

Image Editing Applications

CIS 138 I60

Fall 2020

Number of Credits: 3

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Days Class Meets: Online

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Meeting Times: As needed [Zoom]

Online Office Hours: As needed via [Zoom]

Location/Venue: (Virtual/Distance Learning)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3138369196>

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E-mail Response: 24-48 hr turn-around response time.

Course Description

Students will be exposed to current applications available for image editing, as well as the technical aspects of image manipulation in a variety of contexts. They will become familiar with applications through research, demonstrations, structured exercises as well as open-ended assignments.

Prerequisite(s)

N/A

Course Goals

Topics include basic editing functions, digital painting, using digital photos and scanning images, composing montages and collages and creating web-ready graphics.

Course Objectives

The course goals and objectives incorporate specific General Education Outcomes (GEOs) established by the JC Board of Trustees, administration, and faculty. These goals are in concert with four-year colleges and universities and reflect input from the professional communities we serve. GEOs guarantee students achieve goals necessary for graduation credit, transferability, and professional skills needed in many certification programs. The GEOs and course objectives addressed in this class include the following:

Upon completion of this course, students should be able to:

- Scan images at multiple resolutions
- Save images in multiple formats

- Edit images in a variety of creative ways
- Choose best resources available for image editing

EC 1 Think Critically and act responsibly.

EC 2 Work productively with others, recognizing individual contributions to group success.

EC 3. Exhibit technological literacy.

Text Book Zero! There is no text required for this course.

Follett Access! Please review the cost of your required materials at the following link to determine the best option for you to purchase your materials:

<https://www.bkstr.com/jacksonstore>

For more information on the Follett ACCESS Program, you can view the frequently asked questions here: <https://www.jccmi.edu/bookstore/student-services-follett-access/>.

If after reviewing the costs, you choose to opt out, you may do so here: www.jccmi.edu/optout.

Please note your opt out selection is for your entire semester schedule. You cannot opt out and opt in to individual courses. And you must opt out by the due date for your first class.

Class Starts On:	Opt Out Date:
August 31, 2020	September 3, 2020
October 6, 2020	October 9, 2020
October 27, 2020	October 30, 2020
November 11, 2020	November 14, 2020

If you have questions about materials, please contact the Jackson College Follett bookstore at jackson@bkstr.com. For account billing questions, please contact the Jackson College Cashier at jccashier@jccmi.edu.

Extras

Students are required to have internet access, and regular access to Adobe Creative Cloud, InDesign®. Also, students can benefit from using a pencil and sketchbook/paper for ideation.

Grading Procedure

Exercises	25-75 points each = 400 pts (est.)
Forums	20 points each = 100 pts (est.)
Quizzes	25-50 points = 100 pts (est.)

TOTAL pts

= 600 pts (est.)

Grading Scale

GPA	GRADE RANGE
4.0	94-100%
3.5	89-93%
3.0	84-88%
2.5	78-83%
2.0	72-77%
1.5	66-71%
1.0	60-65%
0.5	55-59%
0.0	0-54%

Failure

Students must achieve a passing grade of D or above by completing all required examinations, submitting all required exercises and projects, and meeting the standards of the school attendance policy.

Academic Honesty Policy

Academic Honesty is defined as ethical behavior that includes student production of their own work and not representing others' work as their own, by cheating or by helping others to do so.

Plagiarism is defined as the failure to give credit for the use of material from outside sources.

Plagiarism includes but is not limited to:

- Submitting other's work as your own
- Using data, illustrations, pictures, quotations, or paraphrases from other sources without adequate documentation
- Reusing significant, identical or nearly identical portions of one's own prior work without acknowledging that one is doing so or without citing this original work (self-plagiarism)

Cheating is defined as obtaining answers/material from an outside source without authorization.

Cheating includes, but is not limited to:

- Plagiarizing in any form
- Using notes/books/electronic material without authorization
- Copying
- Submitting others' work as your own or submitting your work for others

- Altering graded work
- Falsifying data
- Exhibiting other behaviors generally considered unethical
- Allowing your work to be submitted by others

Accessibility

Jackson College understands that cultivating a broadly diverse community is crucial to our educational mission and to our foundational commitment to leadership and service. Jackson College is fully committed to ensuring our courses are accessible to everyone including those with disabilities. We are currently working to increase accessibility and usability of our course materials in order to meet or exceed the requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1991 and Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0. For more information about Jackson College's efforts to ensure accessibility please visit the [Jackson College accessibility web page](#).

If you have an accessibility need in any of our classes please e-mail the Center for Student Success at JCCSS@jccmi.edu or visit the [Center for Student Success web page](#).

At the Center for Student Success (CSS), we are committed to providing all students the opportunity to achieve academic success by providing a variety of support services free of charge to Jackson College students. This includes, but is not limited to, peer and faculty tutoring, mental health referral, temporary assistance with transportation, various workshops/seminars, and the TRIO program.

In addition, the CSS staff is committed to adapting the College's general services to meet the individual needs of otherwise qualified students with disabilities, for the purpose of providing equal access to all programs and facilities.

Course Management

Because courses vary in length, it is critical that you check the last day to drop or withdraw by going to www.jccmi.edu, under 'Quick Links' choose "Drop Classes". If you receive financial aid, call 517-796-8410 to discuss the impact of dropping or withdrawing. Students who stop attending class without completing a withdrawal form will receive a grade of 0.0. It is the student's responsibility to withdraw from a course. The instructor cannot issue a drop from this course for you. You should initiate a withdrawal at the main campus Registrar's Office or at any JC center if you cannot complete the course. You should also contact the instructor when considering a withdrawal.

Incomplete

No incomplete grades will be given in this class except under extenuating circumstances and if the student has completed at least 75% of the work and has a grade of at least 2.0 in the course. The grade of "I" is not awarded to students who did not attend, or seldom attended, or to those who simply are not pleased with their final grades. Students receiving an "I" submit only the remaining work that had not been

completed at the end of the semester. Students do not redo work that had already been graded.

Audits

Students who do not wish to receive a grade from the course may opt for an “audit,” which means they will not receive a grade. They may turn in their work and take tests for evaluation. Students who sign up to “audit” and now wish to receive a grade must contact the Registrar’s Office at main campus or personnel at the extension centers by **the drop/add date** listed in Academic Calendar within this syllabus.

Extra Help

Tutors (plus additional services for academic success) can be accessed by calling 517-796-8415 or by stopping by the Center for Student Success, Bert Walker Hall Room 123. Students requiring special assistance (including those affected by the Americans with Disabilities Act) should contact the Center for Student Success. This is the first step in acquiring the appropriate accommodations to facilitate your learning

Makeup Policy

Ways that students can manage their enrollment in a course for special circumstances. Includes withdrawal, and audit and incomplete grading procedures.

Help

Available learning services or opportunities for students seeking help with their course work. May include information about tutors, learning centers, reserved library materials, counseling services.

Academic Advising

It is important to contact a Center for Student Success professional prior to the start of the semester in order to receive accommodations in a timely manner. While we will make every effort to coordinate accommodations in a timely manner, failure to self-identify prior to the start of the semester may delay notification to instructors and timeliness of acquiring accommodations.

Accommodations do not automatically carry over to the next semester. Please e-mail JCCSS@jccmi.edu or visit the [Accommodations for Students with Disabilities](#) web page

Student Responsibilities

You may be asked to search for images or graphics to use for the assignments in this class. Feel free to visit any Web site of interest, but **do not upload any copyrighted material in JetNet** — anything from an article to a cartoon—without the permission of the copyright owner or proper attribution. **YOU MUST CREDIT THE AUTHOR OR ARTIST AT ALL TIMES.** This will be discussed in class further.

You will be expected to review any regular Zoom recorded live session links if you are not able to attend the synchronous live sessions.

Attendance Policy

Just as in a traditional classroom course, regular class participation and keeping up on the reading and assignments is strongly correlated with survival in college. It is my recommendation that you plan to do your assignments and take your exams BEFORE the last day they are due. If problems occur, there is time to fix them before the deadline.

In compliance with Federal Title IV funding requirements, as well as college initiatives, I will be monitoring student participation on a regular basis and officially reporting student activity throughout the term to assure compliance with college policy and federal regulations. It is imperative that you log in to the course and actively participate **within the first couple of days of the term** to validate your enrollment in the course. After that, not actively participating in class may result in you being withdrawn from the course. Being withdrawn from a course can have an impact on financial aid, billing, athletic eligibility, and housing status. As a college student you are responsible for how your participation impacts your academic progress; the accountability lies with you.

Caveat

There may be things that would require revisions to the syllabus or calendar. For example, severe weather, causing cancellation of classes or instructor illness causing changes in the calendar. Other events may affect the course calendar (at times it varies). Typing errors or a due date that must be changed may occur. In any case, the class will be notified of changes to the syllabus or calendar.

Calendar

**Calendar timelines and assignments are an approximation and could be changed.*

UNIT	DATE	TOPIC	HOMEWORK
1	10/27	Intro // Cloud	Application // Forums
2	11/02	File Sharing // File Types	Forums
3	11/09	Pixlr	Case Study // Quiz // Forum
4	11/16	Inkscape // GIMP // Photoflexr	Application // Forum
	11/23	Thanksgiving Break	
5	11/30	SumoPaint // PicMonkey	Application // Forum
6	12/7	Seek // Swap // Survey	Application // Forum
7	12/14	Photocat // Animoto	Application // Quiz // Forum

DATE	EVENT
8/31-12/19	SEMESTER DATES
10/27	COURSE BEGINS
10/30	CENSUS DATE
11/25-11/29	THANKSGIVING
12/19	END OF TERM