

# New Course for Winter 2018



# Drawing The Human Figure



*This course member was a complete beginner at the start of the previous course*

**A 5 week course. We will concentrating purely on drawing and painting the (clothed) human figure.**

**Whether you're a complete beginner or have some experience, you can work at your own level with as much (or as little) guidance as you like. If you'd just like the company of a regular drawing event, that's fine too.**

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## Organisation

We will usually start with some quick warm-up sketches, then progress may do some longer five to fifteen minute poses. You'll soon learn how much detail you can include for different length poses. Your model will always be clothed.

After a break, we will generally do some longer poses - thirty minutes or longer.

We will try some different exercises each week. The idea is not always to produce beautiful work, so you needn't be too worried about getting it 'right'. These different ways of practising train your ability to observe the figure.

The class is more about practice and refinement and developing a style. Hopefully, you will learn and improve every time you observe a figure.

The main language will be English, but if you can forgive my French, I would welcome any French speakers.

## Dates & Venue

The course will run for 5 weeks on Wednesday mornings, starting on the 28th February 2018 and finishing on the 28th March 2018.

The class runs from 09:30 to 12:30 with a short break for tea/coffee around 11:00. The gallery will be open from around 09:10 if you would like to get a tea/coffee first.

The venue will be Galerie JS (60 Rue St Pierre, Monflanquin). Tea and coffee will be provided, but if you prefer fruit/herbal teas etc, please bring whatever you prefer.

## Materials

The price of the course includes white paper, charcoal, pencils, erasers and a range of hard pastels. You are welcome to bring any other materials you wish to use.

Easels and drawing boards will also be available.

## Course cost

To provide a good level of personal attention and to avoid overcrowding I am limiting the number of places to 6 people per course. The cost of the five week course will be 55€ per person (including basic materials), payable in advance.

## Any Questions?

Please call into the gallery or email [info@galerie-js.fr](mailto:info@galerie-js.fr)

## To Reserve Your Place

Places will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis.

To reserve your place, please email [info@galerie-js.fr](mailto:info@galerie-js.fr) with your contact details.

In case there are more requests than places, I'll keep a waiting list.

Please note that sending an email doesn't guarantee a place.