

Collin College - Continuing Education COURSE SYLLABUS

COURSE INFORMATION

Course Number: PHOT 6925

Course Title: PhotoShop for Digital Photographers

Course Description: Learn the cutting-edge features of the digital image editing software used by professionals.

Suggested Course Prerequisite(s): Digital Photography – Intermediate Skills

Course Resources: Photoshop for Lightroom Users (2nd Edition)
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Student Learning Outcomes: Examine selection techniques, image retouching, toolbox, menus, palettes, layers, filters, cropping, rotation and resizing, RAW image processing, Photomerge, printing and color calibration.

Certification Notes:

Next course recommendation:

Refund Policy: Please refer to www.collin.edu/ce/infoRegistrar.html for our refund policy. No refunds after the start time of the first class.

Americans with Disabilities Act: Collin College will adhere to all applicable federal, state

and local laws, regulations and guidelines with respect to providing reasonable accommodations as required to afford equal opportunity. It is the student's responsibility to contact the ACCESS office, SCC-D140 or 972.881.5898 (V/TTD: 972.881.5950) to arrange for appropriate accommodations. See the current *Collin Student Handbook* for additional information.

Course Sessions: Listed are guidelines to indicate all topics that will be covered during your course. Do not plan your personal calendar based on these sessions. Your instructor will give you a calendar for your class that will indicate specific topics, assignments, and days.

Lesson Plan – by week or session:

Session 1: Using Photoshop Mini Bridge

The Essentials of Camera Raw

Session 2: Camera Raw – Beyond the Basics

Camera Raw's Adjustment Tools

Session 3: How to Resize and Crop Photos

How to Create Stunning B&W Images

Session 4: Creating HDR Images

Fixing Common Problems

Session 5: Special Effects for Photographers

Sharpening Techniques

Session 6: Step-by-Step Printing and Color Management

Editing DSLR Video in Photoshop

Session 7: By Step-by-Step Workflow

Method of Evaluation: Unless otherwise stated, course completion is evaluated on the basis of attendance. Students must be in attendance 90% of each course in a certificate series for successful completion and to earn a certificate as specified.