

Photography: A Hands-On History

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Week Two: July 12 – 18, 2026

Schedule: Monday - Friday, 9-12 and 1:30-3:30; no class Wednesday afternoon.

Location: Tjaden Hall, room 220; Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art; Jaden Darkroom

Required to-dos before class starts:

Send Jen and David two (2) digital images that you would like to work with during the week. In order to make the most of our short time together, we will prepare negatives for you in advance.

Dress for the darkroom:

Clothing that you don't mind getting a little messy is ideal. While the darkroom processes we'll be using are relatively non-toxic it is possible for chemistry to stain clothing. Lab aprons and gloves will be provided, but please consider the potential for unplanned splashes when choosing your attire for the week. Closed-toe shoes are required. Layers are also helpful to be comfortable in both the warm summer sun as well as the air-conditioned buildings.

Bring to class:

Notebook and pencil - not pen!

(ink is not allowed in the Museum, and it washes away in the darkroom)