Photograph Selection

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We are conducting a user study to train and rate the quality of our Automatic Photograph Selection tool. If you are willing to help, please follow these steps:

- 1. Find a set of pictures you have taken recently, according to the following parameters:
 - Consecutive: In the order they were taken on the camera
 - Complete: No images were deleted from your computer. Images deleted in-camera are okay, but not preferred.
 - Untouched: As imported with no retouching.
 - Imperfect: Don't look for a high quality set, just the most recent that fits the above criteria.
 - Should be around **30-50 images** total.
- 2. Select a **high-quality, representative subset** from these. Ask yourself, "if I could pick some of these to Photoshop then show my friends/family/client, which would I choose?"
 - High quality: Well-exposed, not blurry, etc.
 - Representative: Captures the idea of the set with less images
 - Can be **however many images** you find appropriate. Thirty pictures of the beach might only have two pictures in the subset; thirty pictures of a day at a carnival may have fifteen.
- 3. Email (1) the zipped images and (2) the list of filenames in the subset to ksamii@ucsc.edu. We will not share your pictures.

Thank you!