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AMA WORKSHOP WILL HELP YOU GET PERFECT HOLIDAY PICTURE

Albany Museum of Art Workshop for DSLR Photographers Is Set for Dec 10

[For Release Dec 2, 2019 – Albany, GA]— 'Tis the season to get frustrated with pictures.

You know the ones. You want the perfect shot of your toddler with the Christmas tree or your spouse's reaction opening that special gift, but the image you get with your DSLR (digital single-lens reflex) camera ends up blurry or the lighting is bad.

You can avoid many photography mistakes by getting better acquainted with your DSLR camera and picking up some tips from an experienced photographer. The Albany Museum of Art is offering that opportunity with its *Picture Perfect for Christmas Workshop*, scheduled for **5:30-7:30 pm on Tuesday, Dec 10, 2019**.

"The workshop is for photographers of all skill levels," Annie Vanoteghem, director of education and public programming, said. "It's for both photographers with experience and for those who haven't taken their camera out of the box."

The DSLR workshop will be instructed by photographer Alex Wukoson, of Albany. A recent graduate of the University of Georgia, he has been a photographer for 10 years and has experience with wedding, portrait, landscape and documentary photography.

"It will be a great chance for people to ask questions about their cameras one-on-one," Wukoson said. "You'll gain knowledge to continue or to begin your photography journey all year-round. The workshop will give you more understanding and confidence."

The workshop will acquaint participants with their cameras and provide tips for different shooting situations.

"It'll provide some good information on ways to avoid pitfalls," Vanoteghem. "You're creating memories you will cherish, and this workshop will help you capture them for decades to come."

Participants should bring their DSLR cameras with memory cards to the class. Please make sure the camera battery is fully charged.

The cost for the workshop is \$15 for Albany Museum of Art members and \$20 for future members. There is limited space available. To register, contact Annie Vanoteghem at **229.439.8400** or at **annie.vanoteghem@albanymuseum.com**.

CURRENT AMA EXHIBITIONS

- *Origami Variations*, works by Gloria Garfinkel, is in the Haley Gallery through Feb 8, 2020.
- *Smoke Bombs and Border Crossings*, photography by Nancy Newberry, is in the East Gallery through Jan 4, 2020.
- *Georgia Artists Guild of Albany*, 26th annual juried exhibition, is in the West Gallery through Jan 4, 2020.

ABOUT THE ALBANY MUSEUM OF ART

The Albany Museum of Art, is located at 311 Meadowlark Drive in Albany, Georgia, adjacent to Albany State University West Campus just off Gillionville Road. The museum is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. The Albany Museum of Art is open 10 am through 5 pm Tuesdays through Fridays and noon until 5 pm on Saturdays. Admission is free.

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