

COLLEGE RESOURCES

A.1. 600 North Market Street

The Delaware College of Art and Design, or DCAD, is located at 600 North Market Street in the center of downtown Wilmington. Its historic art deco building has been newly renovated and transformed into a well-equipped educational facility. Technologically-current computer imaging and graphics labs, a darkroom and photo studio reflect the latest developments in these fields, while painting, drawing, and design studios, bathed in natural light, merge modern with traditional approaches.

A.2. Housing

The Delaware College of Art and Design offers student accommodations at the Saville (located at the corner of Sixth and King Streets) and at 707 N. King Street. Students desiring housing can utilize these units. While there is no college policy stipulating mandatory housing, it is felt that students benefit from closer proximity and better access to college resources.

Housing is assigned on a first-come, first-serve basis. A \$200 deposit is required to request a housing assignment. This deposit becomes the security deposit. Rates for the 2018-2019 academic year are \$4,090.00 per semester.

Housing fees are paid in two installments and will appear on the student's tuition statement. Deposits will be refunded after a student moves out of the unit and an inspection has been completed that identifies any damages or special cleaning arrangements. For more information regarding student housing, please refer to the *Student Housing Handbook*.

A.3. Dining

The Delaware College of Art and Design offers an on-campus dining hall, located in our 707 King Street dormitory. The dining hall, operated by CulinArt, Inc., offers a large selection of meal and snack options for breakfast, lunch and dinner during the week and brunch and dinner on the weekends. Everything is made from fresh, local ingredients and satisfies any and all tastes and preferences, including vegetarians. Vegan and other special diets are included with healthy options. If a special diet is required, a student should notify Student Services prior to August orientation.

Meal plans are mandatory for all residential students and the rate for the 2017-2018 academic year is \$2,135.00 per semester. Commuter students have the option of purchasing a meal plan.

A.4. Tatiana Copeland Student Center

The first floor of the Saville features the Tatiana Copeland Student Center, a gathering spot offering game tables, study nooks, wireless Internet, snack machines, and a general "hangout" for students to build and foster study groups and lifelong friendships. Students can find a wide-range of activities in the Student Center from music performances to poetry readings to exhibitions of their work.

A.5. Edgar A. Thronson Library

The Edgar A. Thronson Library is a specialized art and design library supporting the research needs of DCAD's students and faculty. The library houses a collection of more than 14,000 books, videos, sound files, digital images, electronic resources, as well as subscriptions to art and design periodicals. The collection of art and design resources supports and supplements DCAD's intellectual and artistic goals; with particularly strong collections in animation, art history, fine arts, graphic design, illustration, interior design, and photography. Search the library's collection by accessing the online catalog at

WWW.DCAD.EDU/LIBRARY or by visiting the library in person. In addition to both the library's physical holding and electronic resources the library participates in an interlibrary loan network, which allows patrons to borrow materials from libraries across the U.S. In addition, DCAD students can visit nearby library collections at the Wilmington Public Library, Delaware Art Museum and the University of Delaware.

A.6. Exhibition Spaces

The Delaware College of Art and Design maintains supervised exhibition spaces for displaying the work of students, faculty, and alumni of the College including the first floor Toni & Stuart B. Young Gallery. The Gallery is open to the public and provides an important showcase for student and faculty work, as well as visiting exhibitions. The gallery participates in the downtown Art Loop that attracts visitors and residents alike to explore the cultural resources of the city.

Other exhibition spaces include the Denise and Richard Easton Sculpture Space, a student-run exhibition space, and in the hallways. As Wilmington's only professional art school, many other exhibition opportunities are made available to DCAD students, on and off the DCAD campus.

A.7. Copy Machines

Card-operated copy machines are available for student use in the Rowland Student Lounge and in the Thronson Library. If any copier requires technical assistance, please contact the Business Office.

A.8. Mailboxes

Each student in the AFA Degree Program is assigned a mailbox. Student mailboxes are located on the fourth floor in the Rowland Student Lounge. It is the students' responsibility to check their mailbox on a regular basis for important notices and information regarding school policies, meetings and activities.

A.9. Email

All DCAD students are issued a College email address: jdoe@dcad.edu and an account. Students are required to monitor messages that are generated by faculty, the registrar and other DCAD offices.

A.10. Postings

In order to facilitate the responsible distribution of information, and to minimize visual clutter in the building, the following posting policy has been implemented: notices, flyers or posters may only be placed in designated posting areas or mailboxes with the prior permission of the director of student services. This does not apply to mailbox distribution of administrative memos or notices, or curricular-related material from faculty.

Posting areas for students' notices includes the Rowland Student Lounge on the fourth floor and the first-floor kiosk. Prior approval is necessary for posting in these areas. No notices, flyers or posters may be taped or pinned to walls anywhere else in the building, including the stairwells. The administration reserves the right to remove material that is illegal, inappropriate or otherwise offensive to the community sensibility. This board will be cleared at the end of each semester.