

# CONTINUING THE CLASSICAL ART TRADITIONS





# Learn How to Draw whatever You See or Imagine

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## How it works

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Drawing Academy is much more than a self-paced video course; above all, it is the art community where you can exhibit your artworks, get feedback on your art, ask tutors questions and get invaluable guidance to improve your artistic skills.

## Is this course for me?

It depends on your skills and goals. If art is your hobby, at Drawing Academy, you will find all you need to learn to get good understanding of constructive drawing, perspective, anatomy, tonal rendering, etc.

However, if you want to achieve the advanced level of drawing skills and become a proficient fine artist, self-learning is not enough. You need a dedicated art teacher, who will assess your skills, give assignments, explain how to do them step by step, check your results and advise how to fix mistakes. Such personal tutoring service is provided in the

[Life Drawing Academy Correspondence Course](#) »

# What you will learn • Drawing Academy Curriculum

- Information on drawing materials, media, and tools
- How to self-assess your drawing skills
- How to handle a pencil the right way
- How to measure with a pencil from life
- 16 types and 21 rules of perspective and how to avoid mistakes
- How to draw in one-, two-, three-, and four-point perspective
- How to divide depth in perspective
- How to use the aerial perspective
- How to use constructive drawing principles
- How to use contours in constructive drawing
- Proficient techniques of rendering tonal values
- How to develop great hatching skills
- How to draw flat geometric figures in perspective
- How to draw 3D geometric bodies in perspective
- How to intersect flat planes in drawing
- How to intersect 3D objects by flat planes and with each other
- How to draw architecture in perspective
- 15 Elements of composition
- How to scale and compose artworks
- Golden proportions and golden figures in art
- How to draw in pen and ink
- How to draw in silverpoint
- How to draw in chalks and charcoal
- How to draw in colored pencils
- How to make collages and decorative artworks
- How to practice calligraphy
- How to make still life artworks
- How to draw leaves, flowers, trees and landscapes
- How to draw different animals and birds
- How to draw a human skull and anatomy of a human head
- Proportions of a human head and face
- How to draw eyes, mouth, ears, nose, and mouth
- Portrait drawing rules and how to draw a human head
- How to draw full-face and profile portraits
- How to draw portraits in the three-quarters view
- How to draw, children, female and male portraits
- How to draw hair and different hairstyles
- How to draw portraits in colored pencils and silver point
- How to sketch in the Old Masters style
- How to draw portraits in perspective
- Skeletal and muscular anatomy for artists
- Construction and proportions of a human body
- Golden proportions in figure drawing
- How to draw hands, arms, legs, knees, and feet
- How to draw the shoulder girdle and neck
- How to draw ribcage and pelvis
- How to draw a torso using proportions and anatomy
- How to draw a body using proportions and anatomy
- How to use contours in figure drawing
- How to draw male and female figures
- How to sketch figures in various poses
- How to draw models and figures from life and imagination
- How to draw human figures in motion
- Unique drawing techniques that are not taught anywhere else



## As a free subscriber, you'll get:

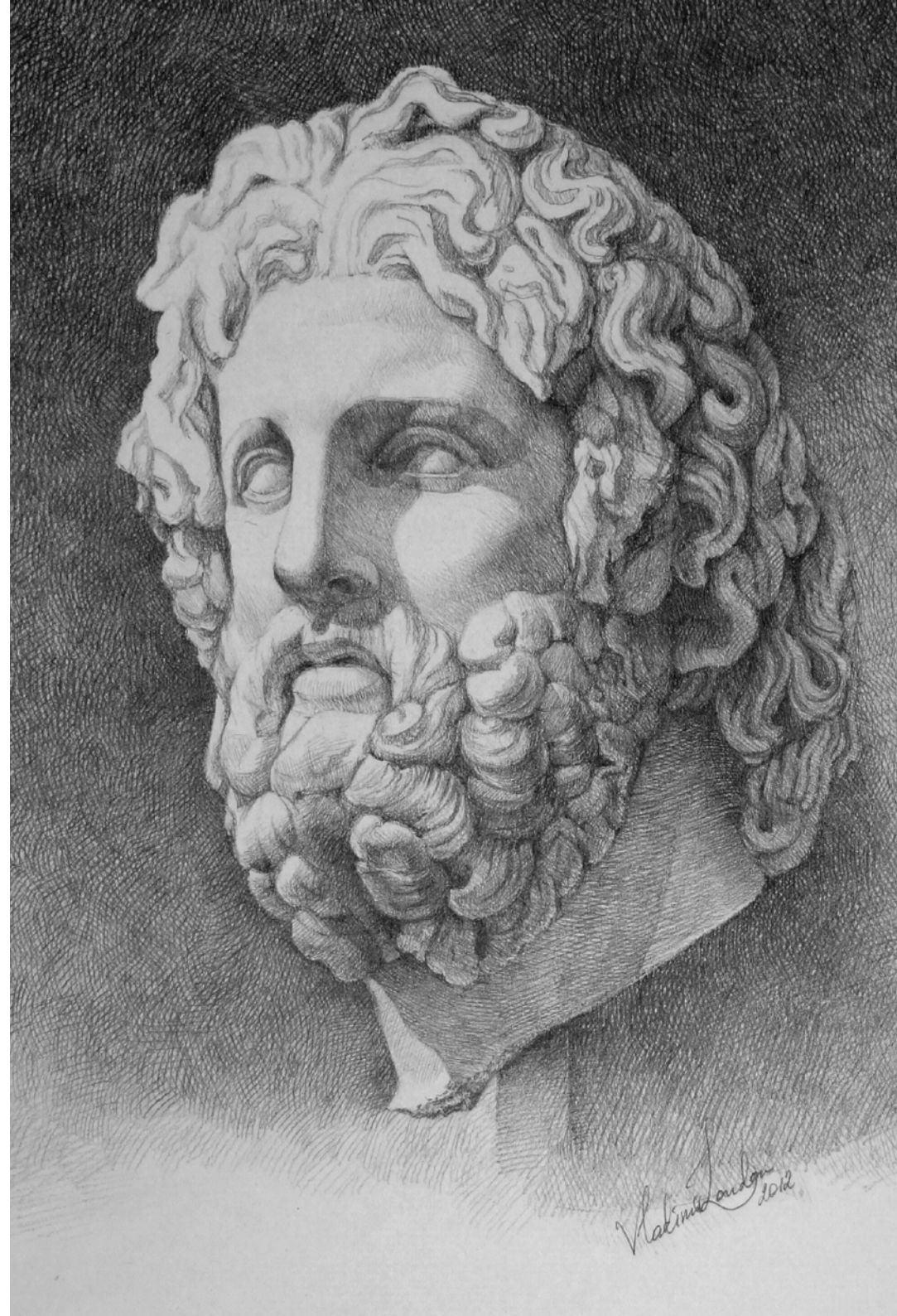
- [Free drawing tutorials](#)
- Drawing Academy Art Community
- Support from the Academy team
- Answers to your art questions
- Recommendations for art courses
- Art Competitions
- Art articles
- Professional drawing tips
- The Drawing Academy blog
- Free Newsletter

## As a full member, you will get:

- Lifetime membership
- 120 Drawing video lessons and bonus videos
- Numerous bonus art books and albums
- Unlimited individual support from Academy tutors
- Constructive critique of your artworks
- Answers to your art questions
- Advice for improving your drawing skills
- Members-only Newsletter
- Students Gallery
- Diploma of Excellence in your name

# What makes Drawing Academy unique

1. You will get a lifetime membership for a one-time fee. No other art college offers the same deal.
2. You will enjoy unlimited access to all Drawing Academy video lessons, bonus tutorials, drawing demos, articles, albums and books including those materials that will become available in the future. All new educational materials will be provided free of charge.
3. You will rely on unlimited personal support from the Academy tutors, including critiques of your artworks and answers to your art questions. This support lasts for life, at no additional cost.
4. The Drawing Academy's educational process is grounded in classical art education traditions. Contemporary art colleges no longer adhere to these traditions.
5. You will discover numerous drawing methods developed by course tutors Vladimir London and Natalie Richy. These methods are unique and not available anywhere else.
6. The Drawing Academy teaching is based on constructive drawing, the cornerstone of realistic art, covering 34 principles such as perspective, proportion, composition, contours, the artist's anatomy and so on. At the Drawing Academy, you will learn fundamental drawing methods and techniques that are no longer taught in contemporary art schools.
7. You will receive comprehensive, all-rounded drawing education that will equip you with the skills to draw anything you see or imagine.



# Drawing Academy FAQ

## How long are the course video lessons?

There are over 120 video lessons and bonus videos in the Drawing Academy course. Many lessons come in multiple parts. Each part may last up to one hour. The length of videos is not that relevant to the topic each lesson explains because some short lessons will give you the know-how that will take you many hours or even weeks to practice and master.

## Are course videos available in other languages?

All educational materials are available in English. Although the video lessons do not have subtitles, each page includes a written transcript that you can translate and read.

## Can I get the Drawing Academy course for free?

Yes, there are two ways to get a full Drawing Academy membership for free:

1. Win an online art contest.
2. Manually write well-illustrated articles on traditional fine art.

## Can I purchase this course as a gift?

Yes, after your payment, just create an account in the name of the person you'd like to gift this course to.

## What art materials would I need?

If you have some graphite pencils, drawing paper, and an eraser, you're ready to begin. Other materials are optional, and you'll receive complete information on what you'll need if you decide to explore media such as colored pencils, pen and ink, charcoal, or silverpoint.

## Can I cancel my membership?

Your membership is valid for a lifetime and includes unlimited personal support, such as artwork critiques and answers to your art questions, at no additional cost. If you choose to cancel this service for any reason, we can delete your account upon your request. Please note that since this course provides intangible products, they cannot be returned, and therefore, refunds are not available.

## When will I get the Drawing Academy diploma?

To receive your diploma, you have to complete the course and demonstrate your progress by submitting your artworks created before and after the course. You may do this at any time after three months from your enrollment. There are no deadlines, so you can apply for your diploma whenever you wish in the future.

# The Course Tutors



Drawing Academy is led by professional fine artists and art teachers, [Vladimir London](#) and [Natalie Richy](#). Combined, they spent over 20 years studying art and have more than 50 years of professional experience in art. Now you can benefit from their extensive knowledge and creative experience.

Vladimir is an internationally published author of numerous fine art books.

Natalie Richy is also the tutor at [Old Masters Academy](#), where she teaches traditional oil painting techniques.

# Our Vision, Purpose and Mission



Our **Vision** is that fine art portrays the beauty and meaning in life. To support this, we established the Drawing Academy with the **Purpose** of promoting realistic fine art and preserving the traditions of the Old Masters.

Our **Mission** is to provide you with comprehensive and professional art education, to teach you traditional drawing methods and techniques, and to assist you in developing your unique artistic style rooted in the principles and legacy of classical fine art.

## Personal Support by Academy Tutors



As an Academy student, you will enjoy direct access to course tutors.

Whether you have questions about art, need guidance with your creative development, or simply want feedback on artworks you've created, Drawing Academy tutors are ready to help.

You can submit your questions and artwork for critique at any time. This personal support is unlimited and comes at no extra charge.

## Drawing Academy Course Assignments



Assignments are available in addition to unlimited personal support from the Academy tutors. In the Drawing Academy course, you will receive video lessons and drawing tutorials, as well as downloadable fine art books. If you learn best by following structured coursework, we have assignments for every topic covered. However, if you prefer to draw from your own subjects and themes, we fully support that approach as well. The course is entirely flexible in this regard. Our goal is to provide you with the essential knowledge and skills so you can improve your drawing abilities.

# How you will benefit from the Drawing Academy Art Community

## Art Competition



You have the chance to win a membership to Drawing Academy through its online art competition. This competition is democratic, as winners are chosen not by biased jury decisions but through public voting. To enter the drawing contest, simply submit your story and artwork, then ask your friends and followers to cast their votes for you. Every three months, there is a new round of the competition, and over 120 winners are already enjoying the Drawing Academy course. You could be the next winner!

[Enter the Competition »](#)  
[Competition winners »](#)

## Publish Art Articles



The most guaranteed way to receive a free Drawing Academy membership is by writing articles about traditional fine art. Once we publish your 15 well-illustrated articles on the Drawing Academy website, you will be granted lifetime access to all video lessons and bonuses. We only accept original, manually written articles that align with the Purpose and Mission of Drawing Academy. If you share our Vision, send us your stories and essays to earn your lifetime membership and enjoy unlimited support at Drawing Academy!

[Publish art articles »](#)  
[Read the articles »](#)

## Ask Tutors Questions



Drawing Academy tutors are here to assist you with any art-related questions. This service is free and open to everyone. Your questions, as well as the tutors' responses, may be shared and discussed by students and visitors of the Academy. Learn from professional artists and become part of the Drawing Academy community! If you have questions that could benefit the entire community, and if you'd like to share your artworks along with your questions, we would be happy to feature them on the Drawing Academy website.

[Ask your questions »](#)  
[Read the answers »](#)

# Drawing Academy Students Club

## Students Gallery



### Showcase your creative development.

Students can exhibit their artwork and the progress they have made in the Drawing Academy Gallery. You can show your drawings from before, during and after taking the Drawing Academy course. You can benefit from additional online exposure and gain valuable feedback from other Drawing Academy students and visitors.

[Check students' artworks »](#)  
[Exhibit your art »](#)

## Artworks Critique



### Benefit from professional feedback.

Do you want a professional opinion of your drawings? You can receive personal comments and support from Drawing Academy tutors, advice on how to improve your art and develop your drawing skills, and additional feedback from other students and visitors. You are not alone; the art community is here to help!

[Check critique of students' work »](#)  
[Submit your artwork for critique »](#)

## Share Your Feedback



### What do you think about the Drawing Academy?

We want to know your honest opinion of the Drawing Academy's courses, tutors, and art community. As a student at the Drawing Academy, you can publish your unfiltered feedback on how the course works for you. Share your opinion with us, fellow students, and any who are thinking of enrolling in the Drawing Academy.

[What our students say »](#)  
[Submit your feedback »](#)

# Here's what Drawing Academy students say:

*"I am very thankful for being able to be a part of your wonderful art program, I enjoyed every part of every single lesson.*

*You have been great role models for me, you have taught me to be able to see the kind of passion you put in your art work, and I am more than willing to do this on my side with the skills and abilities you have shared with me.*

*These classes were more than worth it, I learned more than I thought I could learn, thank you. You have been some of the best teachers I've ever had.*

*Sincerely,  
Jorge Padilla"*

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*"It is with great joy I've enrolled in Drawing & Painting Academy. I have a particular fondness for Silverpoint. I must develop my drawing skills so I can indulge in that – actually I can't wait to give it a go now and the drawing skills will just have to catch up.*

*It is with this, that I absolutely thank you, Vladimir and Natalie for your courses online to reach far and wide to anyone wanting training to enhance their creative expressions in a classical contemporary way. You are both exceptional artists but more important you are teachers (another talent). And you are both very kind – beyond recognition or financial gain (wonderful achievements) you are preserving artistic benchmarks that have fallen into disuse – there is hope they won't be totally lost.*

*Much appreciation,  
Collayne Mills"*



# Drawing Academy Diploma of Excellence



Upon completing the drawing course, you will be entitled to receive the drawing Academy Diploma of Excellence in your name. However, it is not awarded automatically; you need to demonstrate what you have learned and achieved.

Our goal is to ensure you gain genuine benefits from the Drawing Academy course and we want to see your creative progress.

To apply for a diploma, you would need to send us your feedback together with examples of drawings that you created before and after the course. You can send this feedback at any time after three months from enrolment.

Will you become a great fine artist in just three months? Possibly not; it might take longer. That's why we offer you continuous access to the Drawing Academy Course.

At Drawing Academy, you will learn a great deal about traditional drawing techniques, and we will support you all the way. Our personal support is unlimited and comes for a lifetime at no extra cost.



# Great Value for Money

*The Drawing Academy will save you time and money.*

## Real value of the drawing course

- \$12,000 (120 video lessons and bonus videos at \$100 each)
- Unlimited personal support (priceless)

## You pay

- Only \$297 USD for all lessons and bonuses
- Enjoy free support and unlimited critique of your artwork

## How to enroll

*You are just one click away from starting your art education:*

<https://drawingacademy.com/pricing>