

## Adobe Photoshop CS2

Approx 10 hours per course

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### Basic Level

#### Getting started

- File types
- The Photoshop environment
- Getting help

#### Working with image selections

- Selection techniques
- Modifying selections

#### Working with layers

- Creating layers
- Modifying layers
- Using Type layers
- Adding layer effects

#### Adjusting images

- Image modes
- Hue/Saturation adjustments
- Levels adjustments

#### Retouching images

- Repairing image defects
- Painting
- The Background Eraser
- Filters

#### Resizing images

- Image resolution
- Image canvas size

#### Preparing finished images

- Images for Web use
- Images for print use
- Outputting images

### Advanced Level

#### Fills and overlays

- Filling image areas
- Gradients and patterns
- Layer overlays

#### Masks

- Mask channels
- Layer masks
- Grayscale masks
- Clipping masks

#### Vector paths

- Creating vector paths
- Editing vector paths
- Vector masks
- Paths for creative imagery

#### Creative image effects

- Painted effects
- Warping
- Efficient compositing
- Layer comps
- Images for video

#### Automating tasks

- Actions
- Organizing actions
- Batch processing
- Customizing Photoshop

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## Photoshop CS2 Colour Printing & Web Design

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Prerequisites: **Photoshop CS2: Basic, ACE Edition and Photoshop CS2: Advanced, ACE Edition or equivalent experience**

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### Colour Printing

#### Color management

- Color management basics
- Calibration
- Color space conversion
- Printing with color management

#### Photographic techniques

- Digital photo quality
- Photographic adjustments
- Lens adjustments
- Merging images

#### RGB image adjustments

- Color correction principles
- Measuring color
- Automatic adjustments
- Curves adjustments
- Hand-retouching color
- Color replacement

#### CMYK separations

- Prepress color settings
- Creating color separations
- CMYK image adjustments
- Sharpening

#### Grayscale and spot colors

- Grayscale conversion
- Spot-color images
- Duotones

### Web Design

#### Optimizing Web images

- Web image size
- Optimization
- Fine-tuning quality
- Creating transparency

#### Slicing images

- Full-page designs
- Basic slicing
- Advanced slicing
- Exporting Web pages

#### Links and rollover effects

- Links and status-bar messages
- Image maps
- Rollovers

#### Automating Web tasks

- Color and size adjustments
- Droplets
- Web photo galleries
- Data-driven graphics

#### Animation

- Creating animation
- Animation output options

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