



5 Courses

**Cameras, Exposure, and  
Photography**

**Camera Control**

**Principles of Photo  
Composition and Digital  
Image Post-Production**

**Photography Techniques:  
Light, Content, and Sharing**

**Photography Capstone  
Project**



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# Photography Basics and Beyond: From Smartphone to DSLR

As a Learner in Photography Basics and Beyond: From Smartphone to DSLR, you studied the foundational principles of photographic technique, digital imaging from camera exposure to print, and the organization of pictures according to the principles of Design into successful compositions. You further developed a personally significant Capstone Project, applying the skills and knowledge gained through participation in each of these five Courses and your own unique approach to form and content. In addition, you learned the meanings and uses of the specialized vocabulary in standard usage among photographers, and are familiar with the "terms of art" associated with the medium of photography. Congratulations on your advancement in skill, knowledge, and control of photographic techniques!

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