

NATHANIEL COALSON

PHOTOGRAPHER • DIGITAL PRINTMAKER • INSTRUCTOR • CONSULTANT

www.NatCoalson.com • PO Box 1282, Conifer, CO 80433 • Phone 720.936.1015 • Email Nat@NatCoalson.com

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Accomplished visual artist and entrepreneur with outstanding professional portfolio and reputation. 20+ years working in commercial and fine art photography, digital printmaking, graphic design and production for print, web and video. Experienced team leader and instructor with demonstrated success conducting workshops and seminars, managing operations and employees and working with clients and vendors. Highlights of relevant experience include:

- Professional photographer with 18 years experience using film and digital cameras
- Expert knowledge of digital imaging, color management, computer graphics and electronic media
- Graphic arts professional since 1987
- Self-employed full time since 1998
- Adobe Certified Expert, Photoshop; Adobe Certified Expert, Photoshop Lightroom
- Expert in digital retouching, color correction and compositing
- Master digital printmaker
- Lifelong artist working in various media; exhibited extensively
- Taught numerous workshops, classes, lectures and seminars
- Experienced technical writer and multimedia content producer

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

2002–Present Nat Coalson Inc. dba Coalson Editions, Conifer, CO *Owner/President*

Commercial and fine art photography; digital printmaking for photographers and artists; digital imaging and color management consulting; writing and lecturing on photography and imaging.

2006–Present Workshops for Photographers™, Conifer, CO *Owner*

Owner of Colorado based company providing field photography workshops and digital photography and imaging classes. Classes also taught through affiliate organizations including Denver Darkroom, Working with Artists and 13 Photography.

2005 KD Moore Gallery, Evergreen, CO *Professional Framer; Gallery Associate*

Trained by master framer in art frame construction techniques and equipment including dual miter saw, pneumatic v-nailer and computerized mat cutter. Produced client frames from design through final assembly using museum/archival methods and materials. Also responsible for gallery marketing, advertising and coordinating exhibitions.

2002–2004 Stark Raving Media, Denver, CO *Co-Owner/President; Lead Designer*

Consumer behavior research, Internet marketing and web site development for corporate clients. Graphic design for print and web; video design and editing.

1998–2002 Mindlight Media Design Inc., Denver, CO *President/CEO; Lead Designer*

Founded a seven-person web and multimedia design company that served corporate clients worldwide. Developed client relationships and project proposals, specified and implemented technology strategies; hired and trained employees. Revenues increased 500% over three years; work done for clients received numerous industry awards.

1996–1998 Publication Design Inc., Denver, CO *Senior Graphic Designer*

Designed and produced print and web marketing communications for corporate clients. Responsible for graphic design; page layout; photo compositing, retouching and special effects; imagesetter output; color proofing with IRIS printers.

1993–1996 Monterey Graphics Inc., Torrance, CA *Digital Prepress Manager*

Managed a prepress service bureau that provided drum scans, color separations, film output and contract color proofs for publishing clients. Made digital prints using IRIS printers. Developed and implemented business plan based on a new Scitex prepress system that increased company revenues 400% the first year following implementation.

Additional work history available on request: Full-time graphics, imaging and printing positions since 1987

NATHANIEL COALSON

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

Sep-Oct 2007	<i>A Sense of Place</i> – Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, Augusta, Georgia
Sep-Oct 2007	<i>Lines Into Shapes</i> – Art Center of Estes Park, Estes Park, Colorado
July 2007	<i>16th Annual National Juried Photography Show</i> – Louisville Arts Assoc., Louisville, Colorado
May 2007	<i>Outside > In</i> – Flash Gallery, Lakewood, Colorado
March 2007	<i>WOW Show</i> – Core New Art Space, Denver, Colorado
February 2007	<i>Geometry</i> – Flash Gallery, Lakewood, Colorado
September 2006	<i>Invitational Exhibition: Paint, Sculpt, Shoot Evergreen</i> – Evergreen, Colorado
August 2006	<i>Wildlife of the Rockies</i> – Evergreen Artists Association Fall Show, Evergreen, Colorado
August 2006	<i>Views of the West</i> – South Union Gallery, Lakewood, Colorado
May 2006	<i>Moab Arts Festival</i> , Moab, Utah
June 2006	<i>Solo Exhibition: Abstract Works</i> – Frames for All Reasons, Evergreen, Colorado
February 2006	<i>WOW Show</i> – Core New Art Space, Denver, Colorado <i>Colorado Nature Photographers Exhibit</i> – Colorado State Capitol Building, Denver, Colorado
January-June 2006	<i>Solo Exhibition: Abstract Works</i> – Bliss Salon, Denver, Colorado
2006-2007	<i>Solo Exhibition: Colorado Landscapes</i> , Estes Park, Colorado
November 2005	<i>pureABSTRACTION</i> – Flash Gallery, Lakewood, Colorado
October 2005	<i>Greenwood Village and Beyond</i> – Curtis Arts and Humanities Center, Greenwood Village, Colorado <i>Edges: Evergreen Artists Association Fall Show</i> – Evergreen Arts Center, Evergreen, Colorado
July 2005	<i>Celebration</i> – KD Moore Gallery, Evergreen, Colorado
February 2005	<i>A Closer Look at Colorado</i> – South Union Gallery, Lakewood, Colorado <i>WOW Show</i> – Core New Art Space, Denver Colorado <i>Photography Exhibition</i> – Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts, Palmer Lake, Colorado
December 2004	<i>Holiday Art Show</i> – Aspen Park Art & Frame, Conifer, Colorado

PRIVATE AND CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

<i>Barber Collection</i> , Denver, Colorado	<i>Irwin Collection</i> , Princeton, British Columbia
<i>Berlin Collection (commissioned work)</i> , Vail, Colorado	<i>Moreland, M.D. Collection</i> , Littleton, Colorado
<i>Coleman Collection (commissioned work)</i> , Littleton, Colorado	<i>Pasternak Collection</i> , Denver, Colorado
<i>Collier Collection</i> , Longmont, Colorado	<i>Reel Collection</i> , Redondo Beach, California
<i>Dale Collection (commissioned work)</i> , Denver, Colorado	<i>Sarles Collection</i> , Denver, Colorado
<i>De La Cruz Collection</i> , Long Beach, California	<i>Slaughter Collection</i> , Denver, Colorado
<i>Goolsby Collection</i> , Denver, Colorado	

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Adobe Certified Expert	Photoshop Lightroom	2008
Adobe Certified Expert	Photoshop	2006
Silicon Studio/LA	Wavefront Explore	1996
Silicon Studio/LA	Alias PowerAnimator	1995
Scitex America	StarPS	1994

OTHER EDUCATION

Colorado Institute of Art	A.A. Degree Program, Multimedia	1997
California Art Institute	Figure & Life Drawing	1993
El Camino College, Los Angeles	Music Theory	1991-92

NATHANIEL COALSON

AWARDS

Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, <i>A Sense of Place</i> , 2007	Honorable Mention
National Photo Awards, 2006	Sixth Place
Colorado Department of Agriculture, <i>Annual Photography Contest</i> , 2005	Honorable Mention
Axiem Awards, 2001	Silver
Denver Advertising Federation Ad Show, 2001	Silver
Art Directors Club of Denver, 2000	Silver
Art Directors Club of Denver, 2000	Bronze (2)
Axiem Awards, 2000	Silver (2)
Communicator Awards, 2000	Crystal
Communicator Awards, 2000	Jade (3)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE – CLASSROOM AND FIELD

<i>Photoshop Fundamentals</i>	Two-day class at Illuminate Workshops, Denver, Colorado	March 2008
<i>Photoshop Intermediate</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	February 2008
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	February 2008
<i>Photoshop Fundamentals</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	January 2008
<i>Photoshop Fundamentals</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	November 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	One-day class at Working With Artists, Lakewood, Colorado	November 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	October 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	One-day class at 13photo, Grand Junction, Colorado	September 2007
<i>Photoshop Fundamentals</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	September 2007
<i>Photoshop Intermediate</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	September 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	One-day class at Working With Artists, Lakewood, Colorado	August 2007
<i>Advanced Digital Printing</i>	Two-day workshop at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	August 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	Three-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	August 2007
<i>Advanced Digital Printing</i>	Two-day workshop at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	June 2007
<i>Photoshop Fundamentals</i>	Two-day class at Denver Darkroom, Denver, Colorado	June 2007
<i>Hidden Moab</i>	Three-day workshop with field and classroom work, Moab, Utah	May 2007
<i>Photoshop Adjustment Layers</i>	Guest lecture at Art Academy of Cincinnati, Ohio	March 2007
<i>Adobe Photoshop Lightroom</i>	One-day class, Denver, Colorado	February 2007
<i>Color Management</i>	Guest lecture at Art Academy of Cincinnati, Ohio	February 2007
<i>Hidden Moab</i>	Three-day workshop with field and classroom work, Moab, Utah	September 2006
<i>Digital Camera Fundamentals</i>	One-day field workshop, Rocky Mountain National Park, Colorado	July 2006
<i>Photoshop for Photographers</i>	Two-day class, Grand Junction, Colorado	April 2006
<i>Digital Denver</i>	Two-day workshop with field and classroom work, Denver, Colorado	March 2006
<i>Photoshop for Photographers</i>	Two-day class, Denver, Colorado	January 2006
<i>Private Instruction</i>	Personalized photography workshops and digital imaging training	2003-Present

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

PPA–Professional Photographers of America	Current Member
NAPP–National Association of Photoshop Professionals	Current Member
C4FAP–Center for Fine Art Photography	Current Member
RMNP–Rocky Mountain Nature Photographers	Current Member
NPC–Nature Photographers of Colorado	Current Member
EAA–Evergreen Artists Association	Member, 2003-2005
NANPA–North American Nature Photographers Association	Member, 2005
CIK–Colorado Internet Keiretsu	Board Member/Secretary, 2000-2001
DAF–Denver Advertising Federation	Chair, New Media Committee, 1999-2001
DAF–Denver Advertising Federation	Member, 1998-2002
ACM/Siggraph	Member, 1994-2000