

The Photography Department Lab Access Policy

Class Use

Students have access to specified facilities while enrolled in Photography classes.

*Example: Students taking Photo I/ Darkroom I may use the beginning 10th floor B&W darkroom.

Photo Majors

Photography majors may continue to use each facility once they have **taken and passed** the **requisite** class, as long as they continue to be **photo majors** taking a **3 credit** photo class. Those taking one credit workshops are granted lab access the 2 weeks following the workshop only.

*Example: A photo major who has taken and passed Digital I can use the digital lab the next semester while taking view camera.

Photo I/ Darkroom I	B&W Darkroom
Photo II/ Darkroom II	Color Darkroom
Studio I	Studio
Digital I	Digital lab

****Photo majors** who unexpectedly find themselves in **their last semester before graduating** without a 3 credit photo class can petition to pay the lab fee to gain access to the facility.

Graduating Photo Majors

Upon graduation, students may use the facilities for one semester + summer immediately following graduation for a fee. (see examples below)

*Example: If you graduate in December you can pay the lab fees for Spring and Summer.
If you graduate in Spring you can pay the lab fees for Summer and Fall.

The semesters must be used consecutively after graduation. You can not leave and expect to return to use your semester at a later time.

Fall/ Spring Lab Fee	
Per facility (darkroom, digital lab, or studio)	\$125.00
All facilities	\$200.00

Summer

During summer session, photo majors may use the lab facilities for a fee without taking a class, provided the student took classes the previous spring (at least 3 photo credits) and are registered for classes in the fall.

Summer Lab Fee	
Per facility (darkroom, digital lab, or studio)	\$75.00
All facilities	\$100.00

Equipment Disclaimer

Some equipment is for advanced students only.

*Example: Studio students may use only the lights they have learned to use in class and must take more advanced lighting classes to use more advanced lights.