

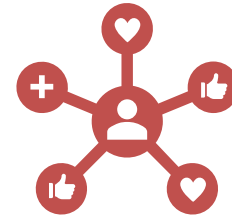
Photo Chat #41

February 9th, 2022 

Before We Begin



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Today

Photo Composition Discussion
Industry News
Inspiring Photographers
Virtual Photo Walk/CHallenge
Next Activities



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www.instagram.com/direct/t/340282366841710300949128331884726465948

The Instagram group where we keep in touch and get the contacts from the others to see their posts



Photo News

Whatever is new and relevant

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Nikon Closes Two Japanese Camera Lens Factories As Market Shrinks

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Nikon is set to cease operations at two of its Japanese factories in March. Those two factories are used to produce interchangeable lenses for its digital cameras, and the remaining domestic operations will be consolidated into its one remaining factory in Otawara City.

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Climbers Banned From Mt. Everest for Faking Photo

FEB 03, 2021

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Two Indian climbers have been banned from attempting to climb Mount Everest or any other mountain in Nepal for 10 years after an investigation revealed they faked the images used to acquire the certification from the Nepalese government.

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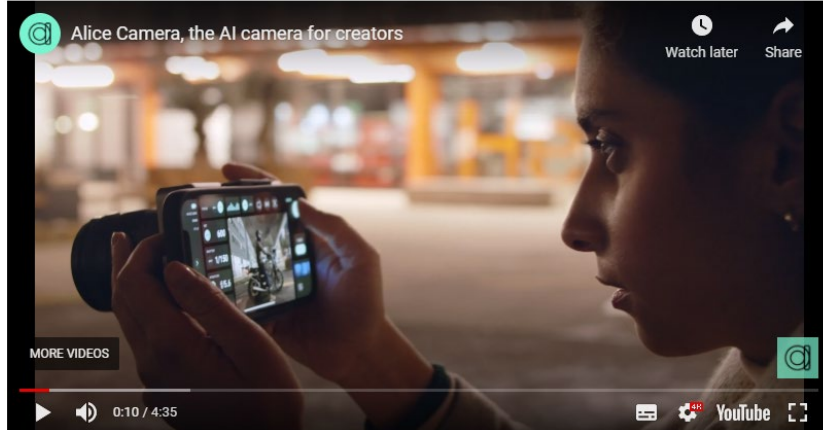
Alice Camera Brings AI and Deep Learning to a Full-Size Camera

FEB 09, 2021

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In an attempt to bridge the gap between the power of computational photography that is backed by artificial intelligence and the physical benefits of larger sensors and optics, [Alice Camera](#) was born. The device promises to bring the benefits of both formats into one device.

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Negative Space

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A Quick Look at Using Negative Space in Photos

FEB 09, 2021 [NICHOLAS GOODEN](#)

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Negative space in photography, design, sculpture, or any other creative pursuit is equally as important as is positive space in overall composition.

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28 Composition Ideas to Help You Take Better Photographs

FEB 04, 2021

BARRY O'CARROLL

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Nobody likes rules. Ok, well some people like rules. Your old school principal? He liked rules. So does that scary lady in the HR department. When it comes to composition in photography, I don't like to talk in terms of rules; I prefer instead to talk about composition "ideas".



Inspirational Photogs

Fan Ho



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YMhm5gBJZUY>



T. Hopper
18.2K subscribers



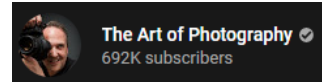
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Contribute: TueCHat@CHaya.photo

Sony A1



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1OuHE0IB2uc>



Sony A1 Smartphone Leap

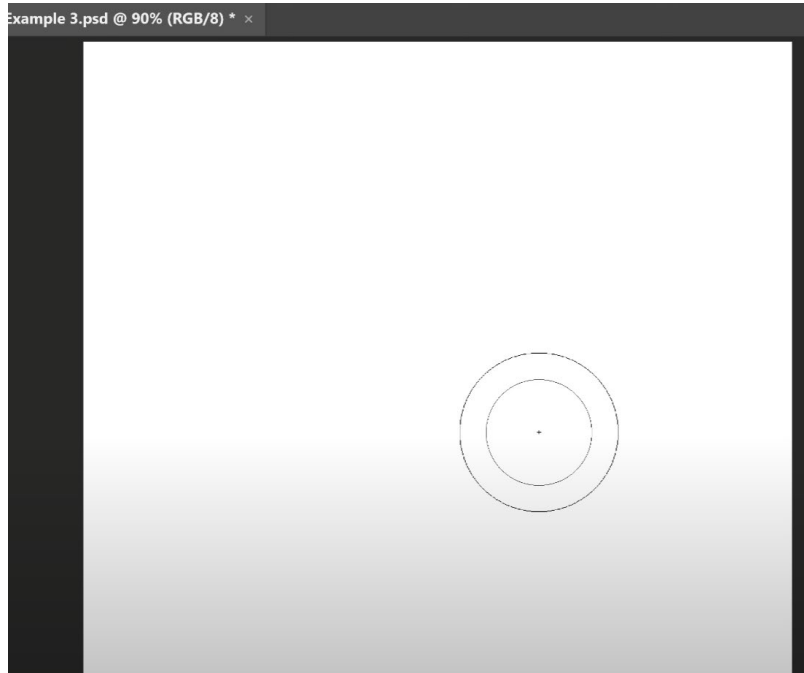


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Composition Advice

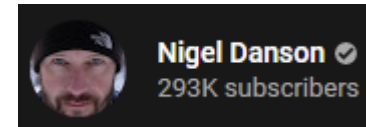


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Tree Challenge
Feb 26th

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZUqyzcRHiAI>



Three (+2) Tree Photo Tips



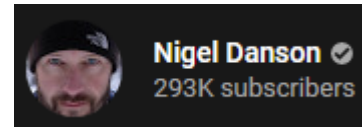
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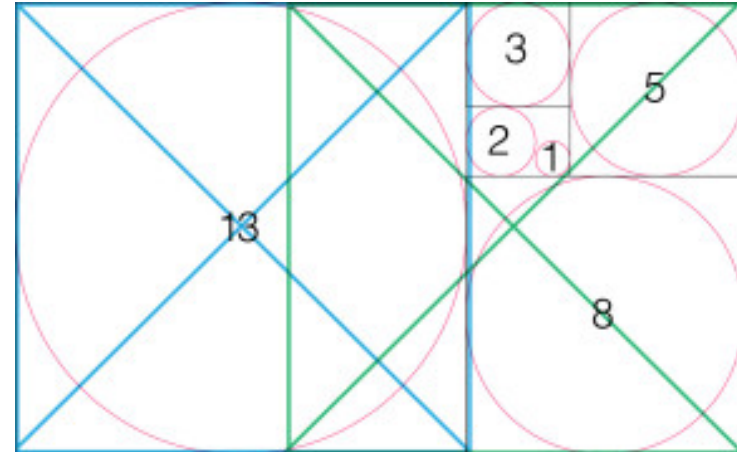
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Composition CHat

- What are your favorite “rules”
- Select/show/submit 1 image per rule

February 9th

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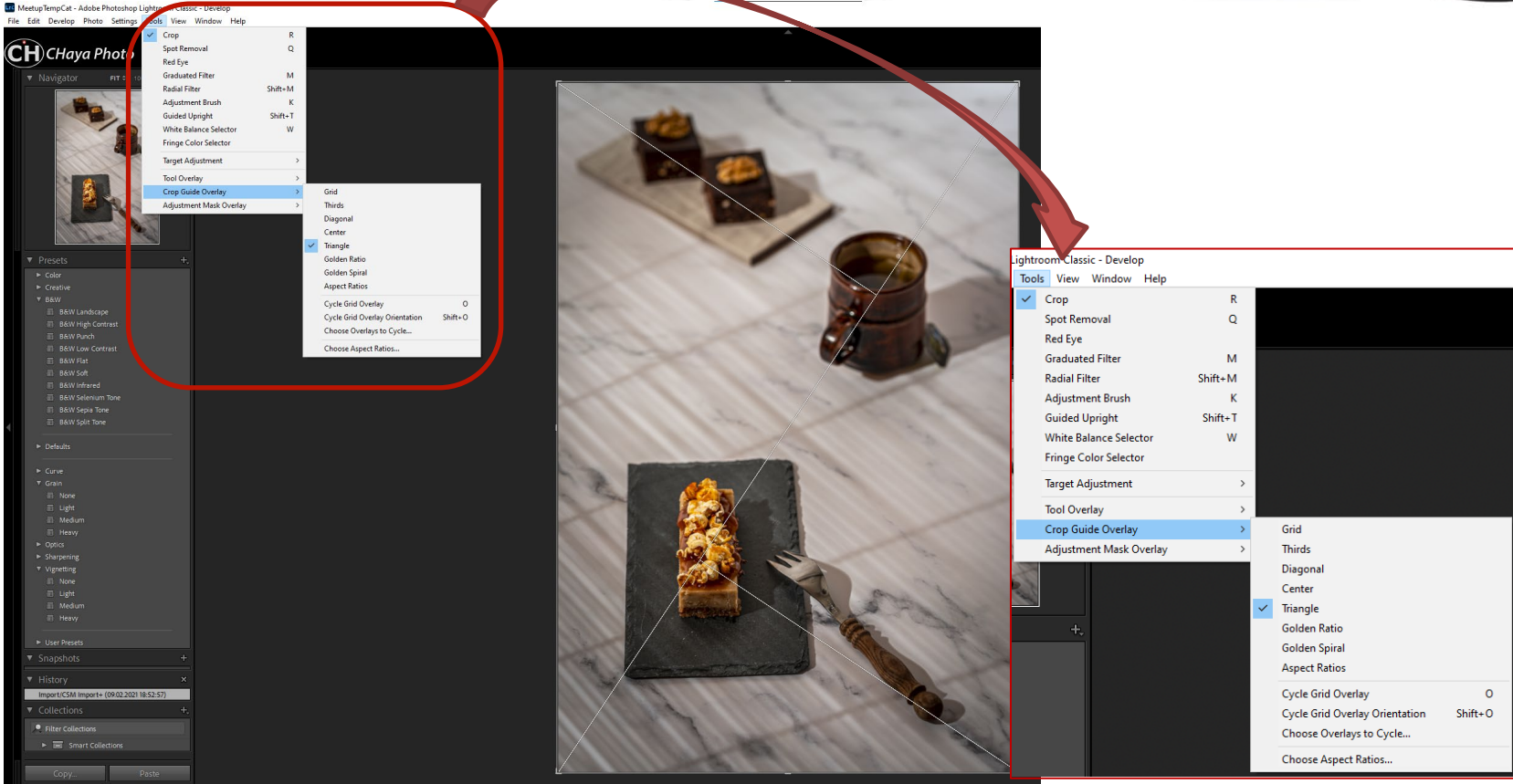


Some Composition Techniques



- **FORMAT** (4:3, Square, Landscape, Portrait...)
- Story/context
- “Rule of Thirds”
- Diagonals
- Leading lines
- Triangles
- Golden ratio
- Movement
- Patterns
- Frames
- Point of view
- Minimalism
- Golden Triangles
- Reading direction
- Odds
- SymetrYrtemyS
- Layers
- Vertical X Horizontal
- Foreground isolation
- Foreground objects/interest
- Colour Theory
 - Contrasting colours
 - Adjacent colours
 - 3-Colour palettes
 - B&W
- Cuts/Details
- Timing (Bresson’s Decisive Moment)
- Fill the frame
- Negative Space
- Emotions

Software Overlays



The image shows a comparison of software overlays between Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Lightroom Classic. A central photograph of pastries on a marble surface is overlaid with a grid. A red arrow points from the Photoshop interface on the left to the Lightroom interface on the right.

Adobe Photoshop Lightroom Classic - Develop

- Tools
- View
- Window
- Help
- ✓ Crop R
- Spot Removal Q
- Red Eye
- Graduated Filter M
- Radial Filter Shift+M
- Adjustment Brush K
- Guided Upright Shift+T
- White Balance Selector W
- Fringe Color Selector
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- Tool Overlay >
- Crop Guide Overlay >
- Adjustment Mask Overlay >

Grid Options:

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- Thirds
- Diagonal
- Center
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- Choose Aspect Ratios...

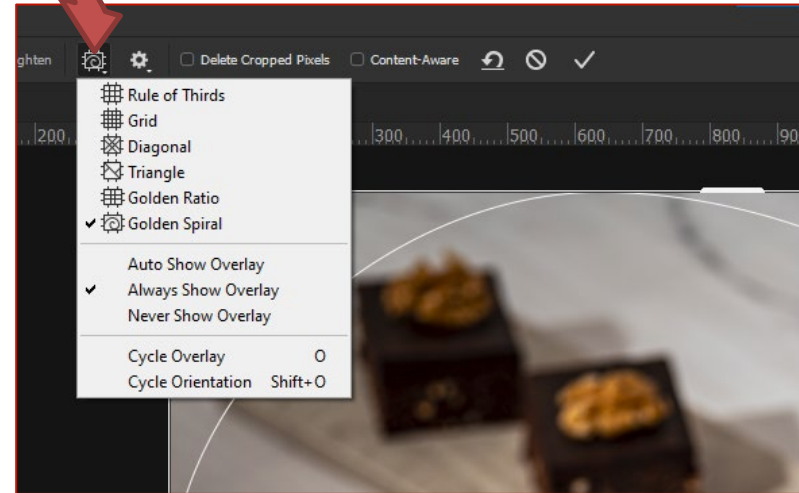
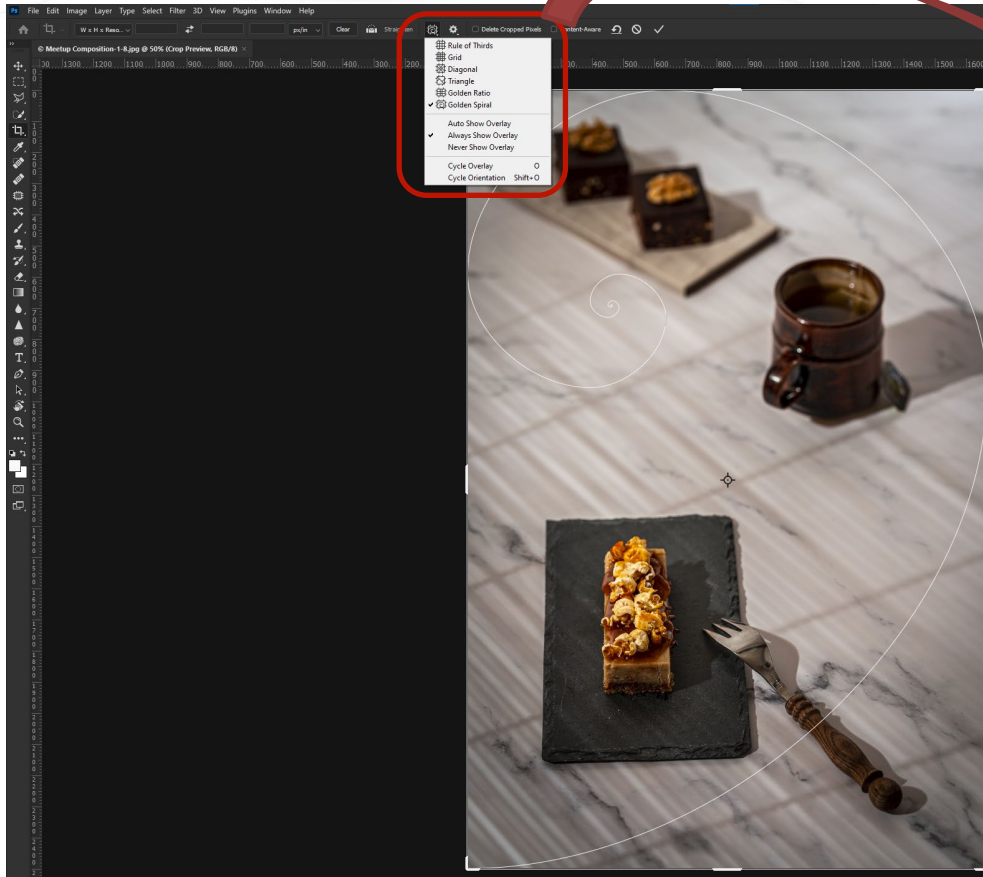
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Software Overlays



Examples



CH CHaya Photo Library | Develop | Map | Book | Slideshow | Print | Web

Library Filter: Text Attribute Metadata None Filters Off

Navigator: FIT 100% 85%

Catalog: All Photographs 19, All Synced Photographs 0, Quick Collection +, Previous Import 19

Folders: Filter Folders, myStuff (D:) 0.9 / 5.6 TB, Meetup Composition 19

Collections: Filter Collections, Smart Collections

Publish Services: Hard Drive Set Up..., Adobe Stock Set Up..., Flickr Set Up..., Find More Services Online...

Grid of 19 photographs:

- Row 1: Motorcycle, Street view, Park scene, Lake at sunset, Lake at sunrise, Town view, Fireworks, Sky with clouds, Sky with clouds, Desert landscape.
- Row 2: Window view, Silhouette, Woman's portrait, Food dishes, Food dishes, Food dishes, Food dishes, Food dishes, Food dishes.

Histogram: Original + Smart Preview

Quick Develop:

- Saved Preset: CSM Import+
- White Balance: As Shot
- Temperature: 10000, 4000, 2000, 1000
- Tint: 10000, 4000, 2000, 1000
- Tone Control: Auto
- Exposure: 10000, 4000, 2000, 1000
- Clarity: 10000, 4000, 2000, 1000
- Vibrance: 10000, 4000, 2000, 1000
- Reset All

Keywording:

Keyword Tags: Enter Keywords

Click here to add keywords

Keyword Suggestions:

Keyword Set: Custom

- Zürich < swiss, bridge, river
- long exposure, night shots < L, long exposure
- Water, clouds, blue

Filter Keywords

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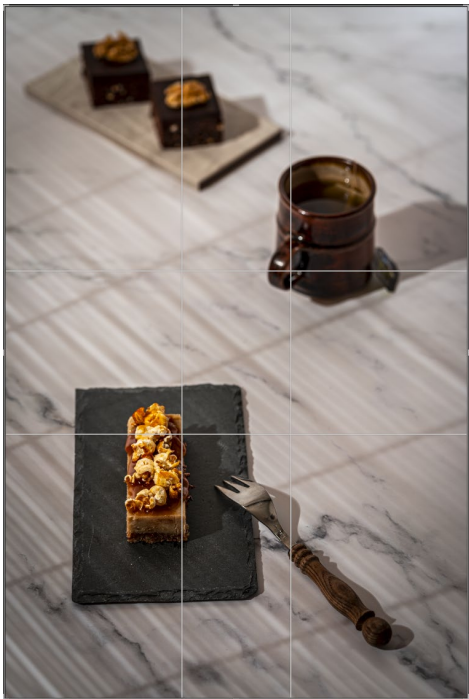
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Sync Metadata, Sync Settings

Import, Export, Thumbnails

The More, The Better?





What's Next

Photo Walks



- Virtual Photowalk
 - End: Feb. 23rd
 - Share ONE image per theme: [FB Group](#)
 - Online Meeting: March 2nd
 - View photos +
 - Photo Critique
 - Themes:
 - 1: Tree (3?)
 - 2: Minimalism

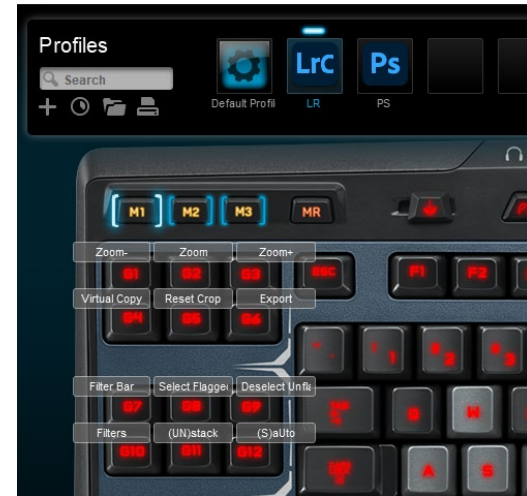
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- Deepen the Composition Discussion?
- Luminar AI Demo?
- Productivity Hacks?
- What projects do you have ATM?



LUMINAR^{AI}



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Thank you

See you next [Tuesday!](#)