



Birkbeck, University of London, in partnership with the Rosetta Art Centre, announces an exciting new programme, beginning January 2012 at the Rosetta Art Centre:

Certificate of Higher Education in Understanding Visual Arts

- This is a nationally-recognised University of London qualification that is the equivalent of the first year of a BA degree and provides a direct route into degree study. It looks great on your c.v.
- It gives you the opportunity to explore the world of the visual through art from the past and present. You enhance your visual skills and awareness as well as your critical thinking and communication abilities.
- There are no entrance requirements - it is a flexible, part-time programme designed to meet the needs of people who have not previously had the opportunity to study at university level.

Funding is available for eligible students.

You may have heard that there will be a sharp rise in university fees from 2012-13. Birkbeck is committed to helping you make study financially possible. If you enrol on this programme now, and progress directly onto a degree upon completion, you will be able to complete the certificate AND the degree at current fee rates plus inflation. Eligible students will continue to be able to apply for government grants to cover fees.

Beat the university fee hike, and study something you love!

Full details are available at:

<http://www.bbk.ac.uk/study/ce2011/artandarchitecture/awards/UEHVISM.html>

*Please note that the days, times and locations will be updated soon to reflect this new partnership and the January start.

Please contact Dr Leslie Topp, Programme Director, for further information (l.topp@bbk.ac.uk).

Leslie will be visiting the Centre at **11am on Tuesday 11th October** to talk about the programme. Come along to find out more.