# THE PHOTOSHOP MASTERCLASS



Welcome to The Photoshop Masterclass! Now that you've signed up, please take a look at the following instructions.

# HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO DO ...

As soon as you sign up for The Photoshop Masterclass we will send you an invite to the Dropbox folder we'll be using to share your images and notes (please note, we'll use the same email address as you use for your PayPal account, so if you'd rather we contact you using a different email address just let us know).

Once you receive the invite we would like you to add your images and notes to the Dropbox folder, bearing in mind the following ...

#### FIRST ...

Please create a new folder in the shared Dropbox folder with your name as the title, into which you can then place your image and notes.



<YOUR NAME>

## YOUR IMAGE

Your image may be submitted as a RAW file, PSD file, TIFF or JPEG. If you haven't edited your image yet a RAW file would be ideal as it provides more scope during the editing process. If you've already begun work on your image, if possible, please submit it as a Photoshop (PSD) file.



<u>Please note</u>: if you have worked on your image in Photoshop – *after exporting it from Lightroom* – you'll need to save it from within Photoshop rather than exporting it from Lightroom as the latter will flatten the image on export. If you save it directly from Photoshop it will retain any adjustment layers you added during the editing process.

## **YOUR NOTES**

The notes you submit with your image should outline your questions/thoughts regarding your image. For example, you may have an issue with your image that you haven't been able resolve, you may be unsure of the best approach to take, or you may need help with a specific tool or, technique. Just let us know, and we'll cover your points in our critique/discussion of your image.



Please upload your notes as either a plain text file, PDF or Word document.

#### **BEFORE THE EVENT**

A day or two before your scheduled masterclass you'll receive an email with the URL for the meeting. A few minutes before the meeting starts, click the link and you'll be prompted to download a small plugin that will enable you to join and view your masterclass.



## **DURING THE MASTERCLASS**

During each three hour masterclass we'll devote approximately 20 minutes to each image. You'll be able to ask questions and discuss your own image, and will also be able to participate in the group discussions.



We strongly recommend that you wear headphones during the meeting to prevent audio feedback between your computer's microphone and speakers.

## AFTER THE EVENT

Once the masterclass has finished you'll be able to copy and save your edited image, and a few hours later the recording of the event will be sent to you via WeTransfer (you'll receive a url to download a zipped version of an .mp4 file, approximately 300MB to 500MB).



If you have any questions about any of the above, please email David – <u>djn1@chromasia.com</u> – and he'll get back to you as soon as possible.