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Adobe® Photoshop® CS6: Part 1 & 2 Combo

Course length: 1.5 day(s)

Course Description

Adobe® Photoshop® CS6: Part 1 focuses on some of the basic features of Photoshop so that the student can navigate the environment and use Photoshop tools to work with photographic images. In addition, the orientation to Adobe Bridge and organization of files in Bridge is covered. Although Photoshop is used by a variety of professionals, from photographers to designers to videographers, Photoshop Part 1 will focus mainly on the photography component. The illustration and animation techniques are covered in Part 2 where you will identify and use raster and vector drawing and painting tools to create and edit images. You will also apply masks to hide and show image layers, filters to create special effects, and layer styles to create layer effects. You will utilize smart objects, layer comps, actions, and batch processing to streamline workflow.

You can also use this course to prepare for the Adobe Visual Communication using Photoshop CS6 exam.

Course Objective

Upon successful completion of this course, you will be able to use Adobe® InDesign® CS6 to create and deliver professional-looking printed and digital documents. You will:

- Identify the basic components of the Photoshop workspace and Adobe Bridge.
- Define image size, resolution, and color modes.
- Work with selection tool and layers.
- Make image enhancements and adjustments.
- Open and modify an image in Camera Raw.
- Prepare images for print and web.
- Draw images by using raster tools such as brushes, stamps, erasers, and gradients.
- Create visuals by using vector tools such as the pen, shape, and type tools.
- Create special effects and streamline workflow by using advanced layer tools such as masks, filters, layer styles, smart objects, and layer comps.
- Streamline your workflow with actions and batch processing.

Prerequisites

To ensure your success in your course, you should have a basic comfort level with digital photography. For example, you have used a digital camera and have downloaded images to your computer or other storage device. You should have basic computer skills and understand how to launch an application, browse to locate and open files, and can navigate to on-screen elements using a mouse or other navigational devices.



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Course Content Part 1

Lesson 1: Getting Started with Photoshop

- Topic A: Introduction to Photoshop
- Topic B: Adobe Bridge and Mini Bridge
- Topic C: Navigate the Photoshop Workspace
- Topic D: Customize the Photoshop Workspace

Lesson 2: Beginning with Image Basics

- Topic A: Manage Image Elements and Formats
- Topic B: Work with Digital Devices

Lesson 3: Managing Selections and Layers

- Topic A: Use Selection Tools
- Topic B: Manage Layers

Lesson 4: Making Image Adjustments

- Topic A: Modify an Image
- Topic B: Image Repairs

Lesson 5: Refining Images

- Topic A: Layer Adjustments
- Topic B: Introduction to Camera Raw

Lesson 6: Saving Images for Web and Print

- Topic A: Save Images for the Web
- Topic B: Save Images for Print

Course Content Part 2

Lesson 1: Creating Raster Images

- Topic A: Draw with Brushes
- Topic B: Create Gradients
- Topic C: Use Tool Presets

Lesson 2: Working with Vector Image Tools

- Topic A: Create Images with Vector Paths
- Topic B: Use the Shape Drawing Tools
- Topic C: Work with Type
- Topic D: Type Special Effects

Lesson 3: Using Advanced Layer Techniques

- Topic A: Modify Images with Masks
- Topic B: Use Filters to Apply Special Effects
- Topic C: Apply Special Effects to Layers
- Topic D: Use Smart Objects for Nondestructive Editing
- Topic E: Utilize Layer Comps

Lesson 4: Automating Tasks

- Topic A: Create and Use Actions



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Topic B: Batch Process Files with Photoshop and Adobe Bridge