

A pre-college portfolio development program

2010



Drawing

Photography

Portfolio Development

Figure Drawing

Painting

Sculpture

Summer Art Intensive

June 28th – August 6th
Ages 14–19 at
Steel Plant Studios on
Marist College

Junior Art Intensive

July 5th – August 6th
Ages 11–14 at
Poughkeepsie
Day School

The Program

This art immersion program is designed for motivated, artistically and career-minded teens ages 14 – 19 to help develop their ideas and build skills in the visual arts. We believe that every student should be given a firm foundation to build upon. Therefore, we explore the depth of shape, color, line, texture, space and movement as well as the importance of conceptualism to help students develop scholarship-level portfolios.

Art Institute & Junior Art Institute Staff

All Instructors are professional visual and media artists who teach from a mentor position — encouraging students to build their skills while becoming well-rounded and diversified in the visual arts. They also include illustrators, photographers and exhibiting visual artists. Some artists appear in national publications and are affiliated with professional organizations that focus on arts and education.

In the last 8 years
our graduates have received
offers of more than
\$14,000,000
in merit based
scholarships to college.



Our Success Speaks For Itself

Our students have been accepted to the top schools in the nation, taking scholarships to, Pratt Institute, Carnegie Mellon, Maryland Institute College of Art, Fashion Institute of Technology, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rhode Island School of Design, Savannah College of Art & Design, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, School of Visual Arts, Columbus College of Art & Design & more. Most of our students improve their GPA by half a point the first year in the program, while becoming more involved in extra-curricular activities and community service. They score higher on their SAT's and have participated in group as well as solo exhibits. The Art Institute has the only non-high school affiliated chapter of the National Art Honor Society, Chapter #2242, in the nation.



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The Summer Art Intensive of the Art Institute is located in the **Steel Plant Studios, Gallery, and Photo Lab at Marist College** in Poughkeepsie off Route 9. There are beautifully landscaped areas, historic buildings and views of the majestic Hudson River that serve as inspiration. The Summer Intensive utilizes many studios including sculpture, a fully equipped darkroom, professional exhibit areas, dorms, and the expansive grounds and facilities.

▶ Students may choose to enroll in our enrichment courses: **Figure Drawing and Painting, Mon.–Thurs., 5:30-8:30pm.** Contact our office for details.



▶ Summer Intensive Residential Program

Enjoy the same great Summer Intensive program but with an added twist. Each participant will be enrolled in extended evening studio courses, special activities, and excursions while living in the dorms on campus at Marist College.

Meals included. Sunday, July 11 – Friday, July 23

Open House

Thurs., May 20th, 4:00 — 7:00
Steel Plant Studios on Marist College's Campus

Sat., June 12th, 10:00 — 1:00
Steel Plant Studios on Marist College's Campus

Concentrations

Advanced Drawing & Painting

9:00 – 12:30 Adv. Drawing & Painting • lunch • 1 – 2:45 Photography • 2:50 – 4:30 Drawing II

Students will explore representational, abstract, and conceptual sensibilities. This **CONCENTRATION** uses a wide range of media from charcoal and pastel on paper; water-color and ink painting, mixed media and collage, and acrylic paint on canvas. Students learn to hone their skills of self-expression into personal statements and powerful works of art while developing their portfolios and entering into critiques and dialogues. **Students wishing to concentrate in Advanced Drawing & Painting are required to schedule an appointment with our director prior to enrollment. To set an appointment, call 845-471-7477.**

Drawing & Painting

9:00 – 12:30 Drawing & Painting • lunch • 1 – 2:45 Media • 2:50 – 4:30 Photography

An advanced foundation course which explores the principles of art & 2D design. Students will work from a variety of live references while exploring observational based representational and abstract forms as they develop higher level skills. In addition students will discover new drawing techniques and painting methods. This **CONCENTRATION** begins to prepare students for advanced study as they pursue portfolio development for college admission.

Photography

9:00 – 12:30 Photography • lunch • 1 – 2:45 Drawing II • 2:50 – 4:30 Media

Students explore photography as a medium for creative expression in our fully equipped darkroom and on our landscaped grounds. The emphasis will be on seeing – what is visually significant – and craftsmanship – mastering particular photographic techniques in order to create dynamic photographs. Students explore how a camera works, film processing, innovative techniques, and black-and-white printing. This **CONCENTRATION** gives students direct and practical experience while gaining an understanding of the wonders of photography.



Year-round (In Poughkeepsie, & Red Hook)

Portfolio Development I-IV

Each course helps the student to develop a solid portfolio and to understand the requirements of the best schools. Students learn how a professional artist creates and develops ideas and will begin to explore representational, and conceptual sensibilities.

Photography I & II

These courses emphasize composition through the art of seeing, with the accent on creative expression. Fine art black and white photography, darkroom techniques, printing skills, and experimentation are explored in studio and outdoors. 35mm cameras and materials are provided.

Figure Drawing & Painting

We will cover basic human anatomy, gesture drawing, figure proportions, portraits, and long term poses using a variety of materials and techniques. Students will work from a live model and will explore composition through the human form, observation, and discussion.

Portraiture

Beginning and intermediate students will learn how to create portraits and self-portraits using a variety of media and approaches. Realism, self expression, anatomical proportions, form and planer studies are explored as students study portrait composition.

Sculpture & Welding

This course will explore the fundamentals of classical sculpture through various materials and study of 3 dimensional form. Skill building, techniques, art in the round, and mastery of media will be stressed while students study the works of master artists.

Drawing and Painting

Explore and expand understanding of spatial relationships, design, composition, form and value. We will incorporate vocabulary and art history while concentrating on skill development using charcoal, inks, pastels and acrylics, and translate our knowledge into expressive drawings and paintings.

ADDITIONAL SUMMER PROGRAMS

- **Dutchess Arts Camp in Poughkeepsie, Millbrook, & Red Hook**
(July 5th – August 6th • ages 4 – 14)

Call 845.471.7477 or visit www.millstreetloft.org for a brochure



July 5th — Aug 6th Junior

Junior Art Institute

– for youth ages 11-14 in the studios at Poughkeepsie Day School. This innovative program for motivated students will focus on developing skills in drawing and painting designed to help aspiring artists better prepare for intensive visual arts instruction in high school and beyond. **Parents are invited each Friday afternoon at 3:30pm for arts sharing and exhibition.**

We believe that every student should be given a firm foundation to build upon. Therefore, we explore the depth of shape, color, line, texture, space and movement as well as the importance of conceptualism. Students are encouraged to build their skills while becoming well-rounded and diversified in the visual arts. The program is developed by Todd Poteet, Director of the Art Institute of Mill Street Loft and instructed by a team of professional artist / educators.



Drawing & Painting

9:00 – 12:30 Drawing & Painting Techniques • lunch • 1:30 – 4:30 Drawing & Painting Focus

An advanced foundation course which will explore the principles of art & 2D design. Students will work from landscape, still life, and the self, while exploring representational and abstract forms as they develop a higher level of skills. In addition, students may explore new techniques and methods in drawing, painting, collage and printmaking.

Visit our campus and register at our Open Houses

Saturday	April 24th	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Tuesday	May 11th	4:00 am – 7:00 pm
Saturday	June 5th	10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Registration

Art Institute Summer Intensive

2 Week Sessions, 9:00am – 4:30pm

- Session 1 June 28 – July 9 \$795
- Session 2 July 12 – July 23 \$795
- Residential July 11 – July 23 \$1600
- Session 3 July 26 – Aug 6 \$795
- Early Arrival: 7:30–8:30am \$10.00/day
- Late Departure: 5–6:00pm \$10.00/day

Junior Art Institute

1 Week Sessions, 9:00am – 4:30pm

- Session 1 July 5 – July 9 \$350
- Session 2 July 12 – July 16 \$350
- Session 3 July 19 – July 23 \$350
- Session 4 July 26 – July 30 \$350
- Session 5 Aug 2 – Aug 6 \$350
- Early Arrival: 7:30–8:30am \$10.00/day
- Late Departure: 5–6:00pm \$10.00/day

Student Name	1st choice for CONCENTRATION	DOB
School	Grade Entering	<input type="radio"/> M / <input type="radio"/> F
Parent/s	Address	
City	Zip	Email
Home Phone	Work Phone	Employer
Emergency Contact	Work Phone	Home Phone
Child's Physician	Phone	

Address

Medical Conditions:

Total Tuition Due \$

Early/Late fees \$

Deposit \$ 150.00 per session

Balance Due \$

Payment Accepted by: Check MC VISA

Card no.

Exp. date:

Signature:

All registrations require a non-refundable **\$150 deposit** for each session. All balances are due by June 18th. Registrations received after June 18th must be paid in full. Balances not paid by June 18th will be applied to your credit card. A *\$10 administrative fee per student will be charged for any registration changes*. No refunds after June 18th. **Make checks payable to: Mill Street Loft.** I have read and fully understand these terms.

Medical & Promotional Release

I give my permission in case of emergency for Mill Street Loft to "act on my behalf" to seek medical attention for my child.

Signature:

Furthermore, I give my permission for Mill Street Loft's Junior Art Institute to use photographs and/or video tapes of my child taken during camp activities for educational and/or promotional materials.

Signature:

A limited number of scholarships are available. For an application or info call 845.471.7477. This program is made possible in part with funds from the Community Foundation of DC, McCann Foundation and Surdna Foundation.

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www.millstreetloft.org



Become a Member

\$35.00 – Individual

- 10% discount at galleries & art supply stores
- Invitations to gallery openings and receptions
- Early Registration Privileges

\$75.00 – Family

- All of the above plus:
- Discounts on MSL art classes, plus \$25 discount on ONE week per child at Dutchess Arts Camp or the Institutes

\$125 – Contributing

- All of the above plus,
- Restaurant discounts
 - Discounts on art sightseeing trips plus \$25 discount on TWO weeks at Dutchess Arts Camp or Junior Art Institute or The Art Institute Summer Intensive

\$200 – Sustaining

- All of the above plus,
- One ticket to the Alumni Art Auction
 - Name in program for Alumni Art Auction and Friend of the Arts Awards

\$500 – Directors Circle

- All the above plus,
- Champagne reception preview before Alumni Art Auction

\$1,000 – Patron of the Arts

- All the above plus,
- 10% discount on art for purchase at Mill Street Loft events (Except Friend of the Arts Awards and Art Institute Alumni Auctions)

\$2,500 – Mill Street Loft Friend

- All the above plus,
- 10% discount on all art for purchase
 - Naming opportunity for one annual scholarship for Dutchess Arts Camp

Celebrating 30 years!

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