PHOTOGRAPHY

The Drexel University Photography program teaches students how to develop a unique photographic vision using a combination of aesthetics and technology. Using both applied and theoretical teaching methods and blending traditional processes with current digital technologies, the photography curriculum provides aspiring photographers with the breadth of experience and knowledge required to succeed in today’s marketplace.

The photography foundation courses are the same for all students until their third year, at which point they design a custom path of study that culminates in their senior thesis portfolio. Our alumni’s achievements reflect the diversity built into our program. They own successful photography studios, teach in high school and college programs, serve as curators, work as magazine photo editors and operate their own digital illustration firms.

The College’s extensive photographic facilities are available to every photography major at Drexel.

For more information about this major, call 215.895.2396 or visit drexel.edu/westphal/academics/undergraduate/phto.

Employers Who Have Hired Drexel Students Include:

- Gabello Studios
- Jason Varney Photography
- Jill Greenberg Studio
- Jonathan Pushnik Photography
- Metropolitan Museum of Art
- Michael Creagh Photography
- Philadelphia Museum of Art
- Robert Mann Gallery
- Tom Crane Photography
- Trevor Dixon Studio

JOB TITLES

- General Gallery Assistant
- Photo Lab Technician
- Photojournalist
- Photographer
- Commercial Photographer

- Research Assistant
- Rights and Reproductions Assistant
- Studio Assistant
- Videographer
- Curator

Please refer to drexel.edu/scdc/salaryguide for our most recent co-op salary information.
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNET RESOURCES

American Society of Media Photographers
asmp.org

American Photographic Artists
apanational.org

Artisan jobs
artisancreative.com/openjobs

American Society of Picture Professionals
aspp.com

National Press Photographers Association
nppa.org

North American American Nature Photography Association
nanpa.org

Professional Photographers of America
ppa.com

American Alliance of Museums
aam-us.org

CAREER RESOURCES

Résumé, Interviewing, and Job Search Best Practices
drexel.edu/scdc/professional-pointers

Workshop Calendar
drexel.edu/scdc/calendars-events/workshops

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