Course Title: Classical Oil Painting I

Course Description:
Learn the basics in oil media and techniques in the classical manner. You will be introduced step by step through different stages of the art creation process, starting with composition and ending with the unique technique of Rembrandt’s style of transparent oil glazing.

Suggested Course Prerequisite(s):

Materials Needed: See supply list

Course Objectives:
1. Develop the basic skills of oil painting
2. Learn and master technique particular to classical painting
3. Complete two classical art projects
4. Learn techniques to use with Rembrandt Oils

Certification Notes: Not a certificate course

Next course recommendation:

Instructor Notes:

Textbook(s):

Lesson Plan – by week or session
Session 1: Introduction to Rembrandt’s Oils; A brief history; Introduction to first project – Still Life; Step-by-step to using the techniques of the “masters”
Session 2: Study of composition; Preliminary painting; First strokes on the canvas
Session 3: Perspective theory; Theory of light and color; Demonstration by instructor; Individual instruction
Session 4: Complete first project; Final transparent oil glazing; Prepare for 2nd project
Session 5: Work on 2nd project; Individual instruction
Session 6: Complete 2nd project; Professional orientation about the creation of your own project

Course Sessions: listed are a guideline to indicate all topics that will be covered during your course. Do not plan your personal calendar based on these sessions. Your instructor will give you a calendar for your class that will indicate specific topics, assignments, and days.

Method of Evaluation: Unless otherwise stated, course completion is evaluated on the basis of attendance. Students must be in attendance 90% of the class time in order to be considered a successful completer of the course.
Students must be in attendance 90% of each course in a certificate series for successful completion and to earn a certificate as specified.

Students must complete all courses (core and no. of elective courses needed) to complete a certificate series within two years from start date of the first course taken.

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