Beginning Photo Editing with Adobe Photoshop
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Welcome New Students,

Just a few notes before the first class and some things that you should bring with you to the first class. We will be going over a lot of material in a several week period, and I have found that the only way to retain all the information and skills that we will be learning is to practice them at home between classes. This means that you should have a copy of Photoshop on your home computer, be it Mac or PC. We will be working on Macs in class, but I have familiarity with PC as well and the differences are mostly minor.

You will need to have a fairly recent copy of the Photoshop software on your computer. Adobe only makes it available now via subscription and the “Photographers Plan” that costs $9.99 per month and includes Photoshop, Lightroom Classic, Bridge and Lightroom CC.

If you have either a decent size USB flash drive (16 gigs) or a portable hard drive, bring it to class with you for transporting pictures that you are working on. If you do not have either one, please get one or the other. A 16G flash drive can be purchased at almost any Staples, Best Buy, Office Depot, or camera store like B&H, and should cost less than $25.00. Lexar, Sandisk, and Kensington all make good products. Start selecting pictures of yours that you think merit editing or that you think need some corrections and bring these to class with you. I will be supplying pictures to practice on and to illustrate each lesson, but after the first couple of weeks there should be some time for you to work on your own pictures, and toward the end of the semester, you will be working solely on your own pictures.

My contact information is below should you have any questions or need to reach me.

I look forward to meeting you,

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