ML: Millinery

ML 113 — Blocking Techniques for Hats

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
Students acquire basic stitching,
patternmaking, and blocking skills while
completing a beret, baseball cap, draped felt
hat, and a one-piece blocked felt hat.

ML 115 — Fabric Hat Construction

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
Students learn to develop patterns and
construct soft fabric hats and caps. Grain
lines, fabric qualities and support materials
are covered as is the impact of the materials
on the hat's shape and body.

ML 116 — Cold Weather Headgear

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
Students continue to master patternmaking
and blocking skills while completing a
helmet, hunting cap, and cuff hat with a knit
crown and a blocked fur crown. Students
gain an understanding of how to manipulate
specialized materials.

Prerequisite(s): ML 115.

ML 123 — Contemporary Men's Hats

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
From blocked hats to baseball caps,
students learn flat patternmaking, sewing,
and blocking techniques in order to design
and produce men's hats.
Prerequisite(s): ML 115.

ML 241 — Bridal and Special Occasion Headwear

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
By completing a collection of hats for a
wedding, students continue to master their
blocking and sewing skills. How to block
and create a classic turban is also taught.
Students work with veiling and wire.
Prerequisite(s): ML 115.

ML 243 — Creative Design in Headwear

2.5 credits; 1 lecture and 3 lab hours
Students use the techniques acquired in their previous classes to create a challenging, unified collection of headwear that reflects their individual style.
Prerequisite(s): ML 115.