



Dundee Contemporary Arts

Course Information for MiScreen: Digital Desktop Screen Printing

Location: Print Studio, beside Jute Café Bar, Lower Ground level of DCA

Date: Wed evenings. Choose between starting Wed 6 April, Wed 25 May or Wed 22 June

Time: 18:00 – 20:30

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What will be covered?

- A brief tour of the Print Studio
- The basics of screen-printing
- The technique of pulling a screen print
- Making simple paper stencils to create an image
- An introduction to using the MiScreen equipment and how to transfer an image onto mesh to then screen print

What should I bring?

- Up to three photographic images that you want to use in your art work. It is preferable if these images are already digitally amended and greyscaled. These images will not be needed until week two of the course.
- The studio will also have stock images that you can also use for your prints.

What should I wear?

- Plastic aprons are provided but we'd recommend also wearing old clothes.
- Please note that open-toed shoes and sandals are **not** allowed.
- Bring warm items of clothing as Print Studio windows must remain open for ventilation due to Covid Health & Safety measures.

What Should I expect?

- The aim is to leave with a basic knowledge of screen-printing and the confidence to build on this and experiment. The main aim is to learn the skills and have fun! You will also learn how to combine these basic skills with using digitally created screens from which you can screen print with.
- You will create a number of screen printed 'montages' of layered colours and digital images.

Visiting Safely

- Face masks are encouraged but not mandatory.
- Please use the hand sanitiser provided, and wash your hands regularly.
- Don't visit if you aren't feeling well.