List of Materials for VICO 222

Film: Kodak Tri–X or Kodak Plus–X in 36 exposure rolls. Plan on shooting about 3 rolls per

week minimum. You may bulk load if you wish in order to save money.

Film Developer: Kodak D–76, packet to make 1 gallon. You'll need about 2 for the quarter.

Fixer: Kodak Hardening Fixer, packet to make 1 gallon. You'll need about 2 for the quarter.

Wash Aid: Heico Perma Wash, 32 oz concentrate

Printing Paper: Printing Paper: Kodak Polycontrast III RC 8x10 F surface (glossy) -- or -- Ilford Multi-

grade RC IV 8x10 F surface. Most students will use about 200 sheets.

(NOTE: Other surfaces are available, but not recommended.)

Print Developer: Kodak Dektol, packet to make 1 gallon. You'll need about 2 for the quarter.

Stop Bath: Kodak Indicator Stop Bath, 16 oz. concentrate

Drying Aid: Kodak Photo Flo, any size bottle

Film Tank & Reels: 4-reel stainless tank and 4 stainless reels are recommended. Expensive Hewes-made

stainless reels are much easier to load, but cost about \$17-\$20 each. Calumet now sells good Hewes reels for \$12.99 ea. (stock no. CP9055) and Wilson's sometimes stocks them. The school equipment cage has some tanks and reels for checkout, but has a

limited supply of 4 reel tanks available.

Thermometer: Glass thermometer with 1–degree increments around the 65–80 degree range. Avoid dial

type thermometers.

Print Tongs: Any kind you wish. Get a set of at least three. There have been some available in the

cage for student use in the past, but they are battered.

Photo Sponge: A soft non-cellulose sponge for wiping excess water from film before hanging to dry

Negative Sleeves: Clear archival polyethylene or polypropylene sleeves. Avoid non–archival PVC sleeves

Gallon Jugs: Light–reducing brown 1 gallon jugs are recommended but you may substitute any clean

reusable jug you wish. Get 3 jugs (film developer, paper developer, fixer). Avoid thin

plastic milk jugs — they don't seal well and may split.

Dust remover: Dust Off compressed air or equivalent, or a soft camel's hair brush

Spotting fluid: Spot Tone #3, small bottle

Spotting brush: A fine point spotting brush or a 0000 artist's brush

Mounting supplies: Seal Color Mount dry mount tissue 8x10 size and 11x14 mount board - enough for about

12 prints. Options to be described later in the quarter.

Misc: Small, inexpensive pair of scissors for cutting film & a towel. Perhaps a bottle opener.

You should expect to spend about \$400 to \$500 for film, paper, chemicals, and other supplies this quarter to adequately perform class assignments.