# **DSLR WORKSHOP AND PHOTOWALK**

## WITH ROBERT PAETZ PHOTOGRAPHY

Date: March 6, Sunday

Location: CoLoft, Santa Monica, CA Time: 12.30pm - 5.30pm (5 hours)

Course fee: \$125/person or \$220/pair that sign up together

Refreshments and course materials provided

NOTE: Class size is limited to **10 students** to maintain a high level of personal attention.

Register now at http://www.robertpaetz.com/blog/photo-workshop!

erhaps you recently or even not-so-recently acquired a DSLR camera (the 'fancy' kind with removable lenses) and *know* that you're supposed to be getting better pictures, but somehow the pictures still aren't quite what you had imagined. Do you shoot only on auto because you're too nervous to change any settings and honestly don't know what the heck all those buttons do or what those numbers on the screen mean?

Come spend a day with Rob & Felicia at this fun, hands-on workshop, where you'll learn simple but effective tips & techniques to improve your photographic abilities, show your camera who's boss, and be empowered to create the photos that you've always desired.

### WORKSHOP DETAILS:

### PART I - CLASSROOM SESSION:

Key topics include: Camera & Photography fundamentals, Basics of aperture/ISO/shutter speed (explained in non-intimidating, easy-to-grasp terms), Lenses, Lighting and much more!

### PART II - OUTDOOR PHOTOWALK:

Take a walk around scenic Santa Monica, snap away, and practice all the new skills & techniques that you've just acquired. Rob & Felicia will be on-hand to answer your questions and help you out on the spot.

### PART III - REVIEW:

Relax and enjoy refreshments back at CoLoft while photos are reviewed and shared with the class. Participants also get an individual critique to help them learn & improve.

#### WHAT YOU NEED:

- An attitude of openness and enthusiasm
- A DSLR camera with at least one lens
- Fully-charged battery and empty memory card in your camera
- Your camera's instruction manual
- Comfortable walking shoes

### ABOUT ROBERT & FELICIA:



Robert Paetz has been a professional photographer for the past 7 years, and also has a cinematography portfolio that includes several feature length films. He combines his distinct artistic style with a solid technical understanding of photography and light. Rob strongly believes that learning never stops. Besides taking lots of photos every week, he has completed Masters-level classes at UCLA, and continually attends workshops, seminars and lectures with world-renowned photographers like Steve McCurry and Joe McNally. Rob loves travel, his 35mm f/1.4 lens, and his wife – not necessarily in that order.



**Felicia Wong** is an associate photographer and co-owner of Robert Paetz Photography. Felicia first impressed Rob when she fearlessly fiddled with the manual settings on her little point-and-shoot Casio camera. She has had a keen interest in photography even before meeting Rob – thereafter she also developed a keen interest in the photographer.

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS:**

#### REGISTRATION

- Due to the limited number of spots available, pre-registration is required for this workshop.
- Full payment is required at time of registration. You will need a valid credit card to pay securely through PayPal, to robertcpaetz@gmail.com
- If you need to make payment via check or cash, or redeeming a gift certificate, please contact us by phone (951-264-9606) or email: robertcpaetz@gmail.com
- After payment, an application form will be sent to you via email. Please fill it out to complete
  your registration.

#### **REFUNDS & CANCELLATIONS**

- Enrollment for this workshop is limited, therefore your commitment is important to us. We do understand that life can be unpredictable, so workshop spots are transferable, but not refundable. The full payment amount can also be used as a credit for other services (portraiture, event photography, workshops etc.) offered by Robert Paetz Photography if at least 72 hours' notice is given, and acknowledged by the organizers.
- If a participant withdraws from the workshop and had originally signed up at the promotional price for two persons, the remaining participant's spot will be billed at the regular rate.
- Full refunds of all monies paid will be made if a workshop is canceled by us, or if the workshop is rescheduled and you are unable to attend on the revised date.

#### **WORKSHOP SCHEDULE AND ITINERARY:**

• All workshop schedules and plans are tentative and made in the interest of the best photographic opportunities. We reserve the right to change, at our exclusive discretion, schedules, plans and itineraries, depending on weather, health or safety considerations, or any other factor related or not related to the photographic opportunities, as we see them fit into the workshop.

#### DISCLAIMER

- Robert Paetz Photography is not responsible for any other costs which participants may incur, including but not limited to travel, parking, photographic purchases and/or rentals.
- Robert Paetz is not responsible for possible future addiction to photography, including, but not limited to: taking lots of photos every day, lusting over lenses and other photographic paraphernalia, and potentially annoying your friends & family by constantly pointing a camera in their face. Just sayin'.