Bossier Parish Community College  
Master Syllabus

Course Prefix and Number:  COMM 163  
Course Title:  Techniques of the Masters  
Credit Hours:  3

Course Prerequisites:  COMM 160


Course Description:  This course will introduce influential masters of photography to the student. The purpose is to identify the qualities and techniques of the masters so that students may become inspired to photograph under their influence.

Learning Outcomes:  
At the end of this course, the student will be able to:

A. identify the techniques and impact of various photographic masters; 
B. apply the techniques of each master to their personal photographic images; and 
C. find inspiration in the works of other artists.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will:

1. produce five photographs showing their understanding of each Master’s technique as translated through five photography projects. (A,B)  
2. give an oral presentation to the class on an additional artist in whom the student has found inspiration. (A,C)

Course Requirements:  This course requires attendance, class participation, assignments, exams, and projects as determined by the instructor.

Course Grading Scale:  

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Attendance Policy:  The college attendance policy is available at [http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html](http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html)

Course Fees:  $45.00

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