



## Design project 1: pattern, surface and form

### Designprojekt 1: mönster, yta och form

10.5 credits

**Ladok Code:** AX1YF2

**Version:** 2.0

**Established by:** Artistic Research and Education Board 2019-12-11

**Valid from:** Spring 2020

**Education Cycle:** First cycle

**Main Field of Study (Progressive Specialisation):** Textile Design (G1F)

**Disciplinary Domain:** Design

**Prerequisites:** Completed course Technique and expression 1: dyeing, printing and finishing 13,5 credits (or equivalent).

**Subject Area:** Design

**Grading Scale:** Fail (U) or Pass (G)

### Content

The course aims to develop students' experimental and professional capacity for interpretation, taking pattern composition, textile printing techniques and dyeing and finishing techniques as starting points. The course also aims to plan, carry out and present design work from initial idea through to the completion of an textile pattern collection. The main content of the course is:

- The development of design concepts and sketches; pattern, colour, scale, choice of materials and choice of printing and finishing techniques
- Experimental work in the studio, in workshops and in laboratories
- Research and analysis

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the course, students should be able to:

1. apply an investigative and experimental working method for idea development,
2. apply textile printing and finishing techniques in order to investigate opportunities for expression in textile materials,
3. develop textiles in relation to pattern, surface and form,
4. demonstrate how design work can affect the living environment and people who work and live with textile materials and products.

### Forms of Teaching

Tuition consists of lectures, seminars and supervision.

The language of instruction is English.

### Forms of Examination

The course will be examined through the following examination elements:

- Independent creative work (Learning outcomes 1-3) 9 credits Grading scale: Fail (U)/Pass (G)
- Documented presentation of and reflection on starting points, methods and results (Learning outcomes 1-4) 1,5 credits Grading scale: Fail (U)/Pass (G)

For the grade passed on the entire course, an approved grade is required for all parts.

If the student has received a decision/recommendation regarding special pedagogical support from the University of Borås due to disability or special needs, the examiner has the right to make accommodations when it comes to examination. The examiner must, based on the objectives of the course syllabus, determine whether the examination

can be adapted in accordance with the decision/recommendation.

Student rights and obligations at examination are in accordance with guidelines and rules for the University of Borås.

### **Literature and Other Teaching Materials**

Moussavi, Farshild (2009). *The function of form*. Barcelona: Actar

Wong, Wucius (1993). *Principles of form and design*. New York: John Wiley & Sons, inc.

### **Student Influence and Evaluation**

The views of students will be canvassed systematically and regularly by means of written course assessments once courses are complete. For further information, please see the university policy on course assessments and documents prepared by the Faculty Board, Director of Studies and Course Coordinator.

### **Miscellaneous**

The course is a program course primarily for the Bachelor's programme in Textile Design.

The main focus of the course is on learning outcomes: 1a-b, 2a-b, 4a-b, 5b, 6a-b

The course can be conducted in Swedish if no international students are admitted.

This syllabus is a translation from the Swedish original.