North Hennepin Community College

ART 1970: Graphic Design Internship Experience

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 1,2,3
Lecture Hours/Week: 0
Lab Hours/Week: 0
OJT Hours/Week: *.*
Prerequisites: None
Corequisites: None
MnTC Goals: None

This course facilitates an internship experience between a student, an engaged employer, and provides accountability for both to assess the status of an internship when it is happening. 50-150+ aggregate hours of dedicated, graphic design-specific work with an engaged employer to be completed within a reasonable time-line. Internships may begin and end during any month of the calendar year. Credits will correspond with the aggregate hours of work designated per internship: 50 hours of aggregate work = 1 credit, 100 hours of aggregate work = 2 credits, 150 or more hours of aggregate work = 3 credits. Participating employers must be substantial, preexisting organizations with an organizational purpose/need for graphic design work, and a work culture or mentorship potential that can offer appropriate duties to an intern. Each employer will by nature have differing specific circumstances.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 05/07/2015 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Students are vetted as appropriate candidates for employers interested to host interns. Once mutual agreement between student, employer & NHCC faculty exists to begin an internship, students experience the internship, adapting to respective employer circumstances and producing relevant graphic design content that benefits employer operations. This includes contact with faculty to assess the ongoing state of the internship for both student and employer.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

None

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted