## Digital Photography 1 Scope and Sequence

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Course Outline & Expectations	2 Days
<ul> <li>Classroom Expectations</li> <li>Regular Bell Schedule</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Course Descriptions and Requirements</li> <li>Proposed Scope and Sequence</li> <li>Beacon Program (SUNY Colege Credit)</li> </ul>	
The Text book of Digital Photography	
<ul> <li>How to choose the right SD card</li> <li>What is Photography?</li> </ul>	
History of Photography	1 Week
The History of Photography in 5 Minutes  History of Photography Information shoot	
<ul> <li>History of Photography Information sheet</li> <li>Not too Long Ago</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>How to Load 35mm Film</li> <li>Capacity of an SD Card</li> </ul>	
Composing a Better Picture	8 Weeks
<ul> <li>Taking Photos that tell a story.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Introduction to Composition</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Pulitzer Prize Winning Photos</li> <li>What makes a photo worthy of a</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>What makes a photo worthy of a Pulitzer?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Defining a Style for your Photography</li> </ul>	
Composition Examples	
<ul> <li>9 Photo Composition Tips</li> </ul>	

- Composition Tips Worksheet
- The Rule of Thirds
- Rule of Thirds
- Leading Lines
- Filling the Frame
- o Patterns & Repetition
- Shooting Assignment:
  - Composition
    - Composition Grading Rubric
- Point of View
  - Camera Angles and Viewpoint
  - <u>Tips on How to Use Your Lens Angle of View</u>
  - Bird Eye View Photography & Video
  - Point of View in Photography
    - Bird's Eye View (examples)
    - Becoming the Subject (examples)
    - Eye Level (examples)
    - Worm's Eye View (examples)
- Shooting Assignment
  - Point of View
    - Point of View Grading Rubric
- How To Take Great Photos On An iPhone
  - IMPORTANT: <u>Smart phone pictures</u> pose privacy risks
- NOBODY CARES ABOUT YOUR PHOTOGRAPHY
  - NOBODY CARES Assignment sheet

## Advanced Exposure Control

- Introduction
  - <u>Understanding Exposure & Camera Settings</u>
  - Aperture, Shutter Speed & ISO Information Sheet
- Semi-Automatic Exposure Control
  - o ISO
    - ISO Explained
    - ISO Chart
    - The impact of ISO on a photograph.
    - Nikon ISO Settings
    - Shooting Assignment
      - Assignment #3 ISO
        - Assignment 3 Rubric
  - Aperature Prioity Mode
    - What is the Aperture?
    - What is Depth of Field?
    - Aperture Prioity Mode
    - Understanding Aperture
    - Depth of Field (example)
      - F4.5
      - <u>F22</u>
    - How to use iPhone's Portrait Mode
      - Camera Exposure Simulators
        - DSLR Exposure Simulator
        - Canon Exposure
           Simulator
          - Simulator Worksheet

- Shutter Prioity Mode
  - Shutter Speed for the Beginning Photographer
  - Shutter Speed - as fast as Possible
  - The Camera Shutter The Slow Mo Guys
  - Stop Action & Blurred Motion
  - What is the Shutter?
  - Shutter Prioity Mode
    - Camera Exposure Simulators
      - DSLR Exposure Simulator
      - Canon Exposure Simulator
        - Simulator Worksheet
- Manual Exposure Control
  - Introduction to Manual Exposure Control
  - Understanding Your Camera's Light Meter
    - Nikon Manual Exposure Settings
  - Reciprocity
    - Law of Reciprocity
    - Definitions & Information for Reciprocity & Types of Focus
    - Aperture, Shutter Speed & ISO
    - The Exposure Triangle Simulator
    - Where Do You Start
      - Reciprocity Information Sheet

- Reciprocity & Types of Focus Worksheets
- Shooting Assignment
  - Assignment #5
    - Assignment #5 Rubric

## Editing your Digital Images

5 Weeks

- Introduction to Photoshop
  - Introduction to Photoshop
  - Photoshop Screen
  - Tool Palette
  - First Editing Assignment
    - Photoshop DEMO-Puppies
    - Puppies (Image to be Downloaded)
  - Photoshop Key press Shortcuts
- The Image Menu
  - Image Menu Demo
  - Class Assignment: Image Menu Activity
  - Image Menu Activity
  - Images
    - Folder containing Images (click and download)
- Saving Your Image
  - Considerations for Saving your Photoshop Images
  - Saving your Photoshop Image
  - Saving your Photoshop Image for the Web (Facebook, Pintrest...)
- Layers
  - What is a Layer?

- Types of Layers
  - Background Layer a layer that duplicates the original image.
  - Image Layer
    - Creating a Composite
       Image with multiple Image
       Layers
      - Images for Composite Image
        - <u>Doghouse in</u> back yard
        - Snoopy
        - Charlie Brown
        - Lucy
        - Schroeder
        - Woodstock
      - Office DeskComposite Images
      - <u>Cartoon Characters</u> <u>Composite Image</u> Folder
  - Text Layer
    - Adding Text to an Image
    - Images
      - Einstein
      - Keyboard
      - Santa and Reindeers
    - Class Assignment Text Layers
      - Feeling Chart
  - Adjustment Layer
    - Introduction to Adjustment
      Layers William

- How to use Adjustment Layers in Photoshop CS6 Volume
- <u>Class Assignment:</u>
   <u>Adjustment Layer Activity</u>
  - Images
    - Elephant
    - Flower
    - Sailing Ship
    - Tornado
    - Earth
    - Canal
- Shooting Assignment:
   Basic Editing and
   Adjustment Layers
  - Basic Editing and Adjustment Layers -Rubric
- Using a Black/White Layer to create Selective Color Effect
  - <u>Examples of Selective</u> Color Effect Images
  - <u>Selective Color Effect</u> Activity
    - Using Black & White Adjustment Layer
      - Beauty & the Beast Rose
      - Woman
      - <u>Earth in</u>
         Hand
      - Red Rose

- Skittles
- Using Black & White and Hue/Saturation Adjustment Layers
  - Teen Face
  - Doors
  - Doors (Advanced)
- Shooting Assignment:
   Selective Color Effect
   Images
  - <u>Selective Color</u> <u>Effect Images -</u> <u>Evaluation</u> Rubric

## Special Photographic Techniques

2 Weeks

- Green Screen Images
  - o How Does a Green-Screen Work?
    - Green Screen Information Sheet
    - Green Screen Shooting Assignment
  - Removing Green Screen from your image
    - Example Green Screen Image
    - Example Backgrounds
      - Cave
      - Forest Road
  - Magazine Cover Templates
    - <u>Time</u>
    - Sports Illustrated
    - Vogue

- Fish and Stream
- Removing a Non-Uniform background from an image
  - Rose Blossom
- Sequence Photography
  - Introduction to Sequence Photography
  - Procedure
    - Example Images (Swing)
  - Photo Shoot Sequence Photography
  - Student Samples
- Night Photography
  - How To Take Perfectly Sharp iPhone Night Photos
  - Assignment: Submit 2 pictures to Goggle classroom, taken with your cellphone at night.. Be creative.
- Forced Perspective Photographs
  - How to take forced perspective photos
  - 25 Forced Perspective Images
  - o How Disney Uses Forced Perspective
  - How to Take Forced Perspective Photos
    - Shooting Assignment
    - Shooting Assignment Grading Rubric
- Silhouette Photography
  - Creating a Simple Silhouette
    - Understanding Metering Modes
    - How to Change the Metering Mode

How to Create silhouettes in photoshop	