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Cal Poly Continuing Ed Offers Charcoal Drawing Class Feb. 18-March 10

SAN LUIS OBISPO -- Express yourself using imagination and charcoal in a course offered this winter through Cal Poly Continuing Education. Beginning and intermediate artists can learn to release emotion and generate creative energy, while building on existing drawing skills in the four-session course entitled “Introduction to Charcoal.” The course will meet on Wednesdays from 6:10 p.m. - 9:10 p.m., from February 18 to March 10. The fee to attend is $125, and participants should budget an additional $25 for art supplies.

This course will help participants begin to visualize the world from an artist's perspective. Each participant will have the opportunity to create and use a value scale and will also learn how to build drama by manipulating various aspects of lighting. The emphasis of this course will revolve around each individual’s solid acquisition of artistic technical skills.

Course instructor, Dixie Cavigli, will use lectures, demonstrations, and hands-on exercises to teach invaluable art skills.

For more information on this or any other courses offered by CPCE, please visit www.continuing-ed.calpoly.edu or call 756-2053.

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