

Scale Model Challenge 2026

Workshop Outlines

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Title class: Faces in Focus: Painting Expressive Skin and Hair on Busts

Saturday October 17

09:30-13:30

Skill Level: Intermediate

Ticket Price: € 125

Bust by Hex miniatures included in the price

Focus on painting expressive, believable faces using a small feminine bust as the working format.

The class will centre on developing convincing skin tones, understanding how colour behaves across different areas of the face, and how to apply effective shading and highlighting to bring out structure, depth, and personality.

Participants will explore how light interacts with facial planes, how to push contrast without losing realism, and how subtle shifts in hue can dramatically improve the lifelike quality of the skin.

We'll break down key areas such as eyes, nose, lips, and hair, focusing on clarity, transitions, and controlled brushwork. By the end, you'll have a solid approach to building faces that feel grounded, readable, and full of character.

Students should bring their own brushes, paints, desk lamp and tools

The SMC organizers will provide some small materials and disposables, like water cups, paper towels, etc.

We provide power strips **but we do not provide desk lamps or extension cords**. Please bring your own, and remember that we have Euro plugs and 230V. Check if your electronic devices require a plug adapter.

Payment

- Participants are requested to purchase a workshop ticket to take part in the workshops. For each workshop there is a different ticket. Payment is required upon ordering the ticket. We do not issue invoices.
- **Show admission tickets are not included in the price of the workshop.** Please purchase your admission tickets separately, either online or at the ticket counters at the show. Workshop tickets are only valid upon presentation of a valid admission ticket.

Cancellations and refunds policy

- We guarantee that participants will be 100% refunded, minus possible banking or PayPal charges, in case of cancellation by the teacher.
- We do not refund in case you have to cancel or are unable to attend, but it is allowed to transfer your workshop tickets to another person. We do not provide this service for you.
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