



WELCOME TO PHOTOSHOP CS2®

WELCOME TO PHOTOSHOP CS2 introduces all of the **fundamentals** necessary to professionally edit, retouch and creatively process your images. This is a beginner course intended for users with little or no Photoshop experience.

Attendees are welcome to bring and use their MacBooks or other laptops if they wish. Training and handouts are designed for the latest versions of **Photoshop CS2®**.

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(6 Hour Hands-on course)

Prerequisites: Knowledge of Mac or Windows OS.
Experience with graphics or word processing applications is helpful.

Navigating the Workspace

The Menu Bar
The Status Bar
The Toolbox
The Palettes

Working with Documents

Navigator Palette & Hand Tool
New View & Duplicate
Image Size & Resolution
Image Size Dialog Box
Canvas Size
History Palette
Saving Images

Image Modes & Color Selection

Color Primer
The Color Picker
Color & Swatch Palettes
Custom Swatch Exercise
Eyedropper & Info Palette

Selections and Masks

Marquee Selection Tools
Lasso & Wand Selection Tools
Select Menu Commands
Transforming Selections
Quick Mask Mode
More Quick Mask
Alpha Channels & Channel Palette
Mask/Selection Practice Exercises

Layers and Blend Modes

Intro to Layers
The Layers Palette
Important Layer Information
Move, Copy & Transform Layers
Advanced Layer Features
Layers Comps

Adding and Working with Type

Working With Type Introduction
The Type Tool
Type Palettes and Text Warping
Type Tool Exercises

Painting Tools

Intro, Paint Bucket & Fill Command
Gradient, Pattern and Line Tools
Brushes and Fade Command
Pencil, Paintbrush &
Airbrush Tools
Eraser Tools

Retouching Tools

Retouching Tools Intro & Tips
Blur, Sharpen, Smudge
Dodge, Burn, Sponge
Clone Stamp, History Brush,
Art History Brush
Color Correction Tips

Adobe Bridge Features

Bridge Intro
Bridge Viewing Options

Attendees receive: CD (Mac and Windows compatible) with lesson files, notes and instructions. Seating is limited to nine students. Individual student fee is \$299. \$279 per student for 3 or more. Educators are eligible for 25% off the individual fee per registering attendee for Intro and Intermediate classes. ComputerTree reserves the right to reschedule class dates with 72 hr. notice, due to low enrollment.

About the instructor: Mical Fowler is a thought leader and reformed Art Director who has been shaking up the graphics status quo since the Macintosh appeared in 1984. Equally at home in print, multimedia and video design and production, he has taught hundreds of classes in professional graphics applications, including Photoshop®, InDesign®, Illustrator®, Acrobat®, Final Cut Pro®, Dreamweaver®, Flash® and others.

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