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## Drawing the Figure – Shading Techniques for the Body and Clothing | Term Four, 2024

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Learn how to shade your figure drawing study to get a true and accurate representation of a three dimensional human form.

Having a strong grasp of how to draw the figure realistically, you can then choose to stylise it from a position of knowledge.

Starting from an understanding of the 3D form of the human figure we'll look at how to draw and accurately shade all parts - including eyes, hair, skin, lips etc.

A further focus will be on how to accurately draw and shade clothing – looking at different materials and how they drape over the figure.

Suitable for all levels.

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### Content

- \* Learn how to draw the figure with accurate shading, focusing on light and shade, and how this interacts with the figure
- \* Learn how to accurately draw eyes, hair, lips, skin, nails etc
- \* Learn how to draw a wide range of clothing types – how they fit around the figure
- \* Learn rendering techniques that will help you to draw common and exotic clothing material realistically

### Objectives

- \* Develop your understanding of the full 3D form of the figure and how to depict this with shading
- \* Explore and recognise how different clothing material interacts and moves with the figure
- \* Learn how to render different clothing materials

### Outcomes

- \* Improved observational drawing skills regarding the human figure
  - \* Improved observational drawing skills with clothing and other fabrics, and how these interact with the figure
- Level 4: Investigate - Creativity Project 1, Examine - Creativity Project 3  
Level 5: Challenge - Creativity Project 1, Synthesise - Creativity Project 2, Apply - Creativity Project 3  
Level 6: Initiate - Creativity Project 1

**Class Type:** Mains Class

**Tutor:** Alan Poole



Every Wednesday (21 Oct - 06 Dec)



9:30am - 4:30pm



Materials cost: Dependent on what materials are purchased from the materials list  
Casual Students: \$630.00 + material



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15 (Max number of students)

### Required Materials:

- \* Pencils - HB to 4B
- \* Eraser
- \* Visual Diary
- \* A2 Sketch Pad

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*You can purchase your art supplies from our Materials Shop online*

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