Summer Project Brief FTDMP & FMMP Students

CREATE	CONNECT	COMMUNICATE
Welcome letter sent out including Summer Project Brief. Social media platforms including Weibo, Course Instagram and closed Facebook page are introduced to prospective students.	Students engage with course social media platforms.	Future students can begin to converse with each other and staff team.
Summer Project requires students to start thinking about their intentions for the MA and what they would like to achieve.	Students bring objects, artefacts, images, fabrics, and drawings etc., which express their creative/professional identity.	A session is scheduled in induction week for students to present (in any format) to peers and staff team. (Dependant on student numbers random groups will be assigned)
Presentation can be in any format, a physical box/book/board, digital format, collection of photographs, using social media, performance/film/sound.	Students aim to engage the audience – presentation skills can be observed by staff and picked up on in following sessions.	Students learn from peers.
This will form the basis of the primary research for Programme of Study and the first module	Students connect with peers, communicate culture/ background.	Students learn from peers.
Series of workshops begin	Talking Practice lectures and workshop sessions; students introduced to critical reflection	Outcomes of these workshops are shared on social media platforms in

		order to promote students,
	Practical workshops led by	course and university.
	staff/ technical staff and	
	visiting lecturers and peer	
	led.	
Weibo platform runs	Weibo & Instagram platforms	Promoting course, university
alongside, along with course	help to promote students	and individual students.
instagram page, initially	work and encourage building	
managed by staff and then	professional networks, focus	Once this sequence has
run by a nominated student	on employability.	been implemented student
ambassador (overseen by		alumni could return and lead
staff team including	Platforms also help to	sessions, maintaining links
Mandarin-speaking staff	promote course, particularly	with the University.
member)	using weibo platform to	
	target Chinese market where	Regular dialogue between
	the majority of course	staff, students and student
	applicants come from.	representatives to gauge the
		level of integration
		experienced by overseas and
		home students.