

Louisiana Photographic Society

March 17, 2012 Workshop

Photoshop Element 10

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Louisiana Photographic Society (LPS) will conduct Photoshop Element 10 Workshop at the Jones Creek Library from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM on March 17, 2012. During the morning session we will explore processing digital images using Photoshop Element 10. This is entry level software and offers many image processing tools which are simple and easy to learn. We will learn how to adjust image color, contrast, saturation and sharpness using layers tool. We will also learn how to create panoramic images and explore cloning tool for adding and removing objects from images. We will cover how to crop and resize images to fit our needs and storing them in DNG, TIF or JPEG formats. Photoshop Element versions lower than 9 do not offer layer tool and as such greatly limiting the image processing options. We will also explore how to create High Dynamic Range (HDR) images. HDR software allows us to create stunning images covering a wide range of contrasts. This requires capturing a single high contrast image at three to six different exposure levels using a tripod and then combining all these images with the help of HDR software to create a single HDR image. This way we can create the HDR image that shows all the details in very bright as well as very dark area of the image. We will use Photomatix Pro version software for this demonstration. If time permits we may look into creating photo video show using Proshow Gold software.

Select images will be provided for hands on practice so you may want to arrive early to download these images in your laptop and have it plugged into power supply before the workshop starts. If you do not own the software or are using Photoshop Element versions lower than 9 you may download free trial version of Photoshop Element 9 from the Adobe website and Photomatix Pro version HDR software from the Photomatix website. The workshop will be projected on a screen so it is not necessary to have a laptop if you just want to watch the demonstration on the screen. If you plan to attend the workshop please send an email to our Education Coordinator at educationcoordinator@laphotosociety.com and receive the conformation as the sitting is limited. The workshop registration deadline is March 5th, 2012. The workshop is free and open to the LPS members as well as general public

Check in	9:00 AM to 9:30 AM
Photoshop Element 10	9:30 AM to 11:30 PM
Lunch Break	11:30 PM to 12:30 PM
Photoshop Element 10	12:30 PM to 1:30 PM
HDR Photography	1:30 PM to 2:30 PM
Photo video	2:30 PM to 3:30 PM