

Introduction to Digital Photography

Designed for digital camera users (compact or SLR) who have a keen interest in photography but little or no previous knowledge. The course will cover basic technical explanations, from how to use your own equipment (for example different camera modes), to creative and practical skills. A variety of photography topics will be covered as well as an introduction to image manipulation software. Throughout the ten sessions there will be a mixture of presentations, group discussions, practical activities and group reviews of students work.

At the end of the course you would have responded to weekly assignments, group reviews and practical experience equipping you to carry on developing your digital photography.



What is this course about?

The aim of this course is to give students the opportunity to confidently develop their skills and understanding with their digital photography and use of their equipment.

This is a non-credited course meaning there is no formal qualification. Feedback will be provided on a weekly basis through the group reviews, discussions, practical activities and weekly assignments. You will not get a set mark.

Who is this for?

- Anyone with an interest in developing their skills and understanding with their digital photography and use of their equipment
- Professionals involved in visual and creative industries, such as editorial, advertising and education

What are the learning objectives?

At the end of this course participants will be able to:

- Carry on developing their digital photography through using and relating to the knowledge and skills taught
- Outline and appreciate key topics and themes in relation to digital photography
- Appreciate and evaluate their use of visual and technical skills

- Assess and utilise different camera functions and features
- Apply and judge the use of their own equipment
- Evaluate and discuss digital photography in general and their own and other's work

How will participants benefit?

- Equipped to undertake and complete the follow on 'Intermediate Digital Photography' short course or the 'Creative Photography' short course
- Potential knowledge and skills to take forward to a higher level course, such as professional, undergraduate or postgraduate courses

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10 week course

How to book

To book, or to enquire in more detail, please email MATshortcourses@glos.ac.uk

or visit: www.glos.ac.uk/courses/shortcourses

Duration

10 weeks

Course Fee (per person)

£195

Time

Tuesdays 6.30 - 8.30pm

Location

Centre for Art and Photography, University of Gloucestershire

For directions go to:

www.glos.ac.uk/travel

Tutor

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