

DSGN 2661 - Design + Print 1

Fall 2026 Syllabus, Section A03, CRN 44229,

Credit hours: 3

Instructor

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Public Instructor Information

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Course Description

2661. This course will explore the foundational principles of graphic design, focusing on the dynamic relationship between type and image. Students will learn to effectively create visually compelling designs by integrating typography and imagery. Prereq.: C or better in DSGN 2660 or permission of instructor. 3 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
No Readings			

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Design + Print 1 Course Schedule

Week of	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
10/19	N/A	Introduce Project 1 / Type Portrait	Monday: Course Overview / Introduce Project 1 Wednesday: Project 1 portrait subject due (peer review) Thursday: Video Discussion or Quiz
10/26	N/A	Work on and complete Project 1 / Type Portrait	Monday: Project 1 Visual Review Wednesday: Video Discussion or Quiz Thursday: Project 1 Progress Critique
11/2	N/A	Introduce and work on Project 2 / Travel Postcards	Monday: Project 1 Due / Introduce Project 2 Wednesday: Project 2 Sketches Due Thursday: Video Discussion Sunday: Project 2 Visual Review
11/9	N/A	Continue working on and complete Project 2	Wednesday: Project 2 Progress Critique Thursday: Video Discussion or Quiz Sunday: Project 2 Due

11/16	N/A	Introduce and work on Project 3 / US Currency Design	Monday: Introduce Project 3 Tuesday: Project 3 Sketches Due Thursday: Video Discussion or Quiz Friday: Project 3 Visual Review
11/23	N/A	Continue working on Project 3	Tuesday: Project 3 Progress Critique THANKSGIVING BREAK
11/30	N/A	Complete Project 3 / US Currency Design	Tuesday: Video Discussion Post / Videos about the Graphic Design Profession Thursday: Project 3 DUE

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