

## Photoshop - Advanced

GoSkills online course syllabus

**Skill level**

Beginner

**Lessons**

55

**Accredited by**

CPD

**Pre-requisites**

Photoshop for Beginners

**Versions supported**

CS5, CS6

**Video duration**

5h 17m

**Estimated study time**

27h 30m

**Instructor**

Howard Pinsky

## Advanced Photo Editing

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### Turn a Photo into a Sketch

With just a few layers styles and filters you can turn a photo into a sketch and even use the same style on video.

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### Create a Pumpkin Face

Great technique for combining different images together for stunning results.

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### Time Lapse Part 1

This is part one of a two part tutorial that sets up an animated time lapse look. It is a useful tutorial on the tasks of manipulating multiple image size and placement.

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### Time Lapse Part 2

In combination with part 1 of this tutorial and a flower with the background removed. Learn how to set key frames for movement and color adjustments.

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### Photographic Fireworks

Good for compositing tasks, and adding elements like reflections.

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### 32-Bit HDR Images

Combine a series of images into a single High Dynamic Range image using Lightroom and Photoshop

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### Porcelain Doll Effect

Isolate facial features and adjust skin tones. Adjust size and placement of features like eyes, nose and mouth.

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### Camera Shake Reduction

Useful tips for reducing that camera shake blur.

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## Camera Raw Filter

Raw filters essentially treat your image like a negative rather than a finished product. Raw filter in Photoshop offer an extended range of color adjustments to even regular non-raw images and has the added advantage of editing the photo in only one window (and no stacked Adjustment Layers).

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## Interweaving Effect

Learn how to create and save your own patterns, and then apply them to images in interesting ways.

# Animation and Video

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## Basic Video Editing in CS6 and Above

Extend your Photoshop skills into the time dimension. Add effects and layer styles with ease. Turn a ho-hum phone video into expressionist art.

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## Clouds Animation

Create a time-lapse style effect with some simple video effects in Photoshop.

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## Animated Loading Circle

This tutorial will show you how to make an animation that pulses a great light effect with layer styles and animation.

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## Animated GIF on Mars

When reality is just not interesting enough you can always rely on Photoshop to spice it up. This unit is a good introduction to GIF creation.

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## Glowing Button

Combine layered styles and animation to create this great effect.

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## Animating a Power Button: Frame Animation

Turn a static design into a glowing button by using the Frame style of animation in Photoshop.

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## Load Files into Stacks and Converting to a GIF

Bring in a number of files simultaneously and get Photoshop to organise and align them in layers.

# 3D

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## 3D Text Intro

Turning your text into a 3D object opens up lot of interesting possibilities. Control textures, deform shapes, and add lights and shadows to your text in realistic ways.

**19** **Chrome Text**  
Explore Photoshop's (CS6 and above) 3D text generator.

**20** **Bubbly Text**  
Create inflatable text with the 3D properties in Photoshop.

**21** **Long Shadow Effect**  
The long shadow is a clean design look that can be created a few different ways in Photoshop; here we achieve the look by using 3D objects.

**22** **Importing 3D Models**  
Importing a 3D model into a 2D background can be tricky, but with a few simple steps you will be able to blend lots of design elements like lighting, position, color tone, and texture.

**23** **Image Based Lights**  
Improve the realistic look to your 3D images with Image Based Lights.

**24** **Create a 3D Pool Ball**  
Create and add 3D objects to an existing photograph with this tutorial. Create a new texture, add lights and composite it in an existing photo.

**25** **TRON Legacy Text Effect**  
This tutorial will teach you how to create 3D text, edit many useful features and then add 2D elements as well.

## Tips and Tricks

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**26** **Missing Filters**  
The more up to date versions of Photoshop have tucked away some of the rarer filter effects. Find out how to drill down into the filter gallery.

**27** **Adaptive Wide Angle**  
Straighten out those distorted images with this very clever Photoshop Feature.

**28** **Working with Kuler**  
The Kuler extension for Photoshop makes finding great color combinations a breeze.

**29** **Color Coding Layers**  
Organise your complex Photoshop projects with this simple tool. Particularly useful for template projects that you will be coming back to again.

**30** 10 Just Do It (JDI) Tips  
10 little Photoshop productivity tips.

**31** Hiding Menu Items  
Clean up your menu interface.

**32** Interface and Performance Improvements  
Improve your familiarity of Photoshop with this list of interface tips and tricks.

## Text Effects

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**33** Fireworks Text Effect  
Transform text into a path and apply a brush present to a path.

**34** Hairy Text Effect  
Give text a furry feel within a few easy steps.

**35** Beer Text Effect  
Add a frothy amber liquid appeal to your text.

**36** Wood Engraved Text Effect  
Add text or a logo and create a great wood texture effect.

**37** Graffiti Text Effect  
In this tutorial Howard will introduce you to Displacement Mapping, which is a fancy way of saying 'making text bumpy'.

**38** Battlefield 3 Text Effect  
The video game is such a classic that of course you need to make text look like it.

## Power User

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**39** Refine Edge Tool  
Refine the edge of a selection so that fine strands of hair can be included with the person or animal in the photo.

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## Copy CSS

Let Photoshop do your geek work for you with this simple but powerful method for converting Photoshop designs to flexible web formats.

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## Tool Recording within Actions

Record repetitive edits so that you can save time.

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## Clone Source Panel

A few more tips for using the clone source tools on Photoshop.

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## The Swatch Panel Advanced

Grab a color scheme from a web pages CSS data.

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## Transforming Selections

Transforming the size and shape of a selection masks from within the mask mode.

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## Conditional Actions

Delve into Photoshop's one button solution to repetitive editing tasks.

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## Generator

This is an advanced technique for those who want to design their web pages primarily in Photoshop.

## Design

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## iOS Icon Design

Design an app icon for IOS or Android.

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## Create a 3D Switch Icon

With the principles of this design you can create all sorts of switches, toggles and doorways. This is a good tutorial for learning how to stack and transform layers.

# 49

## Create a Space Scene

Make stars and planets to design your own Solar System in the Cosmos.

# 50

## Create the Minecraft Icon

Get that pixelated look into your image editing, or use the basics of this lesson to apply 2D images to a cube shape.

# 51

## Minecraft Skin

This technique is good for adjusting images at the pixel level.

# Lightroom

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## Lightroom Smart Previews

Work with files in an offline mode.

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## Lightroom Upright

This is a onestep solution in Lightroom for straightening up photos, and saving the need to take it into Photoshop for a simple edit.

# 54

## Lightroom Radial Filter

Use the radial filter to add quick vignettes and style touches directly in Lightroom.

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## Lightroom Healing Brush

Lightroom has a few ways to repair spots and blemishes in photos, explore them here.

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