



# Fashion Design 2023 Courses, Preparation, & Supplies

## **Program Description:**

This dual-track course introduces the student to the 2D and 3D concepts of fashion. Exploring the design process through research and illustration as well as garment development techniques, students will acquire basic skills to create original design work. Portfolio development is emphasized, preparing students for the rigorous admissions process to fashion schools and universities.

## **Class Descriptions:**

### **2D Design (Susanna Moyer)**

The primary 2D objective of the course is for the student to learn how to create a fashion figure and design a Mix & Match collection. Focus will be placed on personal storytelling and global trends to create a mood board for collection inspiration.

#### **PREPARATION/MATERIALS:**

Students are encouraged to bring any existing work that they'd like to share on the first day of class.

Students are responsible for obtaining the supplies needed for the class:

- 11x14" All Purpose Paper Pad
- 11x14" Tracing Paper Pad
- HB, B, & 2B pencils
- Kneaded Eraser
- White Pencil for rendering dark colors
- Assorted art supplies of your choice for rendering (markers, colored pencils, any water-based paints such as gouache or watercolor, inks, or acrylic paint)
- Fine line tipped black markers in different thicknesses (We suggest Micron as a great brand for these, but any brand will do.)



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## 3D Design (Patrick Boylan)

For the 3D process, students will be introduced to the principles of draping and patternmaking for garment development. Working on a half scale dress form students will create fabric prototypes of their original designs that can be styled and photographed to enhance their 2D presentations.

### PREPARATION/MATERIALS:

A home sewing machine is not required but some students may wish to have one accessible to further their work beyond the program sessions.

### **Supplies to Acquire on Your Own**

Please note that some of these supplies are also required for Susanna Moyer's class - you can use these supplies for both classes.

- Half-scale Dress Form (\$88.00, plus shipping): Please order as soon as possible to have at the start of the program [Can be purchased on Amazon here.](#)
- Scissors
- # 2 pencils
- Pencil sharpener
- Eraser
- 11 x 17 white copy paper (tabloid size)

### **Supplies Provided in Supply Kit**

Students will order supply kits through ArtsBridge to ensure they have the specific supplies needed for the class. ArtsBridge will send an invoice for this kit (approximately \$100) and it will be shipped directly to you at the address you provided in your enrollment forms. The following supplies will be included in the kits and sent to students prior to the start of the program:

5yd cut of muslin  
18" clear ruler  
French curve  
Measuring tape  
Carbon paper

Tracing wheel  
Pins  
Sewing needles  
Seam ripper

2 spools of thread  
(black & white)  
Black style tape  
Patterns (specific to  
ArtsBridge)