

# Lawrence Luk

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## experience

### **Freelance Photographer** | Arlington, VA, Hong Kong | 2007 - Present

Freelance photographer with experience in environmental portraiture, editorial photography, event, and still photography. Publications include: USA Today, Washington Post, Washington Life, Bethesda Magazine, Fashion Washington, Washington Post Express, HGTV.com, RUE.com, Where Magazine.

### **Luk Photography and Design Studios, LLC** | Arlington, VA, Hong Kong | 2006 - 2013

Co-owner and Principal Photographer

Own and operate an independent photography business specializing in photojournalism, special events and portraiture. Responsible for the creative direction of the company and all core business decisions. Other functions include day to day operations, and customer relations.

### **SRA International** | Arlington, VA | 2000 - 2006

Senior Graphic Designer and Photographer

Responsible for the art direction and design of communications campaigns for government agencies including the Environmental Protection Agency and the Department of Homeland Security. Worked under tight deadlines and strict design specifications. Photography responsibilities included special corporate event photography, corporate headshots and special projects.

### **Capstone Studio** | Boca Raton, FL | 1998 - 2000

Graphic Designer

Lead motion graphics designer and programmer. Strategized, developed and implemented interactive designs, user interfaces, and web sites.

## education

### **Roots Workshop** | Portland, Maine | May 2014

A photojournalism workshop for established photographers interested in gaining a deeper understanding of the roots of pure storytelling.

### **Center for Digital Imaging Arts - Boston University** | Washington, D.C. | Sept. 2007 - May 2008

Certificate in Digital Photography

### **Purdue University** | West Lafayette, Indiana | 1993 - 1997

Bachelor of Arts in Communications: with a Concentration in Advertising

## affiliations & awards

Member in good standing in:

- American Society of Media Photographers (ASMP)
- Professional Photographers of America (PPA)

Awards:

- American Society of Media Photographers New York (ASMP NY) Image09 Photography Contest - Honorable Mention (2009)
- Fox Architect's Interior Architecture Photography Contest Winner (2007)
- International Photography Award - Honorable Mention for Wedding Photography (2005)

## skills

- Fluent Cantonese and Mandarin speaker.
- Extensive experience with professional digital SLR camera systems.
- Experience in studio and on-location photography with emphasis on location lighting both artificial and natural.
- Expert in Adobe Lightroom/Photoshop Digital Workflow.
- Competent in both the Mac OS and Windows operating systems.