



## Cell Phone Photography & Editing Apps

### All Ages

#### Description:

You can take great pictures with your cell phone but did you know there are some great tricks to get even better pictures? You can do more than just use a filter! We will learn some basic rules of photography as well as use free Adobe Lightroom to make some creative edits.

#### Learning Goal:

By the end of this workshop, students will be able to apply 3 composition rules of photography to get better pictures. They will also learn how to use Adobe Lightroom CC on their phone/tablet to edit their pictures in black and white, preset filters, and individual color selections.

#### Resources/Materials:

- Cell Phone
- Adobe Lightroom Photo Editor for mobile - You can download the app from Google Play or the Apple App Store, or try the [Laptop Free Trial](#)
- Composition Website - <https://petapixel.com/2015/03/16/9-photo-composition-tips-as-seen-in-photographs-by-steve-mccurry/>
- Lightroom Tutorial - <https://youtu.be/-fQ54ZBiEWw>

#### Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Please go to the composition website and watch the video on composition rules. We are going to focus on the first 3 rules.
2. Go take some pictures using the first three rules
  - a. Rule of Thirds
  - b. Leading Lines
  - c. Diagonals
3. Watch the Lightroom tutorial.
4. Install the Adobe Creative Cloud app to your smartphone or tablet, or try the free trial on your laptop or PC.
5. Start editing your photos!
6. \*If you get stuck or need a little help, do a Google search for "Lightroom for mobile tutorials."

#### Optional Extension Activities:

If you want to take your creativity further, watch this [video](#) by Educopilot for photography challenges!



**\*\*If you liked this workshop, here are some classes you should take at Leyden!\*\***

Photography 1  
Photography 2  
Digital Video