

# Course Information 2018/19

## DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPY IMPROVERS

Start Date	15 <sup>th</sup> January 2019
Time	7.00pm - 9.30pm
Day of week	Tuesday
Number of Weeks	6
Course Dates	15 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> and 29 <sup>th</sup> January - (no class on 5 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> February) 19 <sup>th</sup> and 26 <sup>th</sup> February, & 5 <sup>th</sup> March
Venue	ELY COLLEGE
Course Fee	£82.50 Concessionary Fee £60.00  Fees are payable by cash in person or cheque payable to Ely College
Course Level	Improvers
Additional Course Cost (e.g. visits, materials, books, assessment fee, equipment)	No Additional costs
Any skills or qualifications needed for entry to the class	Completion of the beginner's photography course. Computer literacy.
Materials required for first class	Digital Camera and manual (Any camera that allows you to set Aperture, Shutter speed and ISO) If you are unsure if your camera is suitable please email me <a href="mailto:info@lauragalbraithphotography">info@lauragalbraithphotography</a> for advice. Laptop or tablet with wi-fi connectivity.

### Course description - Including aims & objectives

The aim of this course is to build on prior technical knowledge and focus on building individual creative confidence through the lens. Using set tasks and weekly assignments the emphasis will be on exploring the potential of photography to improve each learner's skill and photographic style.

#### Learning outcomes:

- Build upon prior knowledge and gain confidence with creative and technical techniques
- Improve photo editing skills
- Develop knowledge into the history and practice of famous photographers
- Unlock creative potential and develop personal style

**Teaching and learning methods:** Presentations, practical tasks, class discussions and weekly photographic assignments with critique.

How Progress & Success will be recorded: By progressive technical and creative assignments. Student images posted to a closed Facebook group for tutor and peer comment. Portfolio of images created by end of course showing various techniques. Learners are also required to fill out an Individual Learning Plan to record their progress.

#### Any further next steps Enrol on further courses if offered. What else will you We ask all students to complete an enrolment form which asks for details need to do required by the Education & Skills Funding Agency & the County Council and is a requirement of entry to the course. We ask for full payment prior to the course beginning. Please note refunds can only be made if a class is cancelled or closed. What else do we Please can you let us know if you have any attendance problems and if you are ask of you not able to attend the class (contact details below). We like to know if you have a problem. How do we know if We will ask you to complete a course evaluation, giving us your feedback on the course, you are happy with tutor & college. You are always welcome to feedback directly to us at any time during your your course course to help us improve our services & courses.

Some of our courses are subsidised by the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) and part financed by the 2014-20 European Social Fund (ESF) programme. This funding is managed by Cambridgeshire County Council, Adult Learning and Skills. A short video covering the background of ESF, what it does, how it helps and who benefits is available on the European Union website: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/esf/home.jsp">http://ec.europa.eu/esf/home.jsp</a> How we use your data

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/esfa-privacy-notice

Safeguarding

Arrangements have been made to make sure that you are safe at our Centres. If you feel you are not safe for any reason, for example through verbal or physical abuse or you have been discriminated against, please tell your tutor or the Centre Manager, who will investigate to ensure your safety.

#### Equality and Diversity

We are fully committed to equality of opportunity and welcome enrolments from all adults aged 19+. We positively encourage all learners with any concerns about specific needs which might affect their learning to discuss their requirements with us in confidence. We believe that everyone is entitled to learn in an environment that is free from discriminatory behaviour so that we build a community based on mutual trust and respect. We will do our best to ensure that resources and equipment are accessible to all and make reasonable adjustments to ensure that all learners can access activities.

Cambridgeshire County Council, Adult Learning and Skills service supports a wide range of adult learning opportunities across Cambridgeshire. Search our website <u>www.cambsals.co.uk</u> for more information. We also deliver specific courses for adults with learning difficulties and disabilities. For more information about these specific courses please call 01223 703530

#### National Careers Service (NCS)

Careers advice is available to all learners. The National Careers Service provides free information and advice on all aspects of learning, skills development and employment. Help is provided in a way that suits you, online, face to face or by telephone. Go to www.cambsals.co.uk and click on 'I need some advice' for more information or call our booking line on 0845 603 1059

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