

## **COMM 250 @ LeeU**

### **Photographic Assignment 1 - Composition**

#### **Goal**

Gain experience shooting photographs that adhere to the basic rules of composition.

#### **Objective**

Learners will gain experience with a DSLR camera and produce creative photographs which illustrate each of the following the rules of composition. In addition the students will learn how to up load photographs to a computer.

#### **Instructions for Photography**

1. You are to take least 5 photographs within each area of composition. These images should show an understanding of the basic rules of composition. There should be 25 images total when you are finished
  - a. 5 simplicity, 5 lines, 5 rule of 3rds, 5 Framing, 5 Spacing
2. Look over your photographs and select fives images, one for each of the rules of composition. Each image should best represent a particular rule of composition.
3. Label your five images as shown below:

Composition Rule	Final number of photos that will be submitted for each rule	File Name
Simplicity	1	01_Simp_Lastname
The Rule of Thirds	1	02_Thirds_Lastname
Lines	1	03_Lines_Lastname
Framing	1	04_Framing_Lastname
Spacing	1	05_Spacing_Lastname

4. Submit the photos to Dr. A's system at [www.luiscalmeida.info](http://www.luiscalmeida.info)

#### **Grading**

This purpose of this assignment is to get you to begin to think about both the technical aspect of and the aesthetic aspects of photography. I do not expect perfect pictures but I do expect that you will try to meet the assignment and even produce photographs that are sharp and properly exposed.

**Remember, try to be creative and have fun.**

**Grading Rubric**

Each selected photo (the ones picked out and submitted) will be assessed using the following rubric;

<b>Image</b>	<b>Fulfilled the Assignment (10)</b>	<b>Composition (10)</b>	<b>Technical (10)</b>	<b>Creativity (10)</b>
01_Simp_Lastname				
02_Thirids_Lastname				
03_Lines_Lastname				
04_Framing_Lastname				
05_Spacing_Lastname				