



# Make-up for Photographers

Quite simply, good make-up can make or break any shot involving people, from a basic headshot to an elaborate fashion spread. This workshop will teach what you as a photographer need to know about make-up and how it can enhance your photographs.

We'll cover how to select and work with a make-up artist, and what you need to know to get the best results from that partnership. You'll have a chance to observe how make-up is applied for photography, and see before and after photos to show the results.

As well, we'll give you a variety of tips and techniques that you can use when there is no make-up artist for the shoot. Simple things that you can do at the shoot to save yourself hours of retouching later.

Here are some specific topics we'll cover:

- Understanding how make-up works in a photo to enhance the look of your subject
- Basics of how make-up is applied and why
- Choosing and working with a make-up artist
- How to communicate with your Make-up artist about the style and look you're going for
- Specific issues to look for and address through make-up
- Demonstration, including before & after photos, of make-up application for photography
- How to match the make-up to the lighting style and look of your photographs
- Differences between "fashion/beauty" make-up and make-up for "real" people
- What to do when there is no make-up artist
- Where to send your clients to get make-up done for a portrait
- Simple make-up techniques that you can apply yourself
- Items to include in your own "emergency" make-up kit
- Simple tips for taming hair
- How to quickly improve hands and legs
- Of course, since this is a workshop, you'll have lots of opportunity to ask questions.

The Instructor: Natalia Zurawska is one of the country's top make-up artists, working with photographers and directors on projects in advertising, editorial, film and television. You can see her work at [ColourChameleon | Natalia Zurawska](#).

## Workshop Info

**Dates & Times:** Friday, January 29 6:00pm - 10:00pm  
or Saturday, February 20 1:00 - 5:00

**Location:** Rob Davidson Studio 19 Atlantic Avenue, Toronto  
**Cost:** \$100 & GST (\$105)

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