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| COURSE TITLE | PRINTMAKING: MEZZOTINT           |
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| COURSE CODE  | WC2403PR74                       |
| TUTOR        | ILARIA ROSSELLI DEL TURCO        |
| START DATE   | 03/05/2025                       |
| DAY & TIME   | SATURDAY & SUNDAY, 10AM - 4.30PM |
| LEVEL        | ALL LEVELS                       |
| LOCATION     | BANKSIDE CAMPUS                  |

## DAILY BREAKDOWN

| Date       | Topics/ Skills covered  | Model? |
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| 3 May 2025 | Day one<br>After preaparing the paper for printing we will start working on a plate. Although we will be workinig<br>on ready-made plates, we will cover how to prepare a plate using a rocker.<br>Please bring along a good photo or drawing of the image you want to use as source, possibly printed<br>at the same size as the plate (10x15 cm). You will be able to trace this onto the plate or you can<br>draw it freehand. There will be some reference images available for you to work from as well. Some<br>students will be ready to print a first proof by the end day one.<br>The rest of the day will be spent on producing the image on the plate using a scraper and a<br>burnisher. The work will be intense and absorbing, feel free to bring earphones to keep you<br>entertained! | NO     |
| 4 May 2025 | Day two<br>The day will start at the press. Each student will print a proof of their plate to see where it needs<br>more work. We will cover inking and wiping techniques as well as chine collè. We will then continue<br>proofing and working on the plate, hopefully obtaining a few copies of the final print by the end of<br>the day.   | NO     |