What is your relationship with the natural environment, and how do you observe your surroundings?

This course is concentrated on drawing, building technical skills to better render what is observed in our surrounding landscapes. Students will develop their own work, as well as hear how other artists incorporate close observation and foundational drawing skills in diverse artistic practices. They will draw in handmade sketchbooks and learn a basic bookbinding technique. In addition, the program will address topics such as studying art in college, how to create a portfolio, writing an artist statement, and exhibiting.

Online Class Schedule (Central Standard Time):

- Morning : Class Time
  - 1:00 - 2:00 pm : SLAC*
- Afternoon : Class and Work Time

- Independent and group work will be completed inside and outside of the defined class times
- Detailed class schedule on our website

*What is SLAC? (Summer Liberal Arts Communities)

Each SLAC will have a theme, where students will sample an academic topic outside their program and gain college prep skills. Students will choose their themed community once accepted into the Institute!