Students who wish to participate must return:
1. the attached application form (or the PDF version found at www.alfred.edu/summer/camps/art.cfm)
2. an up-to-date transcript or recent report card
3. two letters of recommendation from H.S. teachers (at least one should be an art teacher)
4. a one-page essay telling us why you want to attend
5. the $100 deposit (non-refundable unless you are not accepted into the program). Full payment of the balance is due by May 27. Sorry, no financial aid or scholarships are available.

While we don’t require a portfolio to be submitted with the application, we do require all participants to bring their portfolios to the institute to be reviewed.

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*There will be a $10 charge for checks returned for insufficient funds.

The Director

This institute is directed by Kevin Jacobs, AU Career Advisor, Liaison to the School of Art and Design and Director of the Cohen Art Center. Formerly in Creative Services at Polo Ralph Lauren NYC, Mr. Jacobs has worked in the fields of design, art and commerce in both NYC and Los Angeles. Mr. Jacobs recently curated and produced an art exhibit of Alfred University graduates in NYC’s famed Chelsea Gallery District.

Questions about the program may be directed to him at: jacobs@alfred.edu or 607-871-2164

How to Apply

SCHEDULE

- Registration runs from 2:00-4:00 p.m. on Sunday, and is followed by orientation, dinner, and welcome activities.
- Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning activities include: breakfast, overview of the day, and artist’s biography. After lunch each day there will be a different art-related experience. Evening activities include dinner, activities with our staff, and one evening of open studio.
- Thursday is the wrap-up day, with breakfast, then a full morning drawing session, lunch and checkout at 1:00 p.m.

A complete schedule, along with directions and other details, will be sent to all students upon acceptance.

ACTIVITIES

When not in classes, students have lots of fun participating in a variety of recreational activities. Planned activities include indoor and outdoor games, movies, visits to a nearby lake for a picnic and campfires, swimming, hikes, bowling, hayrides, social gatherings at the Terra Cotta Coffee House, a farewell party on the last night, and more. Alfred University admissions interviews and campus tours will be available by appointment on Thursday afternoon. Living, dining and learning together, students have a great opportunity to get to know each other and develop lasting friendships.

TUITION, ROOM & BOARD

Students must arrive on Sunday afternoon between 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. and will leave after lunch on Thursday. The cost is $850* (includes a $100 non-refundable deposit). This covers tuition, supervision, program materials, recreational activities, room and board from dinner on the first day through lunch on the last day. Students stay in University residence halls (2 per room) and must provide their own pillows and bed/bath linens (bed linens must fit the extra-long twin residence hall beds). Delicious, all-you-can-eat, cafeteria-style meals are served in the campus dining hall.

(Commuter Rate for local students: $595 - includes tuition, daytime classes, program materials and lunch, only. Commuting students must check in at registration on Sunday and must arrive on campus by 9 a.m. for classes Monday-Thursday. They must be picked up by 5 p.m. each day, except Thursday when pick-up time will be 1 p.m.)

Institute Application

Type or print in ink only. Fill in all sections. This form may be copied for additional students. Deadline: April 15, 2011

Please check one of the following:
- My check is enclosed. (Make checks payable to Alfred University.)
- Please charge to my credit card
- VISA    MasterCard    AMEX    Discover

Card Number:_____________________________CVV#__________
Expiration date:________________   Amount:$_________________

Cardholder Name:__________________________
Cardholder Address (if different from above):__________________

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Remember to bring your portfolio!
The Institute Admissions Committee will evaluate all applications and determine which students will be accepted. Notification letters will be mailed within two weeks of the deadline. (If you require an earlier decision, please include a note with your application indicating the date by which you need to be notified.)

Accepted students will receive, along with the acceptance letter, additional materials including medical history form, permission form, emergency notification form, etc. These materials must be filled out as soon as possible and must be back in our hands by May 27. Updated immunization information (including dates) is also required at that time. If you do not have updated immunization information on hand, you may want to acquire this from your physician now to avoid processing delays.

STUDENT CANCELLATIONS: Refunds, less the $100 non-refundable deposit, will be made for cancellations received by June 3. A 50% refund will be made for those received from June 4-24. Sorry, no refunds can be issued after June 24.

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CANCELLATION: The University may cancel any course or activity at any time because of insufficient enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances. If a program is canceled or postponed, the University will refund registration fees but cannot be held responsible for other costs, charges, or expenses, including cancellation/change charges assessed by airlines or travel agencies.

Policy Against Discrimination

Whether considering candidates for admission or financial aid, applicants for employment or the management of its policies and school-administered programs, Alfred University does not discriminate on the basis of gender, sexual orientation, age, race, color, national or ethnic origin, religion, or disability. Alfred University is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer.