CI 452 – Small Format Video Production

Time: May 12 – 23, 2008 Instructor: Peter J. Fadde Office: 146 Wham

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday – 2:00 to 3:00pm

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Text: Pogue, D. (2005). *The missing manual: i-Movie HD & i-DVD*.

DIY Network "Making Home Movies" (provided DVDs)

Producing Video Learning Objects for E-learning (Fadde, PJ)

http://www.elearnmag.org/subpage.cfm?section=best_practices&artic

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(other readings as assigned and provided)

Materials: It is not necessary to have your own camcorder, but if you own one it is

advised that you bring it and use it. Two mini-DV videotapes will be

provided for work tape and to turn in your final project.

Attendance: With only ten class sessions it is essential to attend all classes. Group

activities rely on everybody and cannot be made up.

Goals: Video has become an essential aspect of teaching, training, and

communications. This course is an intensive workshop that will provide you with a thorough understanding of video formats and production techniques. These formats and techniques can be applied to the

production of video programs for personal, classroom, or corporate use.

Grading: In-class participation 20 percent

In-class activities 40 percent Final project 40 percent

Schedule: The class schedule is front loaded with reading and in-class activities. In

the second week you will be focusing on your final project. "Just in time" lectures, demonstrations, and examples will be provided as suggested by project needs. You will be expected to attend to these, even if they don't relate directly to your project. The schedule is tentative and may change

with the interests and pace of the class.

Project: The final project may be an individual or small group production. The

format can be any of those covered in the class, or something else that you propose. The content of the project is up to you. The project should challenge you to apply the knowledge and skills you have learned.

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| Session | In Class | Homework |
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| WEEK ONE | | |
| Monday | Activity: Shoot Class Intro Video | Ch. 1, 2*, 3, 4 (87-101), 5 (skim) |
| | Camera movement, framing, in-camera editing | Making Movies: #1(2) - Interview |
| | "Making Home Movies" #1(1) | #3 – <i>iMovie</i> editing |
| Tuesday | Editing with <i>iMovie</i> Activity: Edit Class Intro video (bring headphones) Formats: Interview | Ch. 5*, 6, 7*, 8* Making Movies: #2(1)- Shoot for Edit #2(2)- Editing |
| Wednesday | Training/Demonstration Video Activity: "How To" video | Facility Proposal Ch. 9, 10 Making Movies #2(3)- Lighting |
| Thursday | Formats: Feature, learning objects | Ch. 11, 12, 13, 15 |
| | Activity: Interview, Presentation Video Project Planning: Proposal, Storyboard, shot sheet, talent/crew roles | Project pre-proposal Storyboard Scenario |
| Friday | Formats: Drama, documentary Activity: Videotape Soft Skills scene | Project Final Proposal |
| | Project meetings | |
| WEEK TWO | | |
| Monday – Thursday | Project Production | Project Production |
| | Just-in-Time Lectures | (Readings as assigned and provided) |
| Friday | Project presentations | 1 / |
| (schedule and activities open to change) | | |

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