

Course Title:	Special Topic
Course Code:	ARDN718
Descriptor Start Date:	01/01/2021
POINTS:	15.00
LEVEL:	7
PREREQUISITE/S:	None
COREQUISITE/S:	None
RESTRICTION/S:	None

LEARNING HOURS

Hours may include lectures, tutorials, online forums, laboratories. Refer to your timetable and course information in Canvas for detailed information.

Total learning hours: 150

PRESCRIPTOR

Focuses on the negotiation and development of a project within the disciplines of Art or Design of either a theoretical or applied nature. The project will involve research, analysis, creative exploration, documentation, and will result in a resolved body of work.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. Negotiate and develop an appropriate project.
2. Explore, evaluate and apply concepts from a selected topic area to specific problem domains.
3. Apply appropriate art and design methods and processes appropriate to the project.
4. Communicate the outcomes of the project in an appropriate manner.

CONTENT

- Negotiation of content, processes and outcomes tailored specifically to individual student needs.
- An examination of concepts, methods, processes related to the selected area of study.
- Reflection on project outcomes and personal learning.

LEARNING & TEACHING STRATEGIES

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A pedagogical approach will place emphasis on student-centered learning through a varied number of supervisory and tutorial sessions. This paper may also include flexible teaching and learning strategies including the use of Canvas and other tools. This will include a combination of:

- Workshops
- Supervision tutorials
- Research and reading
- Research assignments
- Projects
- Discussion

ASSESSMENT PLAN

Assessment Event	Weighting %	Learning Outcomes
Studio and /or workshop assignments	100.00	1,2,3,4

Grade Map	MAP1
	A+ A A- Pass with Distinction
	B+ B B- Pass with Merit
	C+ C C- Pass
	D Fail

Overall requirement/s to pass the course:

Submit all summative assignments and obtain a minimum C- grade overall.

LEARNING RESOURCES

There is no prescribed text. Recommended reading lists will be provided.

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Principal Programme: AK3619, Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa

Related Programme/s: AK3352

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