

# Katarina Marie Kositzki

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## Personal Statement

I am currently studying HND Photography at Dumfries and Galloway College and am due to finish this course in June 2016. During the two years that I have been creating images I have created portraits for model portfolios and businesses, photographed countless gigs and events, experimented with fine art and commercial lighting in still life photography – all using a mixture of digital, 35mm and 120mm. I am extremely competent in the technical aspects of photography and lighting as well as having an in depth working knowledge of Photoshop.

I love people, and enjoy the process of finding out what a client wants from me, and working to their briefs, developing them where necessary. My previous work experience in administration and customer service work has moulded my ability to listen to customers as well as giving me a keen understanding of good business acumen as well as being able to plan my time effectively.

I am a fiend for new knowledge and always looking to learn more, be that new photography techniques or approaches or anything else. I will learn anything I can to make your assignment a success!

## Photography Experience

January 2014-present – Portfolio Building & Self Employed

During the last two and a half years I have been building up my portfolio on self driven projects – working time for prints with models, creating portraits and CD covers for musicians, photographing gigs, events and corporate portraits. During this time I have become competent in technical aspects of photography – flash and ambient light, digital and film cameras and Photoshop and darkroom.

## Training and Qualifications

- HND Photography 2015-2016
- HNC Photography 2014-2015
- 3 x AS-Levels
- 5 x GCSE's

## Interests

I am naturally creative and as well as photography, I also write, model and draw, as well as experimenting with design. I love going to art galleries and reading photography and art magazines. I am also keen on keeping fit, which I do with martial arts, yoga and regular visits to the gym and swimming pool. I'm all about learning and growing and I love reading a huge variety of books and listening to lots of genres of music.

