



# The Arts

AT SELKIRK COLLEGE

Located in the West Kootenay and Boundary regions of British Columbia, Selkirk College is an accredited post-secondary educational institution offering a variety of arts diploma and certificate programs. Thriving in the culturally vibrant and diverse city of Nelson, B.C., there's no better place to study the arts than in this beautiful, friendly and safe rural centre.

## Kootenay Studio Arts (KSA)

[selkirk.ca/ksa](http://selkirk.ca/ksa)

Small class sizes, working artists as instructors and after-hours studio access contribute to KSA's goal of attaining excellence as a leader in craft and design education. KSA programs combine hands-on studio work with the study of design, drawing and professional practices.

### CERAMIC (10-month certificate program)

Gain instruction in traditional techniques such as hand-building, wheel, glazing and firing, along with technical, critical and design issues in contemporary ceramics and pottery.

### FIBRE (10-month certificate program)

Learn traditional and contemporary textile practices which include weaving, felting, dyeing, and pattern making in both wearable and non-wearable contexts. The studio is moving towards better ecological choices with the usage of natural dyes and pigments.

### JEWELRY (10-month certificate program)

Develop a high level of design and fabrication skills necessary for jewelry, while exploring your own concepts and creative expression.

### METAL STUDIO (8-month certificate program)

Learn to design and create ornamental and functional work in both ferrous and non-ferrous metals, using blacksmithing, fabrication and casting skills.



Ceramic art: Caroline Dance, Julie MacKinnon, Timothy Niebergall.  
Fibre art: Anna Heywood Jones, Geraldine Finch, Meghan Dauphinee.  
Jewellery art: Jessie Senecal, Karen Bullaro, Laura Parr.  
Metal art: Simon Martel, Lacia Vogel, Chris Shannon.

For more information on Kootenay Studio Arts programs email [arts@selkirk.ca](mailto:arts@selkirk.ca) or call 1.877.552.2821.



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### Digital Media & Music

Located at the Tenth Street campus in Nelson, Selkirk College offers two unique programs, Digital Media and Music, where students are encouraged to explore their artistic talents.

#### DIGITAL ARTS & NEW MEDIA

*(2-year diploma program)*

Acquire in-depth training in the design, development and production of new media. The program seeks applicants who are dedicated to excellence and innovation in the field of interactive media which includes graphic arts, website development, video and sound production and animation.

**For more information on the Digital Arts & New Media program email [digitalmedia@selkirk.ca](mailto:digitalmedia@selkirk.ca) or call 1.866.301.6601, ext. 370.**



#### CONTEMPORARY MUSIC & TECHNOLOGY

*(2-year diploma program)*

Selkirk College is Canada's first and only school that offers performance, engineering and composition in a two-year program. It's also the only program where students can play more than just classical or jazz. Study your instrument and related skills in the first year and choose a major in the second!

**COMPOSITION MAJOR** - Explore a wide range of styles and techniques for film scoring, composition and songwriting.

**DIRECTED STUDIES MAJOR** - Design special study projects from a range of courses.

**ENGINEERING MAJOR** - Get equipped for all aspects of sound engineering with extensive hands-on training in a state-of-the-art studio.

**GENERAL MUSIC MAJOR** - This flexible program is offered to students who would like to pursue a less specific path of study. This program is also for students who do not meet the admission requirements of the other majors.

**PERFORMANCE MAJOR** - Become highly proficient on your principle musical instrument and experience many opportunities to perform.

**SONGWRITING MAJOR** - Focus on song writing, performing and recording.

Graduates wishing to pursue degree completion can do so through Selkirk's articulation with the Berklee College of Music in Boston.

**For more information on the Contemporary Music & Technology program email [music@selkirk.ca](mailto:music@selkirk.ca) or call 1.866.301.6601, ext. 370.**

