

SHORT COURSE DETAILS

SID08472: PAINTING WITH OILS FOR BEGINNERS – A TASTER DAY

Tutor: GEORGE POPESCO

Date: 1 DAY SATURDAY 26 JANUARY

ABOUT YOUR COURSE:

On this practical course you will be introduced to oil painting techniques as well as the fundamental starting points to painting. George is a lively and engaging tutor who will teach you step by step how to prepare your painting surface, colour and tone experiments, palette preparation, colour coordination, use of mediums and thinners, and brushwork techniques.

Through practical demonstration, one to one support and exercises you will learn the basics that will give you the confidence to continue painting at home.

At the end of the day you will also have increased your knowledge of colour, tone and how to approach painting with oils. You will have completed a series of experiments and a simple still life study in oils.

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:

George Popesco studied painting at Farnham School of Art and the Royal Academy Schools. He has exhibited in the National Portrait Gallery, the RA Summer Show and The Hyde Park Gallery.

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:

Included in the course fee: paints and paint mediums shared amongst the group. Students to provide materials listed below.

Available from the Shop:

A3 Canvas or Primed Hard Board
Sketch pad

Brushes:

Generally a good range of Student Quality – natural bristle or /and synthetic brushes, both Flat Filbert and/or Round pointed.

Sizes: Large, Medium, Small

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.

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