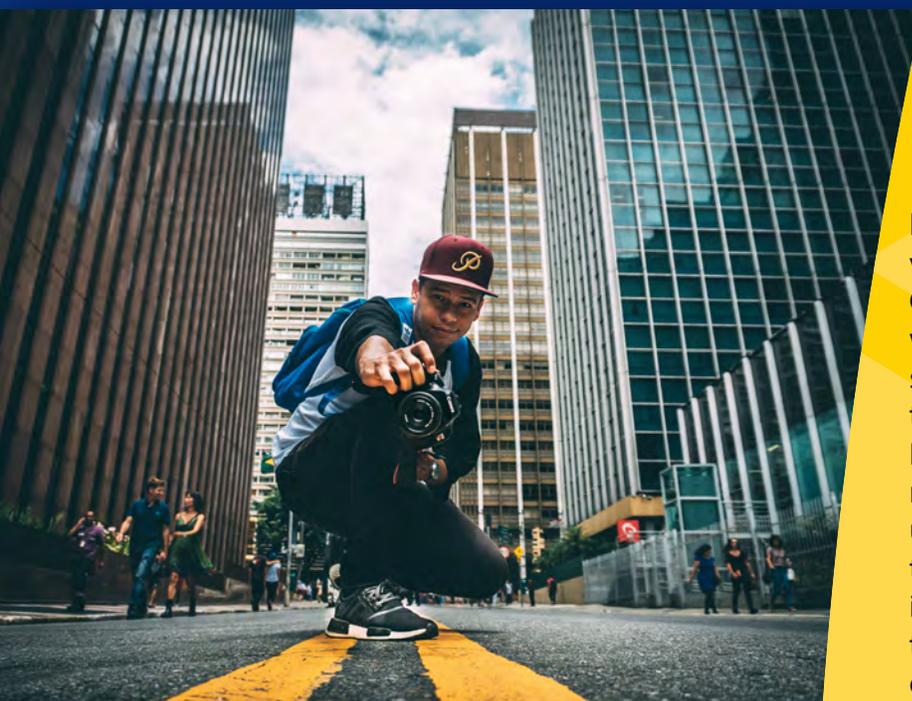


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## Photography Pathways

If you've ever dreamed of a career that utilizes and values your creative abilities, Atlanta Technical College's Design and Media Production program will change the way you think about work. Offering specializations in Video Production, Post Production Technology, Photography, and Graphic Design, the program focuses on honing students' raw creative energy into marketable skill sets. We use a hands on approach to learning the tools of the trade and students will be able to jump right into classes in their field from the very first semester. Throughout the course of study, students will develop portfolio pieces that they will use to seek employment upon graduation. Graduates may potentially work at in-house corporate or government marketing departments, at advertising firms, as freelancers or even on film sets.

The photography specialization trains students to capture still images that may serve as commercial art. In addition to exhaustive training in camera operation, students will also focus on lighting, shooting in studio and directing models. The sequence of classes is designed to give students a taste of each major form of photography, including documentary, portraiture and shooting in controlled environments. Graduates will be capable of producing stunning photographs in a variety of scenarios. Over the next 10 years, the number of jobs in this field is projected to grow by 6% in Fulton and Clayton counties in Georgia.

### Photographer Certificate

2 Semesters  
6 Classes

Careers: Photography Assistant, Photo Editor

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$25,000/year



### Design and Media Production Technology

#### Associate's Degree

3 Additional Semesters  
12 Additional Classes

Careers: In-house Photographer, Freelance Photographer

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$45,000/year



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