

**NOVA COLLEGE-WIDE COURSE CONTENT SUMMARY  
ART 244 – WATERCOLOR II (3 CR.)**

**Course Description**

Presents abstract and representational painting in watercolor with emphasis on design, color, composition, technique and value. Lecture 1 hours. Studio instruction 3 hours. Total 4 hours per week.

**General Course Purpose**

To introduce the student to the materials, processes, and techniques of watercolor. The course is one of the second year electives in the Fine Arts transfer and AA degree program.

**Course Prerequisites/Corequisites**

Prerequisite: ART 243. Students must have basic watercolor skills and techniques.

**Course Objectives**

The student will continue to develop increasing skill in watercolor and work towards personal stylistic direction.

**Major Topics to be Included**

- a) Use of various experimental watercolor techniques.
- b) Development of more compositional stylistic images.
- c) Compilation of a portfolio of water colors.

**Extra Topics**

- a) Historical developments of watercolor.
- b) Mixed media techniques including watercolor.