## ARTX115 Digital Photography—Schedule Fall Quarter 2023, Kalamazoo College Richard Koenig, Professor

Note: class materials will be provided ahead of time (via Moodle)

W	Tuesday	Thursday		
1	September 12 <sup>th</sup>	September 14 <sup>th</sup>		
	Moodle: Syllabus, Schedule, Introductory PPTX  In-Person: go over syllabus and schedule, view Introductory PPTX  If you're getting a loaner camera from Kathryn Lightcap (Center for New Media), get that on Wednesday if possible and bring to class Thursday	Moodle: view Camera Controls PPTX—Exercise One; Exposure Basics & Cheat Sheet  In-Person: view PPTX CC/Ex1; go over Cheat Sheet; assign Four Effects over the weekend, spend some time walking around with cameras in hand  Weekend: read additional notes on Depth-of-Field that I will send along via e-mail and MS Teams chat		
2	September 19 <sup>th</sup>	September 21st		
	Moodle: downloading of images and introduction to Padlet, Sense of Place PPTX  In-Person: Go over Additional Notes on DOF, Download Your Images/Post to Padlet; Mini-Crit: View Your Four Effects; Sense of Place PPTX	Moodle: PPTX Lenses/Composition; Handouts: Workflow and Basic Optimization  In-Person: PPTX Lenses/Composition; Demonstration: Select with Bridge and begin to Optimize with Photoshop or Lightroom; Weekend: Photo in Age of Instagram		
3	September 26 <sup>th</sup>	September 28 <sup>th</sup>		
	Moodle: Light/Color PPTX, please also see Handout and Video on Image Size  In-Person: Go over Reading; Light/Color PPTX; Demonstration: Studio Lighting; back to room 122 for Demo of all-important Image Size & Resolution	Moodle: PPTX on Technology + Genres  In-Person: Technology PPTX, Demonstration: View Camera, Photogram, and Pinhole; More Optimization with Photoshop; Work Time for Critique on Tuesday		
4	October 3 <sup>rd</sup> Moodle: Post to Padlet for critique—second half of A1 (Sense of Place); see handout on critique tips  In-Person: working critique of Sense of Place	October 5 <sup>th</sup> In-Person: Critique Mop Up; A2 PPTX Narrative Sequence; Work Time to polish Sense of Place  Turn in Assignment Or 11:59 PM Friday (your final images: post to Pa with short statement)	six	
5	October 10 <sup>th</sup>	October 12 <sup>th</sup>		
	Moodle: Ambiguous Views and Blog Exercise (for Tuesday of week nine). Be ready to discuss what you're working on for A2.  In-Person: Assign Blog Entry (handout) plus link to Dinty W. Moore piece, <i>The Personal (Not Private) Essay;</i> Look at Ambiguous Views; go around the circle and discuss what you're doing for Assignment 2  Heads up: no class this Thursday	Class is Cancelled		

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6	October 17 <sup>th</sup> Moodle: reminder to post to Padlet for critique— Assignment Two (Eight Images—Narrative Sequence)  In-Person: a working critique: Narrative Sequence; Assign take-home quiz (due Tuesday W7)	October 19 <sup>th</sup> In-Person: critique mop-up; PPTX A3— portraits or light/form; assign reading (Bull) for next Tuesday; work time A2	Turn in Assignment Two by 11:59 PM Friday (your eight final images: post to Padlet with small introductory statement)	
7	October 24 <sup>th</sup> Moodle: PPTX Modernism/Postmodernism  In-Person: discuss reading with PPTX Modern/PM Turn in take-home quiz; go around the circle to hear your plans for A3; assign one image for display case; Photoshop demonstrations—selection with paths	October 26 <sup>th</sup> Moodle: PPTX Landscape Photography  In-Person: go over quiz; PPTX Landscapes; continue Photoshop demonstrations—type tool and other added elements		
8	Moodle: reminder to post to Padlet for critique— Assignment Three (Portraits or Light/Form)  In-Person: working critique of A3—Portraits or Light/Form	In-Person: critique mop-up; PPTX on our Open Project; a demonstration for animated GIF; Blog Entry due next Tuesday	Turn in Assignment Three by 11:59 PM Friday (your eight final images: post to Padlet with small introductory statement)	
9	November 7 <sup>th</sup> Moodle: handout for artist statement and structured reflection (for A4)  In-Person: Go over handout, go around the circle to hear what people might work on for their final assignment  Blog Entries Due—view any of these on-line	November 9 <sup>th</sup> View any Blog Entries we didn't get to  PPTX Capture/Color Management; make a fine print in my office  Work time for your final projects		
10	November 14 <sup>th</sup> Moodle: reminder to post to Padlet for critique— Assignment Four (Open)  In-Person: a working critique of final project (try to make it through half of the class)  [We will also do course evaluations today]	November 16 <sup>th</sup> In-Person: a working critique of final (second half of class)  Conclusion	Turn in Assignment Four by 11:59 PM Friday (your ten to twelve images: post to Padlet with AS + SR sent to me via e- mail)	

Please remember to save/remove all of your files from the iMac computers in the FABLAB as these computers are wiped from time to time. For secure file management, if possible, one should have files backed-up and stored in two different locales.