

SCHOOL OF
BOTANICAL ART & ILLUSTRATION



Botanical Illustration Foundational Certificate Program Self-Tracking Form

The Botanical Illustration Foundational Certificate Program is designed to provide students with everything they need to be a successful botanical illustrator. Courses cover technical content as well as explore specific media.

Required Courses

The following 15 courses are required if you wish to receive a Foundational Certificate in Botanical Art and Illustration. Classes should be taken in the order determined by their prerequisites. Courses consist of exercises, critiques, demonstrations and homework assignments.

All requirements should be completed within five years in order to receive your certificate.

Please note: To receive credit for any course, attendance is required at the first class and at 80 percent of the course.

Required Course	Instructor	Date Completed
Botanical Illustration in Pencil I Prerequisite: None		
Botany for the Botanical Illustrator Prerequisite: None		
Composition for Botanical Illustration Prerequisite: None		
Color Mixing in Watercolor Prerequisite: None		
Color Layering for Colored Pencil Prerequisite: None, Pencil I recommended		
Light on Form Prerequisite: Botanical Illustration in Pencil I		
Perfecting Perspective Prerequisite: Botanical Illustration in Pencil I		
Botanical Illustration in Pen and Ink I Prerequisites: Botanical Illustration in Pencil I, Light on Form		
Botanical Illustration in Colored Pencil I Prerequisites: Botanical Illustration in Pencil I, Light on Form, Color Layering for Colored Pencil		
Botanical Illustration in Colored Pencil II Prerequisites: Botanical Illustration in Pencil I, Light on Form, Color Layering for Colored Pencil, Botanical Illustration in Colored Pencil I, Botany for the Botanical Illustrator, Composition for Botanical Illustration, Perfecting Perspective		

Science and Art Lectures

Selected lectures at Denver Botanic Gardens qualify for elective credits. Attendance at one lecture gives one elective credit hour; students can receive a maximum of 15 credit hours from these lectures. Pre-registration is required for credit.

Lecture Title/Topic	Speaker/Artist	Date Completed

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