THIS SUMMER, JOIN PROFESSOR PERKINS FOR

MEDIA ARTS IN NEW MEXICO

LEARN ABOUT THE FILM & TELEVISION INDUSTRY

VISIT SOUND STAGES, STUDIOS & FAMOUS FILMING LOCATIONS
Program Overview

- MRTS 3410 Media Production in the Southwest
- 5W1 Summer Session, 5/20-6/21
- 3 elective credits toward major
- 1 week trip to New Mexico 6/2-6/9
- 4 weeks online

Earthships Bio Structures, Taos
Tentative Schedule
June 2-9, 2024

• June 2 – travel day from Denton to Santa Fe
• June 2-5 Stay in Santa Fe
• June 7-9 Stay in Albuquerque
• June 9 – travel day from Albuquerque to Denton

Rio Grande River Gorge, Taos
Why New Mexico?

KRQE Film Expo, 2022

Netflix productions in NM

Record Breaking Film Spend 2021

MADE IN
NEW MEXICO
Why New Mexico?

Tax Credit Incentives:

- Base credit amount: 25%
- Additional uplifts: 5%
- Maximum credit amount: 35%
Why New Mexico?
Possible Activities from Santa Fe

- New Mexico or Santa Fe Film Office visit
- Santa Fe Studios or Camel Rock Studios tour
- Taos radio station visit
- Downtown Santa Fe
- Eaves Film Ranch location tour
- Ranchos de las Golondrinas location tour
- Ghost Ranch film tour
- Bandelier National Monument
- Taos Pueblo visit
- Earthships tour
Possible Activities from Albuquerque

- KQRE TV Station tour
- ABQ/Netflix Studios tour
- Prop/Wardrobe rental house visit
- Film Production set visit
- Albuquerque Film Office visit
- Post-Production facilities
- Petroglyphs National Monument
- Sandia Peak Tramway
- Old Town Albuquerque
2023 Program Videos

- Macy’s Video
- Promotional Video
- Riding in the van to Ghost Ranch
Travel Options

- Self Drive – 9-10 hours from Denton = $ for gas
- UNT passenger van ride to/from NM = free
  - 9-10 hour drive
  - 2 vans we’ll use for travel within NM
- Book your own flight = $ for flight
  - Into Santa Fe on June 2
  - Out of Albuquerque on June 9
Lodging

• 4 nights in Santa Fe, 3 nights in Albuquerque
• Shared rooms in Hotels – 2x people per room
• Self-pay price difference if you want your own room
• Hotels include continental breakfast
• Hotels often have a gym and/or pool

Baymont Inn, Santa Fe = $139/night

La Quinta Inn, Albuquerque Midtown = $110/night
Program Costs

Covered Costs
- Lodging w/ breakfast
- All Activities
- Transportation
  - van round trip from Denton
  - van travel within New Mexico

Out-of-Pocket Costs
- Course Enrollment
- Lunch and Dinner
- Transportation (if not utilizing pass vans)
- Incidental Expenses
  - snacks, souvenirs, etc.
- 2023 students spent $250-$350 (more if they had their own rooms)
Things to Consider

• Everywhere we go will be at high altitude.
  • This could make you sleepy, nauseous or give you a headache.
  • You’ll be given information on how to plan ahead to avoid altitude sickness.

• We’ll be walking a lot – not hiking but walking.
  • There will always be alternatives that allow you to opt out.

• You’ll need a bit of self agency.
  • There will be times you’ll be on your own, such as meals.
  • If you have special needs (like dietary restrictions) you may need to deal with it yourself
Things to Consider

- You’ll be riding in passenger vans; they are bouncy and could cause motion sickness.
  - If you’re prone to getting car sick, we’ll be sure to have you sit up front.
  - Consider Dramamine or other motion sickness deterrents.
- I’ll be looking for drivers – they’ll get paid!
  - They have to be UNT employee so there’s paperwork involved.
  - They have to take passenger van training – the department will pay for it.
  - Drivers will need active copilots.
  - $9/hr – approximately 25 hours = approximately $225
Next Steps

- Fill out Student Interest Form on Google
- Early April – we’ll know if the trip is happening
- I will enroll you in MRTS 3410 for 5W1 term
- In-person Informational Meeting will be held late Spring semester to discuss details