



Newsletter

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Wednesday, April 21, 2021

Social Hour 6:30 p.m.; Program 7:00 p.m.

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Chris Paulis

Approaches to Photographic Restoration



Explore the distinctive purposes and challenges of restoring photographs considering what sets this discipline apart within the IPC Artist Category.

- Examine a number of damaged photos
- Speculate the challenges
- Walk through Chris's restorations in time-lapse and see techniques he finds productive and efficient
- Discuss basic business aspects of this specialty

The goal is whet your appetite to step into this valuable realm of artistry that brings smiles to clients' faces.



BIO: Chris holds titles for PPA Master Photographer, Master Artist, Photographic Craftsman, Certified Professional Photographer (CPP) and is a PPA Juror in Training. He is an Associate and Photographic Fellow of Maryland Professional Photographers Association (MDPPA), has served as a CPP Liaison since 2013 and served a four year term on the MDPPA Board. As a career teacher educator, Chris mentors photographers seeking to earn their CPP. He offers various Workshops for CPP, Product Photography, and Photo Restoration. Since 2013, Chris has participated in photographic competitions at State, District and IPC Levels. 2019 proved to be a breakthrough year for him in competition by earning several prestigious awards.



A Message From Our President

Our March meeting featured a presentation by Scott Dere on Adventure and Travel Photography. I knew that Scott had traveled to many beautiful photographic locations, but his presentation and photographs proved that I didn't even begin to understand the extent of his travels! Wow! Those who attended were treated to a wide range of locations, descriptions, and beautiful photography. I thank Scott for his willingness to share his experiences with us!

Our April 21 meeting will feature a presentation by Chris Paulis on Photo Restoration. Chris is based in Maryland and has won numerous awards for his work, including the 2021 PPA Grand Imaging Award for 1st Place in Restoration. Chris is a PPA Master of Photography and last year, he earned his Master Artist degree with most of his degree-earning competition merits in the Artist Restoration category. This promises to be an outstanding and unique program on a topic that all of us can relate to... How do you fix the damage done by aging and neglect to irreplaceable photographs? Hope to see you there.

At our meeting last month, I told those attending that I will not be continuing as president after my term is up in January. At the end of my term, I will have served as president for 7 consecutive years and as much as I have enjoyed serving this organization and working with all of you; it is time for a break. I am very willing to continue to work on the board and will offer assistance to anyone interested in taking over.

See you all on April 21st!

Steve Moses
HVPPSNY President



IMPORTANT NOTICE: Due to the uncertainty of COVID this summer, it has been decided that the 2021 Workshop in Geneva, NY would be cancelled. If you have made a deposit, you may request a refund from Linda Hutchings at mrshutchsr@aol.com or you may apply it to the 2022 Workshop.

2020 HVPPSNY Scholarship Point Distribution

CATEGORY	POINTS	FREQUENCY
Monthly Meeting Attendance	3	per month
Chair a Committee	5	per year
Website/Social Media	5	per year
Officer	5	per year
Print at PPA	3,2,1,3	Blue=3; Red=2; White=1 Loan=3 in addition to blue award of 3
Serve on a Committee	2	per year
Newsletter	5	per year
Board Meeting	1	per meeting
Council Meeting	1	per meeting
TEP Attendance	5	Hudson Valley TEP only
Member PPA	1	per year
Workshop	1	per day at a PPA affiliate school
Attend FocusNY State Conference		1 per day of attendance, if registered - Trade Show only does not count
HVPPSNY Print Competition	1	per print competition entered - not per print
Bring a Guest	1	per guest
Guest Joins	2	Sponsor gets the points
Publish a Photo	1	per publication. Max 3 annually. Publication may be print or digital. Self-promotion not allowed.
Worthy Cause	1	per charitable event up to max of 3 per year
Photography Education	1	per workshop or seminar as either a learner or instructor; up to a max of 5 per year. Must present receipt or proof of attendance.

SCHOLARSHIP DISTRIBUTION

1. Three Scholarships will be distributed to the three members with the highest points.
2. Scholarship awards to be used specifically for PPSNYS Workshop in Geneva, NY
3. If a recipient chooses not to accept the award, the next person with the highest points will be awarded the scholarship until all are awarded.

Any state scholarships not used will be returned to PPSNYS WORKSHOP for refund.

ATTENTION: Since we have not had the PPSNYS Summer Workshop for two consecutive years, anyone who has earned a scholarship to Workshop and would like to use it for another type of educational program, we can give you \$75 cash back for the \$100 Workshop scholarship. Just send your request along with a receipt for the alternate educational experience to our treasurer: Mark Kovner, 24 Cindy Lane, Highland Mills, NY 10930. This applies to scholarship recipients in 2019 and 2020.

This year's scholarship awards will only be toward the 2022 PPSNYS Summer Workshop. If that ends up being cancelled, then the same opportunity to make use of it for an alternate educational experience will be provided.

2021 PPSNYS HUDSON VALLEY

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2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Now-Apr 14: PPA District Early Registration;
Late until Apr 29 with fee. Judging May 9-14

Apr 21: HV 'Photo Restoration' - Chris Paulis

May 19: HV Image Competition

Jul 6-Aug 17: PPA IPC Early Registration;
Late until Aug 31 with fee. Judging Sep 12-17

June 16: HV - TBD

Top 12 Hudson Valley Scholarship Points for 2021

Gina Babbage	21	Steve Lynch	10
Mark Kovner	17	Vickie Muller	9
Steve Moses	17	Sheila Almond	7
Eli Sloves	16	Steve Labkoff	7
Klaus Kretschmer	16	Sandy O'Shea	7
Rich Collins	10	Gary Ditlow	6

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- *Keep in Touch with Colleagues
- *Free to participate