

JANUARY
JOSÉ FRANCISCO SALGADO
Astronomy



THE NPC HISTOGRAM ¹/₁₉
THE NEWSLETTER OF THE NASHVILLE PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

JANUARY SPEAKER

JOSÉ FRANCISCO SALGADO

José Francisco Salgado, PhD, is an Emmy-nominated astronomer, experimental photographer, and public speaker who creates multimedia works that communicate science in engaging ways. He has spent more than 60 nights capturing the beauty of the northern lights for his science & symphony films, which have been presented in more than 350 concerts and lectures, reaching a combined audience of 400,000 people in 18 countries.

In his presentation to NPC, Dr. Salgado will explain the physics behind the auroras and will share tips and techniques for taking stills, time-lapse sequences, and real-time video of this upper atmosphere phenomenon. He will also show excerpts from his Northern Lights film productions.

As an experimental photographer, Dr. Salgado has visited more than 30 scientific sites worldwide, including the South Pole, the Atacama Desert, the French Pyrenees, and the South African Karoo and has contributed visuals to documentaries produced for the History Channel, Discovery Channel, BBC, YouTube Red, and National Geographic.



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Calendar of Events

CLUB MEETING

Tuesday, January 15, 6:30pm
 Watkins College of Art, Design & Film
 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee

SPEAKER: José Francisco Salgado • Astronomy
JoseFranciscoSalgado.com

PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: Night Lights

CLUB MEETING

Tuesday, February 19, 6:30pm
 Watkins College of Art, Design & Film
 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee

SPEAKER: Jerry Parks • Sharing His New Book
PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: Shadow

CLUB MEETING

Tuesday, March 19, 6:30pm
 Watkins College of Art, Design & Film
 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee

SPEAKER: Mark Scala • The Frist Museum
PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: A Pet

DIGITAL FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, March 28, 6:00pm • Goodlettsville Public Library,
 205 Rivergate Parkway, Goodlettsville, Tennessee

CLUB MEETING

Tuesday, April 16, 6:30pm
 Watkins College of Art, Design & Film
 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee

SPEAKER: Greg Thomason • Developing Rapport With Your
 Subjects • GregThomason.com

PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: A Path

DIGITAL FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, April 25, 6:00pm • Goodlettsville Public Library,
 205 Rivergate Parkway, Goodlettsville, Tennessee

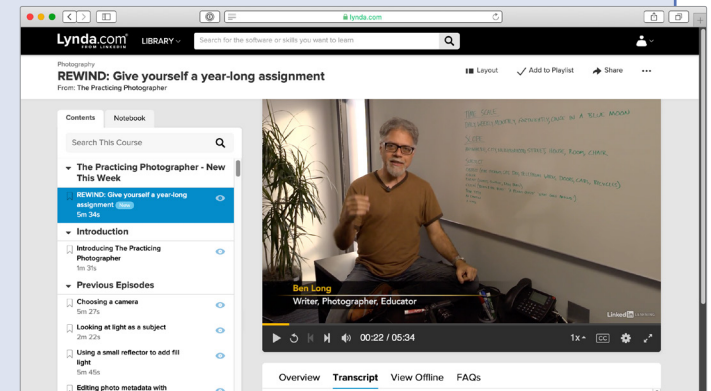
NPC meets at 6:30pm on the third Tuesday of each month January through November, at Watkins College of Art. The Digital Focus Group meets on the fourth Thursday of each month, March through October, at the Goodlettsville Public Library.

HITTING THE LINKS

RESOURCES FROM AROUND THE INTERNET

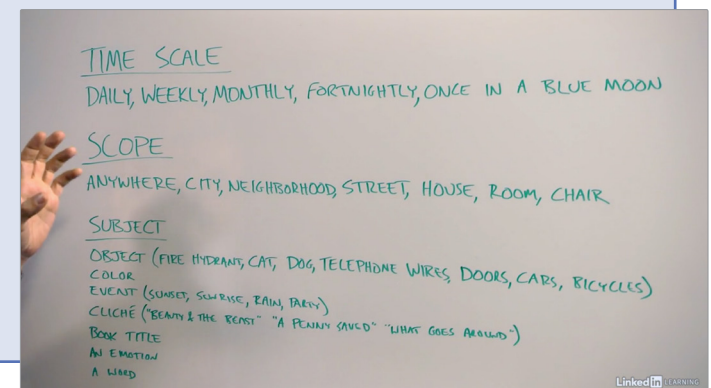
Give Yourself a Year-long Assignment

From *The Practicing Photographer*, Ben Long on Lynda.com



FROM THE VIDEO: One of the trickiest things about going out to shoot is figuring what to go out and shoot. There's a big world full of potential photos out there and that can be overwhelming. When you step out the door with your camera, you might, in the face of seeing everything, not really be able to see anything...

So I'm going to help you out here and give you some ideas about giving yourself a year-long assignment. And you don't have to do a year, you could give yourself a shorter amount of time.... So to give yourself an assignment, you need to choose a couple of parameters here, you don't have to take all of these...





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▲ FIRST PLACE: Bill Scott



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▲ SECOND PLACE: Scott Robertson

PHOTO OF THE MONTH

RULES

- 1 You must be a member with dues paid up to date.
- 2 Photograph must pertain to the Monthly Theme (January's theme is Night Lights).
- 3 Image size limits: Minimum 4"x 6" to Maximum 12" (long side).
- 4 Place ONE photo on the table provided for judging.
- 5 Photograph needs to be taken within the 12 months prior to the contest month.
- 6 You must be present to win.

UPCOMING THEMES

JANUARY: Night Lights

FEBRUARY: Shadow

MARCH: A Pet

APRIL: A Path

MAY: A Flower

JUNE: Sunshine

JULY: High Key

AUGUST: Blues

SEPTEMBER: Low Key

OCTOBER: On the Street

NOVEMBER: Country



"I guess I've shot about 40,000 negatives and of these I have about 800 pictures I like."

— HARRY CALLAHAN, 1912 – 1999
American photographer and teacher

PARTING SHOT

GEORGE CHARLES BERESFORD

VIRGINIA WOOLF

1902

