

Objective 202.01

Understand project management concepts to create digital media.



Course Weight : 3%



Project Plan

Beginning a digital media project from scratch and carrying it through its final completion takes a combination of efforts from all parties involved.

To complete this process quickly and efficiently - with as little mistakes, arguments, and wasted time as possible - it is necessary to create a Project Plan.



Components of a Project Plan

- ✓ **Project scope**
target audience, goals, and objectives for the project
- ✓ **Client's criteria for the project**
the specific requirements as defined by the client (color scheme, fonts, etc.)
- ✓ **List of project deliverables**
the final product(s) the client is requesting (a design, a website, an app, a video, etc.)
- ✓ **Distribution of responsibilities**
which member of the team is doing which task



Components of a Project Plan

- ✓ **Due dates for intermediate tasks**
hard deadlines for when particular phases of the project will be completed
- ✓ **Budget for the project**
how much money the client is willing to spend and how much the designer charges for completing the assigned tasks
- ✓ **List of necessary equipment**
what pieces of equipment the designer will need to create the project
- ✓ **Distribution requirements**
the client's requirements for using and distributing the final project (file type, size, modification possibilities, etc.)

