

# Welcome!

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#### About me

- My name is Winston Sih.
- I'm a broadcast journalist/producer turned freelancer
- I have a passion for technology, and you'll often find me on the road
- Check out more of my work at <u>WinstonSih.com</u> & <u>MasterTravellr.com</u>





#### Introductions

What's your name?

Share a project you'll be applying your new skills to

What are you looking to learn from this workshop?



## Today's schedule

#### 10 a.m.

*Workshop:* Your workspace, import, organizing, editing essentials

#### 11:30 a.m. — BREAK

#### 11:45 a.m.

Workshop: Audio, transitions, graphics, effects, & elevation

#### 12:30 p.m.

*Workshop:* Troubleshooting, publishing, distribution, SEO

1 p.m. — Wrap up, Q&A, and FEEDBACK



FYI, resources for today's class can be found here:

#### https://camptech.ca/video-editing



# Let's get started!



#### Your common questions

- 1. Promotional videos for my business
- 2. Best practices for social media
- 3. Tips and tricks for editing and sharing
- 4. Setting up a shooting plan



## Preparing for the day

- Laptop with Adobe Premiere Pro CC is installed
- Headphones
- Smartphone
- Smartphone cable to sync video to your laptop



## Video editors

- Adobe Premiere Pro CC
- iMovie
- Final Cut Pro
- Sony Vegas Pro
- Pinnacle Studio Pro











#### Why Adobe Premiere Pro CC?

- It has a responsive design with an interface that's user friendly, productive, and efficient
- It works well with other Adobe products (i.e. Photoshop, InDesign, Motion)
- Simultaneous editing support means multiple people can work on the same project
- Platform, OS, and format agnostic
- As you get more experienced, you can dive into virtual reality...



Let's dive into Adobe Premiere Pro CC



#### Import your content

- Grab your footage
- Import (or ingesting) your video
- Look around
- Create project
- Bring in source video
- Assemble clips



Know your workspace

- 1. How to navigate your media browser
- 2. Know your timeline
- **3**. Tracks are your friend--think Photoshop!
- 4. Effects and transitions
- 5. Colour and audio settings





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## Helpful keyboard shortcuts

- 1. Expand and minimize your timeline tracks: Shift+=/ -. Ctrl+=/ - (Cmd+=/ -)
- 2. The backslash key (\) will show you everything
- **3**. I and **O** for in and out points
- 4. Ctrl+K (Cmd+K) cuts the clip in two
- 5. C is the razor tool, also helpful in splicing clips
- 6. **F** is helpful for matching frames



#### **Basic edits**

- 1. In and out points
- 2. Drag into timeline
- 3. Add effects
- 4. Edit audio
- **5**. Create transitions
- 6. Overlay titles and graphics
- 7. Exporting your clips





**Break: 15 minutes** 



## Workshop: Elevating your video

- 1. How to add audio
- **2**. Selecting graphics
- **3**. Transitioning between clips
- 4. Enhancing with effects



#### **Premiere Pro tricks**

- 1. Watch everything closely
- 2. You can find templates online
- 3. Hide clips in your project panel to remove clutter
- 4. Divide long clips for easier organisation
- 5. Find and fix the right sound effects to fit the mood of your edit
- 6. Practice, practice, practice!



# Publishing and distribution



## Publishing and distribution

- Determine how you want to distribute your video
- Most often, you'll want to export your video as H.264
- 1. Make sure the Timeline panel is active
- Choose File > Export > Media or press Control+M (Windows) or Command+M (macOS)
- 3. In the Export Settings dialog box, choose Format: H.264 and Preset: Match Source High Bitrate.
- 4. Choose filename and location, click the blue filename to open the Save As dialog box.
- 5. When you're happy with your settings, click Export. The new video file will be created, ready to share with the world.



Resources, tools, and tricks of the trade



## Tools of the trade (plug-ins) and resources

- Great slow motion: <u>TWIXTOR PRO</u>
- Great lower thirds: **BORIS FX GRAFFITI**
- Great colour consistency: <u>RED GIANT MAGIC BULLET LOOKS</u>
- Great audio stabilizer: <u>RED GIANT MAGIC BULLET DENOISER III</u>
- <u>Fiverr</u> is an excellent freelance resource from video titles, to animations, lower thirds, intro videos, music, voiceovers, and more!
- <u>Canva</u> has some great animation resources if you want to try doing things on your own!



# How to troubleshoot



#### 5 common issues and how to troubleshoot

- 1. Size mismatches
- 2. Footage not dragging
- 3. Media offline
- 4. Can't use Warp Stabilizer
- 5. Un-nest clips

Credit: https://nofilmschool.com/2018/01/how-fix-5-common-and-very-frustrating-editing-problems-premiere-pro



## Things to consider

- Do you want closed captioning? Account for that in your video editing.
- Video SEO and titling
- Thumbnails: Something you might want to make in Photoshop or a free plugin like <u>TubeBuddy</u>
- Where are you uploading the video—YouTube isn't your only option!





Q&A and feedback



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## Thank you!

#### Have questions? Reach out to: info@camptech.ca

