

COURSE TITLE	ETCHING: AQUATINT AND SUGARLIFT
COURSE CODE	EC2404PR13
TUTOR	FREDERIC MORRIS
START DATE	09/07/2025
DAY & TIME	WEDNESDAYS, 6.00 - 9.00PM
LEVEL	ALL LEVELS
LOCATION	BANKSIDE CAMPUS

DAILY BREAKDOWN

DATE	TOPICS / SKILLS COVERED
9 July 2025	Preparing a zinc plate by filing, polishing and degreasing, applying a hard-ground and drawing with an etching needle. You can take the plate away to complete your drawing at home.
16 July 2025	Etching the line in a saline sulphate mordant. Inking up, wiping and proofing the etched image on the printing press. You will then use sugar-lift to add tone to the plate.
23 July 2025	Adding an aquatint to the sugar-lift etching plate and developing the tone by immersing the plate in the mordant, etching and proofing again
30 July 2025	Degreasing the plate, applying an aquatint, and learning to make washed tonal marks using spit bite.