

Rosalind Philips Photography Classes

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Special points of interest:

- Photo Trips
- Online Savings

Winter and Spring Classes

This Winter and Spring, the beginning Lightroom and Photoshop CC/Photoshop Elements classes and the Intermediate Lightroom and Photoshop CC/Photoshop Elements classes will be combined into one beginning and one intermediate class. I am doing this because Adobe's raw editor in Lightroom and Photoshop can be used for most of our post-processing with the layer ability of Photoshop and Photoshop Elements taking care of the rest.

The format for the Advanced Photography Classes continues to be tweaked with classes expanding to 8 hours. Bird photography is being added to the line-up. This class will explore how to take riveting photographs of birds.



Rosalind taking pictures of grizzly bears in British Columbia

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Register Online and Save

Register online and take advantage of the 2016 Winter/Spring 50% coupon special. Use the code **WINSR2016** when checking out.

- Classes take place in the Coach House on the grounds of the Capitol Museum
- Classes are held on Sat-

urdays

Photography Classes

\$130 for a four-hour beginning or intermediate,
 \$234 for a package of two four-hour classes (beginning and intermediate)

- \$234 for Advanced Camera class (8-hours)

Computer Classes

\$130 for a four-hour beginner, intermediate, or advanced computer class
 \$234 for a package of two four-hour classes
 \$324 for three four-hour classes

New Format for Advanced Classes

This winter and spring, the advanced classes will be 8 hours long with a 1 hour break for lunch. The first 4.5-6 hours will be at the photo shoot site and the remaining time will be at the Coach House looking at our work for the day and doing some photo processing. I revised the schedule because there just was not enough time to accomplish everything. To sign up for the class, please select the two class option at \$234 (\$117 with coupon) or the three class option for Beginning and Advanced or Intermediate and Advanced at \$324 (\$162 with coupon).

Advanced Photography Classes

Please note that the special nature of these classes requires a liability waiver to be signed. The waivers will be available to sign at class .

Advanced Digital Photography

These classes are for beginning and intermediate digital photographers and are ones that you can take over and over again. Each session focuses in depth on a different aspect of photography. Topics scheduled this year include waterfall photography bird photography, flowers and macro photography, and landscape photography. Topics may change due to class enrollment numbers.

Waterfall Photography

Have you ever taken a photograph of a waterfall and been disappointed with the results? If so, then this half day class is for you. At this class we will learn how to take good waterfall images, go to Tumwater Falls and take pictures, and then return to the Coach House to look at our images and see how we did. We will also talk about some editing techniques for making those waterfalls really pop.

Date: 4/2/2016 from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (8-hr class with 1 hour lunch)

Bird Photography

Bird photography is my passion and one that I love to share. In this full day class, you will learn about camera techniques for taking good bird photographs, photograph at a couple of birding locations around Thurston County, become acquainted with some important bird behaviors, and then return to the Coach House to look at our images to see how we did. We will also talk about some editing techniques for enhancing your images.

Date: 5/14/2016 from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (8-hr class with 1 hour lunch)

Flower and Macro Photography

In this hands-on class we will explore how to take pictures of flowers and small items close up. We will start with flower techniques and then move on to learning some macro techniques. We will practice taking flower and macro images and then look at our images to see how we did. We will also talk about some editing techniques for making those images stand out.

Date: 6/4/2016 from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (8-hr class with 1 hour lunch)

Landscape Photography

In this hands-on class we will explore the art of landscape photography. We will start by learning what makes a good landscape composition, how to determine exposure and when to use filters. Then we will take some landscapes and then return to the Coach House to look at our images and see how we did. We will also talk about some editing techniques for making those landscapes really pop.

Date: 6/11/2016 from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (8-hr class with 1 hour lunch)

“When I consider how, after sunset, the stars come out gradually in troops from behind the hills and woods, I confess that I could not have contrived a more curious and inspiring sight.”

— Henry Thoreau, journal entry, 26 July 1840

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Beginning Digital Photography

This half day class is an introduction to the digital camera. Bring your camera, your manual, and two images that you are pleased with and two that you are not. We cover basic camera controls, beginning composition and exposure techniques. We will focus on how to use the histogram to achieve the correct exposure. This is a hands-on class, be prepared to take lots of images and to share the images with the rest of the group if you feel comfortable.

Dates: 1/23/2016, 2/20/2016, 3/26/2016 and 5/21/2016 from 9 am - 1 pm

Intermediate Digital Photography

This class is for beginning and intermediate digital photographers and is a continuation of the Beginning Digital Photography class. In this class the focus is on how properly compose and expose photographs. We will be spending the majority of our time taking pictures and critiquing them.

Dates: 1/23/2016, 2/20/2016, 3/26/2016 and 5/21/2016 from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm



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Introduction to Lightroom

This computer class is for beginning and intermediate photography computer users. We cover how to get your images into the computer, how to organize them, and basic processing skills such as exposure compensation, white balance, cropping and saving images in different formats. Those that want to share images will have an opportunity to do so.

Dates: 1/30/2016 and 4/9/2016 from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Intermediate Lightroom

This computer class is for intermediate photography computer users. In this class we will focus on adjustment tool, black and white transformations and filters. Those that want to share images will have an opportunity to do so.

Dates: 1/30/2016 from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Introduction to Photoshop CC and Photoshop Elements

This computer class is for beginning and intermediate photography computer users. This half day class is an introduction to Photoshop CC and Photoshop Elements. Bring your laptop, your camera, your card reader or cord to attach your camera to your laptop and several images that you would like to process. We cover how to get your images into the computer, how to organize them, and basic processing skills such as exposure compensation, white balance, cropping, selection techniques and saving images in different formats. This is a hands-on class, be prepared to dig in. Those that want to share images will have an opportunity to do so.

Dates: 3/12/2016 from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Intermediate Photoshop CC and Photoshop Elements

This computer class is for beginning and intermediate photography computer users. Photoshop CC and Photoshop Elements 12/13/14 are the programs that will be used. Other applications will be mentioned. We will quickly review common photo processing and focus on using layers and how to share your work with the world.

Dates: 3/12/2016 from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Advanced Lightroom and Photoshop CC/Photoshop Elements : Learn how to use Lightroom and Photoshop Together

This computer class is for intermediate and advanced photography computer users. Lightroom CC/6 and Photoshop CC/Photoshop Elements 12/13/14 are the programs that will be used. In this class we will learn about when it is best to use Lightroom and when it is time to switch to Photoshop. We will also explore some of the advanced features of each program. Those that want to share images will have an opportunity to do so.

Dates: 4/9/2016 from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm



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Digital Photography Course

I can hardly wait for this popular course to start again on 3/17/2016. This 8-week class gives you the opportunity to push your photographic and computer skills to new heights. The basic format starting with the second class will be to review and discuss the week’s assignment images during the first half the class and to learn (do) a new topic during the second half. Critiquing photographs will be an integral part of every class. You will need to bring your camera and laptop to every class.

One of the great things about this class is that you can take it over and over again. Each term we do the topics in a different way so that it is always new for everyone. The Coach House is a beautiful venue and during the fall we spend as much time as we can outdoors working on our skills. In addition, there is always a field trip somewhere. For example, last fall we spent a delightful evening shooting at Percival Landing.

- Week 1 – Basic Camera and Photography Techniques
- Week 2 – Composition and Exposure - Shooting the moon
- Week 3 – Presenting Your Work - Photo Editing
- Week 4 – Composition and Exposure - Field Trip
- Week 5 – Presenting Your Work - Photo Editing
- Week 6 – Composition and Exposure - Macro Photography
- Week 7 – Presenting Your Work - Portfolios
- Week 8 - Next Steps

The Details:

Course:	Digital Photography
Instructor:	Rosalind Philips
Dates:	3/17/2016, 3/24/2016, 3/31/2016, 4/07/2016, 4/14/2016, 5/5/2016, 5/12/2016, 5/19/2016
Time:	6:30 pm—9:30 pm
Location:	The Coach House 211 21st Ave SW, Olympia, WA 98501
Fee:	\$260.00 (\$50 due at the registration, the balance on the first day of class) Online available at registration at: http://www.rosalindphilipsphotography.com/DPCourse.html
Equipment:	Digital camera (w/interchangeable lenses), tripod, laptop computer (Software for class is Lightroom CC and Photoshop CC or Photoshop Elements 13/14), two stuffed animals, extra battery, extension cord and USB Flash drive.

Helping you make the most of your photography through camera and computer classes



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Rosalind Philips, photographer, has pursued her love of the outdoors through photography. Inspiration started early in childhood from reading Gerald Durrell's animal travelogues, Ernest Shackleton's journal about the Endurance, and Charles Darwin's Voyage of the Beagle; and from the exploration of nature during family picnics and at summer camp. Photography was a family activity. Many days were spent learning how to capture the magic of family vacations with the camera. Rosalind began to focus on birds during her teens and has become an avid birdwatcher. Therefore, much of her photography focuses on birds, particularly on the Heron family. Rosalind taught mathematics and science for 20 years. She traveled the country teaching other teachers how to use technology as an integral part of the classroom. Her work has been published in the coffee table book, Artists of the West.

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 Advanced Photography
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Other dates will become available as classes fill up

