Course Description

The course will provide an induction space where each student will clarify their individual sculpture aspirations and define their work programme. From the beginning of the first year, all students will be encouraged to use the Drawing Studio and its facilities. Drawing is a fundamental activity in the Visual Arts and all students are expected to have examined its relevance to their individual work.

As students engage their studio practice based on their research topics, they will account for their different options and choices both thematically and working processes. Sculpture as a language of identification and self expression will be explored and examined.

Course Outline

Week 1: Theoretical grounding.

Week 2 - 4: Collecting and analysing the different sculpture materials and possible

processes that may cohere with these materials.

Week 5: Assessment I

Week 6-9: Making studies/drawings and marquettes that respond to the proposed

areas of research. Discussion of the proposed sculptures within a

context for which they are intended.

Week 10 Assessment II

Week 11-14: Further exploration of the thematic and formal content.

Week 15: Assessment III

Learning Outcomes

Students would have developed a relationship between their research proposals and the studio work.

Mode of Delivery

Library research, individual studio experimentations, critiques, workshops, demonstrations

Mode of Assessment

Course work 40% End of semester examination 60%

Suggested Reading List

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- 15. Mount, Marshall, W 1989: African Art: The Years Since 1920. New York: Da Cap
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