

Basic Digital Photography Zoom Outline

Students will need a DSLR with manual capabilities (aperture, shutter, ISO, white balance)

Week 1

Discuss in detail aperture, shutter speed, ISO and white balance - where and how to change these on your camera. We will also discuss lenses and camera accessories.

Composition and framing will be covered in detail.

Assignment - shoot in your own backyard and around the house. Keep it close to home and practice shooting in full manual mode.

Week 2

We will start with a review material from the previous week. This session will concentrate on shooting portraits. We will cover posing, lighting, camera settings.

Students will share their assignments.

Assignment - shoot some portraits indoor and outdoor using what we learned during class.

Week 3

We will start with a review material from the previous week. This session will concentrate on shooting landscapes. We will cover lighting, angles, camera settings.

Students will share their assignments.

Assignment - shoot some landscapes during the golden hour.

Week 4

We will start with a review material from the previous week. This session will concentrate on shooting everything but portraits and landscapes such as still life, fine art, conceptual photography etc. Students will share their assignments.

Assignment - shoot what you like to shoot most.

Week 5

We will have a big review of all the material covered so far. Students will share their final portfolios.