

Fundamentals of Photography – Using Light and Composition

Learning outcomes/objectives

At the end of this class, aspiring photographers will have developed an understanding of how composition and lighting can impact a picture, and things to consider when working with these variables

Pre-requisites

Basic understanding of:

- Handling the camera
- Basic camera equipment
- Impact of shutter speed
- Impact of aperture and depth of field
- Impact of using different lenses and focal lengths

Format

The class will run for 2.5 hours and cover the following:

- Composition
 - > Seeing well
 - > Background and perspective
 - > Framing and layering
 - > Focus and DOF
 - > Image orientation
 - > Image proportion
- Light
 - > Colour: composition, adjacent & contrast
 - > Found and ambient light
 - > Light intensity: high key, low key
 - > Silhouettes/back-lighting
 - > Motion blur
 - > Introduced light

Number of participants

'Active': Minimum 6, Maximum of 12

Fee

\$120 (includes GST)