LEAP Courses

LEAP 200 Advocacy in the Visual and Performing Arts Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: The importance of the role of advocacy for the arts, issues of censorship, public funding, arts education, and artists’ advocacy through the arts.
Prerequisite: None.
Restriction: Must be a: Undergraduate.
Registration Information: Sections may be offered: Face-to-Face, Mixed Face-to-Face, or Online.
Term Offered: Fall.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.
Additional Information: Social & Behavioral Sciences 3C.

LEAP 220 Technology and the Arts in the 21st Century Credits: 3 (2-2-0)
Course Description: Utilizing technology to better serve arts creation, arts marketing and promotion.
Prerequisite: LEAP 200.
Registration Information: Music, Theatre, Dance or Art majors only.
Term Offered: Spring.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 300 Arts Outreach and Community Engagement Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: Research, development and production of arts outreach projects; team projects for community engagement.
Prerequisite: LEAP 220.
Registration Information: Required field trips.
Term Offered: Fall.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 310 Creative Industries Career Management Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: Trains individuals for careers in the arts and creative industries with skills in arts entrepreneurship, leadership, marketing, financial management, and project management.
Prerequisite: None.
Registration Information: Sophomore standing. Sections may be offered: Online.
Term Offered: Spring.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 482 South Africa: Arts Community Collaboration Credits: 3 (1-4-1)
Course Description: Research, development and production of international arts outreach projects; team project for community engagement.
Prerequisite: None.
Registration Information: Sophomore standing.
Term Offered: Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 482A Study Abroad: International Arts Collaboration in India Credits: 3 (0-0-3)
Course Description: Research, development and production of international arts outreach projects in India; develop and implement a team project for community engagement in India with emphasis on problem definition, research, collaboration, evaluation, and ethical implementation.
Prerequisite: None.
Registration Information: Sophomore standing. Written consent of instructor. Sections may be offered: Face-to-Face, Mixed Face-to-Face, or Online.
Terms Offered: Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 487 Internship Credits: Var[2-12] (0-0-0)
Course Description: In-field internship.
Prerequisite: None.
Registration Information: Must have concurrent registration in LEAP 492. Enrollment in LEAP minor, Music, Theatre, Dance or Art major; junior or senior standing.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 492 Internship Seminar Credit: 1 (0-0-1)
Course Description: Integration of and reflection on Field internship and workplace opportunities.
Prerequisite: LEAP 310.
Registration Information: Junior standing. Must have concurrent registration in LEAP 487. Sections may be offered: Online.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 495 Independent Study in Arts Leadership Credits: Var[1-6] (0-0-0)
Course Description: 
Prerequisite: None.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Instructor Option.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 500 Leadership in the Arts Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: Theoretical and applied knowledge about concepts of leadership, leadership styles as applied to arts-related organizations.
Prerequisite: None.
Registration Information: Senior or graduate standing. Sections may be offered: Online.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 600 Arts Policy and Advocacy Credits: 3 (0-0-3)
Course Description: Discussion of the role of artist as citizen and how we affect public policy.
Prerequisite: None.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: Admission to the Master of Arts Leadership and Administration program. Sections may be offered: Online.
Term Offered: Fall (even years).
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.
LEAP 650 Arts Events Management Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: Technical aspects of events, season and festival management for arts-related organizations.
Prerequisite: LEAP 500, may be taken concurrently.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: Required field trips. Sections may be offered: Online.
Term Offered: Fall (odd years).
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 660 Arts Collaboration and the Community Credits: 3 (1-2-1)
Course Description: Research, development and production of outreach projects; team projects for community engagement.
Prerequisite: LEAP 650.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: Must register for lecture, lab, and recitation. Sections may be offered: Online. Required field trips.
Term Offered: Spring (even years).
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 670 Law and the Arts Credits: 3 (3-0-0)
Course Description: Examines the legal foundations of artistic creation including copyright, freedom of expression, public domain laws, and contract negotiation.
Prerequisite: LEAP 600.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Term Offered: Spring (odd years).
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 687 Internship Credits: Var[2-12] (0-0-0)
Course Description: Field internship at local, regional or national arts organization (45 hours per credit).
Prerequisite: LEAP 500 and LEAP 692, may be taken concurrently.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: Sections may be offered: Online.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 692 Internship Seminar Credits: Var[1-3] (0-0-0)
Course Description:
Prerequisite: LEAP 600.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: Sections may be offered: Online.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Traditional.
Special Course Fee: No.

LEAP 695 Independent Study in Arts Leadership Credits: Var[1-6] (0-0-0)
Course Description:
Prerequisite: LEAP 500.
Restriction: Must be a: Graduate, Professional.
Registration Information: A maximum of 6 credits allowed. Sections may be offered: Online.
Terms Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer.
Grade Mode: Instructor Option.
Special Course Fee: No.