

# SHORT COURSE DETAILS

SID08474: INTRODUCTION TO LIFE DRAWING - A TASTER DAY

Tutor: ŠÁRKA DARTON

Date: I DAY SUNDAY 27 JANUARY

#### **ABOUT YOUR COURSE:**

This course will give you the confidence to draw the figure. The tutor will teach you different ways to observe the human form, and how to translate the figurative shape into two-dimensions on paper.

Through a series of exercises focusing on tone and shape, you will learn the basics of drawing using simple materials such as pencil, graphite, chalk, rubber and charcoal. The tutor will also show you how to simply tackle foreshortening.

You will have the opportunity to explore ways of drawing using different techniques, which will help you to portray the essence of the human body with confidence, accuracy and joy. By the end of the day you will have completed several drawings using different techniques.

# LEVEL: BEGINNERS

Starting points. For those with little or no experience who want to go back to basics and would like a structured introduction to a subject.

#### **ABOUT YOUR TUTOR:**

Šárka Darton is a classically trained artist and designer whose work is held in private and corporate collections in the UK and abroad. She studied at several art schools across Europe and won a number of international awards including the overall First prize at the Italian Triennale in Verona in 2016. Šárka has taught and lectured across the UK and internationally.

### TIMETABLE:

9.00–9.15am Registration and coffee

9.15am Morning classes

10.30am Coffee

12.45pm Lunch (included) 2.00pm Afternoon classes

3.30pm Tea

5.00pm Classes finish

# MATERIALS FOR YOUR COURSE:

We have a generously stocked craft shop, which opens daily from 8.30am–2pm, for any materials you need to purchase from the shop.

# Materials included in the course fee:

The course fee includes the cost of providing a life model and all drawing materials.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY:**

The tutor instructs students in health and safety issues relevant to this course. There are no health and safety restrictions on access to this studio/teaching space in the absence of the tutor. All Personal Protection Equipment, apart from footwear, is provided by the College.