

# Jewelry Making + Design



CONTINUING EDUCATION

*Note: This certificate program is no longer taking new applications*



Jewelry making is a mix of handmade, craft-based processes used to create unique wearable objects and advanced technology used to create work that can be scaled for production.

Combining technical skills with creative and conceptual thinking, the Jewelry Making + Design certificate provides a solid introduction to and foundation for designing and making jewelry, wearables and accessories. In this certificate program students will be guided, step by step, on how to safely set up their own jewelry studio. The certificate core introduces students to the critical skills of drawing, rendering and design in preparation for working three-dimensionally. With assignments and opportunities that explore the technical, aesthetic and conceptual aspects of this contemporary craft, students develop their own aesthetic approach that's compelling and original. By the end of the program, you will be making portfolio-ready work, and have a strong platform for industry-based internships or small business development.

## Total Program Cost: \$7,700

Based on current tuition rates; subject to change over the course of your program. There is approximately \$700 in one-time costs to set up a soldering station and acquire necessary tools. These costs are in addition to any materials used to make jewelry.

LEVEL I: CORE	COURSE NUMBER	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	HOURS	TUITION (ONLINE)
<b>Drawing I (Part A)</b>	0637	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440
<b>Drawing I (Part B)</b>	0638	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440
<b>Design (Part A)</b>	0623	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440
<b>Design (Part B)</b>	0624	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440
<b>Digital Design Techniques (Part A)</b>	1466	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440
<b>Digital Design Techniques (Part B)</b>	1467	F, W, Sp, Su	18	\$440

LEVEL II: CONCENTRATION	COURSE NUMBER	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	HOURS	TUITION (ONLINE)
<b>Introduction to Jewelry: Fundamentals at the Bench</b>	9037	F, Sp Session I or II	18	\$440
<b>Soldering for Professional Practice</b>	9041	W, Su	18	\$440
<b>3D Modeling with Rhino (Part A)</b>	9043	F, Sp Session I	18	\$440
<b>3D Modeling with Rhino (Part B)</b>	9044	F, Sp Session II	18	\$440
<b>Jewelry Making + Design I (Part A)</b>	9080	F, Sp Session I	18	\$440
<b>Jewelry Making + Design I (Part B)</b>	9081	F, Sp Session II	18	\$440
<b>Jewelry Making + Design II (Part A)</b>	9082	F, Sp Session I	18	\$440
<b>Jewelry Making + Design II (Part B)</b>	9083	F, Sp Session II	18	\$440
<b>Final Studio: Jewelry Making + Design</b> (includes a final portfolio review)	9084	Sp (full semester)	36	\$660

ELECTIVES	COURSE NUMBER	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	HOURS	TUITION (ONLINE)
<b>Student's Choice; may be taken any time</b> equal to two 18-hour courses		F, W, Sp, Su	36	\$880

Fall and Spring semesters are comprised of two 6-week sessions; Winter and Spring are single 6-week sessions. Some courses may be offered more frequently than indicated above.

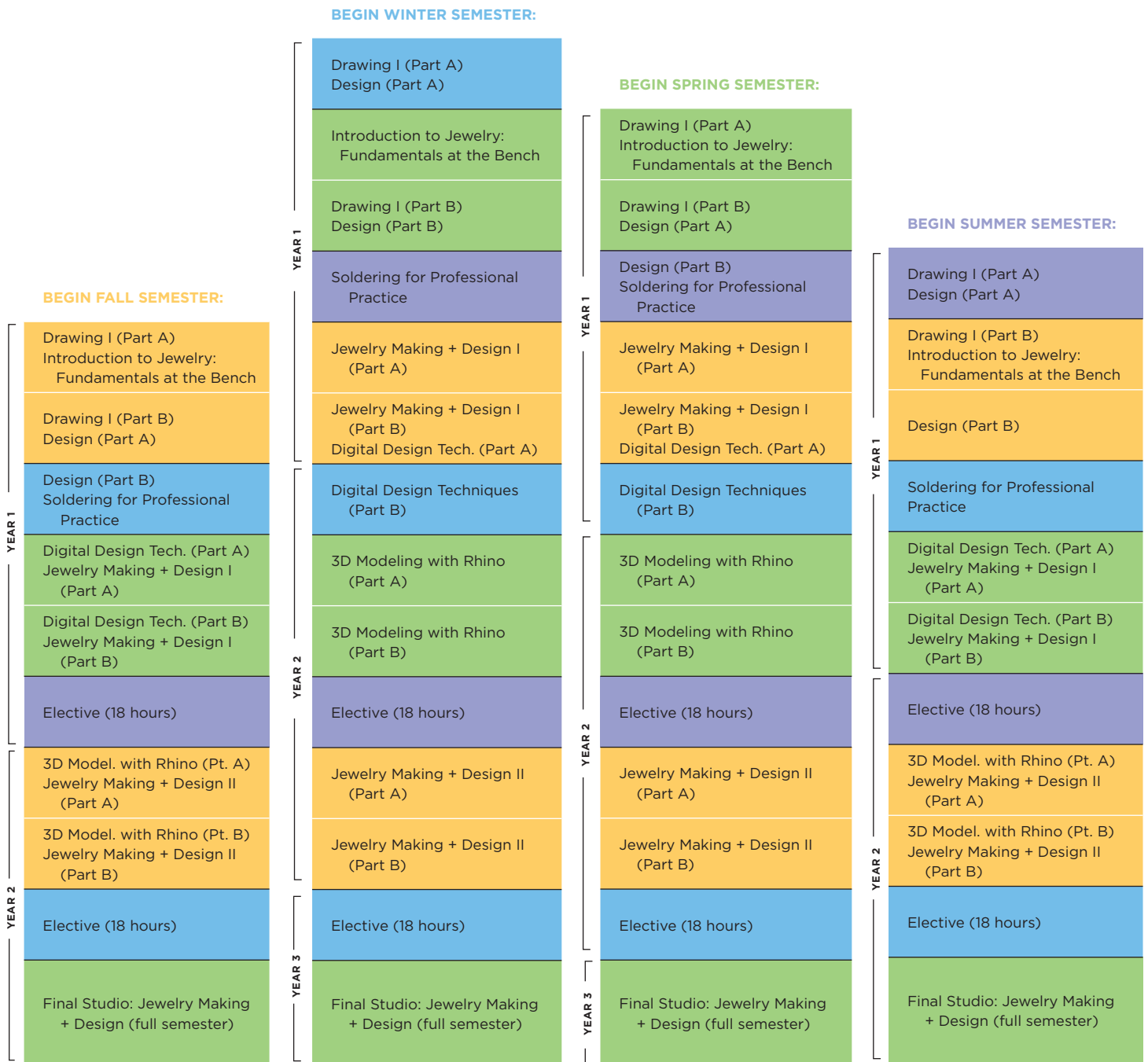
18 Contact Hours = 6 weeks/sessions  
36 Contact Hours = 12 weeks/sessions

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**Find your potential path!** Our curriculum is designed to accommodate busy lives. You can start in the Fall, Winter, Spring or Summer, depending on what works best for you. The paths below show the quickest progression through the program (enrolling in up to two classes per session), but you may wish to adjust this schedule to complete the program at your own pace.

**Note: Fall and Spring are comprised of two 6-week sessions (separated by white line below); Winter and Summer semesters are single 6-week sessions.**



<b>FALL</b>	<b>WINTER</b>	<b>SPRING</b>	<b>SUMMER</b>
Two 6-week sessions	One 6-week session	Two 6-week sessions	One 6-week session

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