



Adobe Photoshop CS5: Introduction (Macintosh)

Overview: Students will explore the various elements in the Photoshop CS5 interface to efficiently work with the software. They will use the different tools for selecting parts of images and identify the need for having layers in a Photoshop document. They will also organize the different components of the design as layers. With the layered Photoshop document created, they will apply layer effects and other special effects in order to enhance the appearance of the design. They will save images in both print and web formats.

Course Length: One Day

Lesson 1: Initiating a Project

Plan a Project
Identify Copyright and Citation Requirements

Lesson 2: Exploring the Adobe® Photoshop® CS5 Environment

Explore the Photoshop Interface
Customize the Workspace
Explore Adobe Bridge

Lesson 3: Determining Graphic Type and Resolution

Differentiate Between Raster and Vector Graphics
Understand Image Resolution

Lesson 4: Working with Selections

Create, Save and Modify Selection
Apply Color to a Selection

Lesson 5: Working with Layers

Create Layers
Work with Type Layers
Transform Layers
Apply Styles
Undo Previous Steps
Manage Layers

Lesson 6: Enhancing Images with Paint and Filters

Paint on an Image
Apply Filter Effects

Lesson 7: Exploring Image Modes and Color Adjustments

Explore Grayscale and Bitmap Modes
Apply Color Adjustments

Lesson 8: Saving Images for Web and Print

Save Images for Print
Save Images for the Web
Save Images as PDF