

Nashville State Community College
Community College Area of Emphasis: Photography **Technical Certificate**

NAME: _____ **A#** _____ **CATALOG YR:** 2023 - 2024

GENERAL EDUCATION					
No General Education Required for the Technical Certificate					
FALL SEMESTER					NOTES
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Co- or Prerequisite(s)	
PHO 1110 Basic Photography	3			None	A digital SLR camera is required
PHO 1170 Business for Photographers	3			None	
COM 1110 Intro to Visual Communications	3			None	
COM 1230 Digital Imaging I	3			Basic computer skills	2 class hours, 2 lab hours
COM or PHO elective (PHO 1210 or ART 1035 is recommended)	3			See catalog	
Total Credit Hours	15				
SPRING SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
PHO 1240 Lighting I	3			PHO 1110 with a grade of "C" or higher	A removable flash is required; 2 class hours, 2 lab hours
PHO 1490 Advanced Digital Photography	3			PHO 1110 with a grade of "C" or higher	2 class hours, 2 lab hours
COM 2240 Digital Imaging II Photography	3			COM 1230 with a grade of "C" or higher or program permission	
COM 2010 Digital Video I	3			Basic computer skills, PHO 1110 with a grade of "C" or higher in all listed prerequisites	
*PHO or COM Elective	3			See catalog	
Total Credit Hours	15				
Total Certificate Credit Hours	30				

Program Notes:

All required courses can be applied to the A.A.S. degree in Visual Communications – Photography concentration once the admissions requirements for the college have been met. Please see your advisor for more information.

To receive your certificate, you must complete and file an Intent to Graduate form. This form can be obtained from the Records Office or downloaded from the Records Office Website.

*Students may take the following approved electives: any PHO or COM course, ART 1035 Intro to Art, BUSN 2380 Principles of Marketing, BUSN 2389 Social Media Marketing, ENTR 1600 Entrepreneurship. If completing in more than two semesters, COM 2030, PHO 1350, PHO 1430 or PHO 1320 are recommended.

For other approved electives, please see your advisor.