

Photoshop CS

Day 1

Getting to Know the Work Area

- Using the tools
- Using the tool options bar and palettes
- Undoing actions in Photoshop
- Jumping to ImageReady
- Using Photoshop help
- Using Adobe online services

Using the File Browser

- Viewing and editing files
- Loading information for identification
- Searching with the file browser
- Using automated features for output

Basic Photo Corrections

- Strategy for retouching
- Resolution and image size
- Straightening and cropping and image
- Using automatic adjustments
- Adjusting the tonal range
- Removing a color cast
- Replacing colors in an image
- Adjusting lightness w/ the dodge tool
- Adjusting saturation w/ the sponge tool
- Applying the unsharp mask filter

Working with Selection

- About selection and selecting tools
- Selecting with the Magic Wand tool
- Using the Magic Wand with other tools
- Working w/ oval and circular selections
- Selecting with the lasso tools
- Rotating a selection
- Selecting with the magnetic lasso tool
- Cropping an image and erasing w/in a Selection

Layer Basics

- About layers
- Rearranging layers
- Editing text
- Flattening and saving files
- Creating a layer set and adding a layer
- Using layer comps

Masks and Channels

- Working with masks and channels
- Creating a quick mask
- Editing a quick mask
- Saving a selection as a mask
- Editing a mask
- Loading a mask as a selection
- Extracting an image
- Applying a filter effect to a masked selection
- Creating a gradient mask
- Applying effects using a gradient mask

Retouching and Repairing

- Repairing areas with clone stamp tool
- Using the pattern stamp tool
- Using the healing brush and patch tools
- Retouching on a separate layer