

## Digital Photographic Project Fundamentals - Noncredit Certificate of Completion

**Program Description:** The Digital Photographic Project Fundamentals Certificate trains students in the proper procedures and practices for operation of digital cameras, principles of photographic exposure, critical and aesthetic standards, and project development needed to complete assignments in the photographic industry. Each related course is designed and taught to develop and improve competencies required for employment in the photographic industry.

**Program SLO:** Students will be able to demonstrate and apply the basic technical skills and fundamental principles for development of digital photographic projects.

### **Important Information:**

*For students interested in exploring other free noncredit courses through the COC School of Personal and Professional Learning please visit <https://www.canyons.edu/free> for an up to date list of course offerings and schedules.*

*For students interested in exploring credit courses and/or earning an Associate's degree and/or transfer, please follow up with the Counseling Office for additional information @ <https://www.canyons.edu/counseling> or (661) 362-3288/(661)362-3811.*

*Courses are sequenced based on recommendations by the [School of Personal and Professional Development](#).*

### **First Semester (8-48 hours)**

**FA = Fall; WI = Winter; SP = Spring; SU = Summer**

Course	Title	Hours
NC.PHOT 050	Fundamentals of Digital Camera Equipment (FA, SP, SU)	8
NC.PHOT 051	Fundamentals of Photographic Exposure (FA, SP, SU) <i>Recommended Preparation: NC.PHOT 050</i>	8
NC.PHOT 052	Fundamentals of Photographic Composition (FA, SP, SU) <i>Recommended Preparation: NC.PHOT 050</i>	8
NC.PHOT 059	Lab Practices for the Digital Darkroom (FA, SP, SU) <i>Recommended Preparation: NC.PHOT 050</i>	24
	<b>Total Hours:</b>	<b>48</b>

\*Courses will begin Spring 2023!

### **Intersession (68 hours)**

Course	Title	Hours
NC.PHOT 099	Independent Projects in Photography (SU) <i>Recommended Preparation: NC.PHOT 050, NC.PHOT 051 &amp; NC.PHOT 052</i>	68
	<b>Total Hours:</b>	<b>68</b>

Students who are not enrolled as credit or noncredit students will need to complete an application through Enrollment Services for School of Personal and Professional Learning. To enroll, go to [www.canyons.edu/freeclasses](http://www.canyons.edu/freeclasses) and click on the "Applicants" tab.

### **Resources**

**School of Personal and Professional Learning: Photography**

<https://www.canyons.edu/academics/schools/ppl/>

**School of Personal and Professional Learning:** [www.canyons.edu/free](http://www.canyons.edu/free)

**Enrollment Services (SPPL):** <https://www.canyons.edu/freeclasses>

**Counseling Department Website:** [www.canyons.edu/counseling](http://www.canyons.edu/counseling)

**Employment Center Website:** <https://www.canyons.edu/student-services/employmentcenter/index.php>

**Certificate Request Form** – Students must request their certificate once they completed all courses needed to earn a certificate.

Before submitting a Certificate Request, please do the following: 1.) Know your 7 digit COC student ID number. 2.)

Verify the certificate title and courses required. Browse the menu of certificate subject images on this webpage to find certificate titles and requirements. 3) Check you have completed all courses required with a "P" (passing) grade.

Certificate request forms must be submitted through the School of Personal and Professional Learning website at

[www.canyons.edu/free](http://www.canyons.edu/free)