

COURSE OUTLINE

ARTT-130

Introduction to Video I

3 Credits

HOWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Description

This course will include the basic skills of video: direction, camera techniques, lighting and sound techniques, and editing techniques. The emphasis will be on producing short video segments using television field production techniques and design principles. (4 hours weekly) NOTE: Also listed as TVRD-130.

Overall Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Use the cause and effect model to design their message.
2. Demonstrate proficient use of basic camera functions and elements.
3. Define and implement basic shot framing and composition.
4. Design and implement 3 point lighting.
5. Understand the use of microphones and basic audio recording techniques.
6. Demonstrate proficiency in basic editing in a digital environment.
7. Discuss the origins of Copyright Law.
8. Demonstrate an understanding of Intellectual Property/Copyright Law.

Major Topics

- I. Production planning and implementation
- II. Directing for the single camera
- III. Camera technology and techniques
- IV. Sound technology and techniques
- V. Lighting technology and techniques
- VI. Editing technology and techniques
- VII. Intellectual Property/Copyright Law

Course Requirements

Grading/exams: Grading procedures will be determined by the individual faculty member but will include two quizzes or exams and at least one creative lab activity.

Other Course Information

This course is an Arts and Sciences, Arts, and Humanities elective.