### Art Ceramics - Visual Studies (ARTCE_VS)

**ARTCE_VS 2100: Beginning Ceramics**  
Exploration of ceramic art as an expressive, communicative medium. Study of ceramic design, technique and historic and contemporary models within the context of the creative process. Group critiques, slides, demonstrations. Expendable materials fee.  
**Credit Hours:** 3

**ARTCE_VS 3100: Intermediate Ceramics**  
Continuation of ARTCE_VS 2100 with emphasis on wheel throwing and the vessel format. Further exploration of glazing and firing techniques. Group and individual critiques, demonstrations, slide lectures and visiting artists. Expendable materials fee.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** instructor's consent

**ARTCE_VS 4100: Advanced Ceramics**  
Individual directed exploration of ceramic form and concept. Includes advanced problems in firing, clay and glaze technology, forming and ornamentation. Payment of expendable materials fee required. May be repeated to 15 hours maximum.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** instructor's consent

**ARTCE_VS 4110: Ceramics Sculpture**  
Individual directed exploration of sculptural forms in ceramics. Includes advanced problems in firing, clay and glaze technology, forming and ornamentation. Payment of expendable materials expense is required. May be repeated to 15 hours maximum.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** instructor's consent required

**ARTCE_VS 4185: Problems in Ceramics**  
Graduate level work in ceramics.  
**Credit Hour:** 1-3  
**Prerequisites:** ARTCE_VS 7100 and ARTCE_VS 7110 and instructor's consent required

**ARTCE_VS 7100: Graduate Ceramics**  
Advanced study of ceramic form, surface and concept with emphasis on directed development of individual work. Payment of expendable materials expense is required. May be repeated to 18 hours maximum.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** Instructor's consent required

**ARTCE_VS 7110: Graduate Ceramic Sculpture**  
Directed development of individual work. Payment of expendable materials expense is required. May be repeated to 18 hours maximum.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** Instructor's consent required

**ARTCE_VS 7185: Problems in Ceramics**  
Graduate level work in ceramics.  
**Credit Hour:** 1-3  
**Prerequisites:** ARTCE_VS 7100 and ARTCE_VS 7110 and instructor's consent required

**ARTCE_VS 8100: Graduate Ceramics II**  
Continuation of ARTCE_VS 7100. Repeatable to 15 hours.  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Prerequisites:** ARTCE_VS 7100 or equivalent