

BRODSKY CENTER

Announces Summer Workshops

Start the summer early! Come enjoy our beautiful state-of-the-art studios for a workshop and learn a new process with an expert to guide you! The Brodsky Center is a professional print and paper studio at Rutgers University. During the academic year, we collaborate with contemporary artists to produce new and innovative editions. During the summer we open our studio doors to you!

PRINTMAKING

Silkscreen 101

Saturday & Sunday, June 6-7 10-4 pm

Instructor: Kristyna Comer, Course Fee: \$225 Material fee: \$50

Learn the basics of water-based silkscreen utilizing photosensitive emulsion, monoprint techniques and stencils to create your own unique editions of prints. We will tour the Brodsky Center archives for inspiration. During this course, each student will learn the essentials of setting up, color mixing, registration and printing techniques. All levels of experience welcome! Ink, emulsion, and a selection of paper will be provided.

Silkscreen=T-shirts

Saturday and Sunday, June 20-21 10-4 pm

Instructor: Kristyna Comer, Course fee: \$225 Material fee: \$50

Reinvent your closet! Come learn the basics of silkscreen and print on your favorite blank t-shirt at the same time. The course will provide an introduction to silkscreen with a focus on printing an image on t-shirts. Ink, emulsion, and a selection of paper will be provided.

Learn Photogravure in Two Weekends

Saturday and Sunday July 18 & 19 ; July 25 & 26 10-5 pm

Instructor: Randy Hemminghaus, Course fee: \$400

Come and learn the technique of photogravure, a true continuous tone photographic etching process developed in the 19th century. The class will develop etching plates from silver based photo-positives, digital-positives as well as direct hand drawn positives. The resultant copper etching plates will then be printed in the traditional intaglio manner, producing a black and white image with a beautiful rich range of tonalities.

SPECIAL TOPICS

Design & Make Your Own Bridal Bouquet

Saturday and Sunday, June 13 – 14, 2009 10-4 pm

Instructor: Sandra Sewing, Course Fee: \$225 Material Fee: \$65

Getting married and thinking about cutting costs? Do your own flowers! In this two-day course, a floral expert will teach you basic floral design and bouquet assembly, arrangements perfect for bridal parties and celebrations. English Tear Drop, Arm, and Round arrangements will be covered along with floral care to make your creations last. Bring a sharp paring knife, garden shears, and a five gallon bucket; leave with your new floral masterpiece.

PAPERMAKING

The Alchemy of Papermaking

Saturday and Sunday, May 30-31, 2009 10-4 pm

Instructor: Lisa Switalski, Course fee: \$225

Go beyond the store-bought and explore the possibilities of paper by making your own! In this two-day workshop, we will cover the basics of western style sheet formation and learn a multitude of techniques including the use of stencils, pulp paint, embedding, embossing, exploiting the qualities of cotton and abaca fibers to their best advantage. All levels are welcome; papermaking at home will be covered. Papermaking involves lots of water; bring your boots!

Plants into Paper

Saturday and Sunday, June 20-21, 2009 10-4 pm

Instructor: Lisa Switalski, Course fee: \$225

Transform your blue jeans into beautiful blue sheets of paper. Fold them up and tuck them into handmade envelopes created from old T-shirts. Turn your weeds into beautiful stationery, and vegetable slices into luminescent sheets of papyrus. Take home a charming sample book full of sheets and personalized stationery!

Quick and Dirty Book Arts, A One Day Workshop

Saturday, June 27, 10-4 pm

Instructor: Lisa Switalski, Course fee: \$150

Learn how to use the simplest of tools to experience the thrill of making your own books. We will start with "instant" books, the secrets of making perfect accordion folds, and how to measure without using a ruler (for those who are number averse). Next we will explore some quick "printing" methods, stamping, xerox and aromatic beeswax transfers. Bring in some xeroxes to work with, any handmade or other papers you have been hoarding, or better yet, take a papermaking workshop and bring in your stack!

Papermaking Fun, One Day Workshops for Kids

Thursday June 25, 6-8 year olds 10-3 pm

Friday June 26, 9-12 year olds 10-3 pm

Instructor: Sandra Sewing, Course fee: \$150

Come cool off in the wet papermaking studio and make your own paper art! We will learn the basics of papermaking, layer shapes onto wet sheets, and use colored paper pulp as paint. Decorate your own note cards and envelopes to take home. Bring a brown bag lunch and waterproof boots! (no flip flops)

REGISTRATION FORM

Enrollment is limited! Register now for the Brodsky Center classes. Please fill out the form below and mail/fax/email it to the Brodsky Center. Pay by credit card on form below or make checks payable to Rutgers University and mail to: Summer Workshops, Brodsky Center, 33 Livingston Ave., New Brunswick, NJ 08901. Email: info@brodskycenter.org. Fax: 732.932.2020
You can also call us at 732.932.2222 ext. 838

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