

# PHOTOGRAPHY CERTIFICATE

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**Program code:** PHOT-CC

**Location:** Capital, Gateway, Housatonic, Manchester, Tunxis

## Program Description

The Photography Certificate program provides new and returning students with the knowledge and skills to compete for entry-level positions in the diverse field of photography and/or the opportunity to add or combine photography skills to related expertise in graphic design, journalism, communication or public relations. Courses in the Photography Certificate program help students build a working portfolio and can also be applied toward completing the Photography Option within the Associate of Arts Degree in Visual Fine Art.

## Learning Outcomes

1. Demonstrate an understanding of terminology, concepts, techniques and equipment relating to a broad range of photographic processes and procedures.
2. Make informed and meaningful compositional/aesthetic decisions, with an emphasis on critical thinking, problem solving, creativity, project parameters and deadlines.
3. Be able to use industry standard hardware and software to produce work suitable for a variety of entry-level positions in a very competitive field.

## Certificate Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
ART 1450	Digital Photography I	3
ART 1460	Digital Photography II	3
Choose one of the following:		3
ART 1410	Darkroom Photography I	
ART 1810	Digital Video Art I	
ART 2430	Studio Photography I	
ART 2470	Commercial Photography	
Choose three of the following:		9
ART 1110	Drawing I	
ART 1220	Three-Dimensional Design	
ART 1250	Color Theory	
ART 1410	Darkroom Photography I	
ART 1420	Darkroom Photography II	
ART 1810	Digital Video Art I	
ART 2095	Art Internship	
ART 2430	Studio Photography I	
ART 2470	Commercial Photography	
ART 2810	Digital Painting and Drawing	
ART 2090	Portfolio Preparation I	
GRA 1101	Introduction to Computer Graphics	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>18</b>

- Visual Art: Photography, AA