

CDES 396 - Intermediate Photography and Digital Imaging

FINAL EXAM STUDY GUIDE

There are a total of forty questions of varying complexity.

There are six basic questions about technical stuff like aperture, shutter speed, resolution, white balance, flash-fill. You should be able to succinctly define each of these terms.

There is one question about the reasons for pairing and sequencing photographs. You should read the introduction to our book *SEE* in preparation.

There are nine questions about histograms, contrast, curves, and exposure. You should study your *Internet Cat Quiz* as well as your *Pre-Test*.

The Elements of Photography

CHAPTER 1: *Before you begin*

There are two basic questions about the components of photographic images.

CHAPTER 3: *Framing, Borders, and Multiple Frames*

There are four questions from this chapter that relate to the photographic elements, picture planes, borders, and multiple images. You should study our quiz from this chapter.

CHAPTER 4: *Apertures: Focus, Lenses, and Clarity*

There are four questions from this chapter that relate to depth of field, pinhole image quality, and clarity of image.

CHAPTER 5: *Shutter Speeds: Time and Motion*

There are four questions from this chapter that relate to the factors that delineate time in a photograph as well as how to determine the most appropriate shutter speed for hand-holding a camera.

How to Make Mistakes

There are two questions from this essay that relate to creative process and how to deal with fear.

Color Management & RAW

There are four questions from these topics. You should review the handouts (available in a blog posting) in preparation and be prepared to succinctly define calibration, gamut, color management, and soft-proofing. You should also be able to explain why RAW files can be beneficial.