

Drawing Reductive Charcoal - 32149 - 9FA 609M - 0

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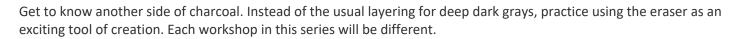
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Sa, 9:00am – 11:20am, Aug 20, 2021

Instructor: Kendra J Larson

Course Description:



Course Outline:

9:00 – 9:15	Introductions
9:15 – 9:35	Examples and Inspirations, Demo Video
9:35 – 10:00	Exercise: Small Reductive Hand, foot, and/or plant warm up drawings.
10:00 - 11:10	Exercise: Blurry Slide Drawing (each workshop has a different image)
11:10 - 11:20	Clean up and Final Farewell

Example Artists:

David Hockney: https://www.theguardian.com/artanddesign/2014/apr/18/david-hockney-yorkshire-spring-drawings

Kendra Larson: https://www.kendralarson.com/index.php/work/drawing2018

Notes:

- Visual Elements to consider line, shape, value, texture, and color
- Try to focus on the visual elements and avoid giving a label if you can suspend what you know about the subject, just for a bit.
- Composition the placement of elements in relation to one another AND in relation to the picture plane.
- The first shape in any composition Is the paper format itself.
- Principles of Design Balance, Unity and Variety, Emphasis, Rhythm, Scale and Proportion, Contrast
- Thumbnail sketches small, quick sketches done before a drawing to work through possible compositions.
- Avoid blending with fingers oil doesn't mix well with the charcoal
- Sighting once you have loosely sketched the gesture, use a straight edge to measure and adjust your drawing.
- Step back from your work every once in a while, this helps us see it in its entirety
- Use a blending rag, blending stub, or kneaded eraser to move the charcoal
- Follow the form if your marks wrap around the form, it will add more volume to your drawing.
- Light think about a single, decisive light source so that your shadows are simplified.



Links:

Frida Kahlo: https://youtu.be/wfbLR15Bh74

Charcoal Demo: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cc4jB3mOaJs

Charcoal Figure Drawing: https://youtu.be/884-g5Mi99g

Charcoal: https://www.metmuseum.org/about-the-met/curatorial-departments/drawings-and-prints/materials-and-

techniques/drawing/charcoal

ANA VIDOVIC - LIVE CONCERT: https://youtu.be/81EezGQwgZk

Google Slide Pres Link:

 $\underline{https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1yPjlgC6PH3m4yDEuXIT0DgvXBsjPBQphHWjf0bR7qR0/edit?usp=sharing}$

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