the Evanston Art Center. I authorize the Evanston Art Center to seek medical assistance on my behalf if necessary.

SIGNATURE

If you are registering a child; a parent or guardian must sign.







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FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS AND PAYMENT PLANS

EAC is dedicated to making visual art accessible to everyone. Need-based scholarships are available and can be applied to classes and workshops. Visit our website or front desk for financial aid applications.

Please complete the application and return with your class registration, preferably 2 weeks before the start of class. Payment plans are also available. For more information, please call 847-475-5300.

The Evanston Art Center is looking for **Board of Trustee Members!**

After serving the community for 90 years, the Evanston Art Center is entering a new and exciting stage of growth in our 1717 Central Street building and location. As a result, we are expanding our Board of Trustees to better encompass the skills and expertise that will be necessary to successfully navigate this strategic next step.

The Board of Trustees currently has specific needs for fundraising experience and legal expertise. If you are interested in making a difference in the community through a board position for the Evanston Art Center, contact our President & CEO, Paula Danoff at pdanoff@ evanstonartcenter.org or 847-475-5300, ext. 109.