

School of Continuing Education & Workforce Development

Short Term Certificate Programs

Illustrator Certificate

Program Overview: The Illustration Certificate is designed for students learning more about the field of illustration, for artists, designers, and working professionals looking to combine illustration with related art and design practices, and for those wishing to build portfolios for application.

- ✓ *Illustrator 1:* Introduction Participants in this course will learn the ins and outs of vector illustration, including basic shape rendering, shading how to manage your workspace, beginning color theory and Typography. Prerequisite: Familiarity with computers.
- ✓ *Illustrator 2:* Novice Participants in this course will learn how to integrate textures into your digital designs and explore perspective drawing to add depth to various designs. Prerequisite: Illustrator 1.
- ✓ Illustrator 3: Intermediate Participants in this course will learn to design eyecatching vector graphics, create and edit illustrations exhibiting line and shape, shading and depth. Create libraries of patterns and custom colors will also be explored. Prerequisites: Illustrator 2.
- ✓ **Illustrator 4:** Advanced Participants in this course will learn to create vector logos, in addition to designing advertisements using appropriate typography, drawing tools. Prerequisites: Illustrator 3.