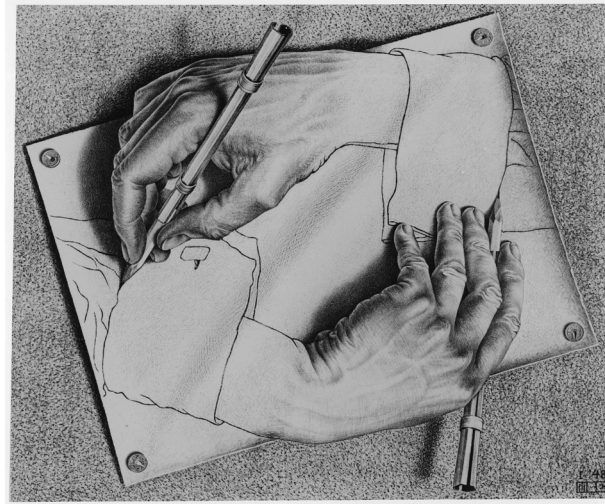


Spring 2019

LA 621 Research Methods II



Drawing Hands
M.C. Escher, 1948
lithograph
(accessed from <https://moa.byu.edu/mc-eschers-drawing-hands/>)

Time Tu
10:00am - 11:50am

Location Lawrence Hall, Room 230

Credits 2 (MLA students)
4 (PhD students)

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Course Description This class is the second of two research methods classes, part of a five-term research sequence in support of the Masters Project. Where LA 620 focussed on the culture and context of research in Landscape Architecture, LA 621 focusses on the practice of research in Landscape Architecture.

Prerequisite LA 620

Curricular Context This class is required for all MLA students.

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Class Format	Class meeting times are primarily structured around lectures, guest presentations and panels, group discussions, peer review, and writing workshops.
Grading	Pass/No Pass. According to University policy, graduate students must earn the equivalent of a B- or better to earn a Pass grade.
Textbook	There is no required textbook. However, students will be consulting various scholarly sources (books, journals, etc.) relevant to their proposed Masters Project research topic.
Learning Objectives	<p>By the end of this course, you will have:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Learned and demonstrated various practices, techniques, and habits for successful research project management.2. Learned how to review and evaluate your own and your colleagues' written work.3. Developed a literature review that critically synthesizes one or more topics in support of your proposed Masters Project.