



Contact Darren Lewey on : +44 (0) 208 798 0200/ info@photomarcoc.co.uk to visit Essaouira on the following dates to join group workshops of up to five for this unique 7 night experience:

Dates : * prices held at 2010 rates. Please email for couples & group discounts*

2012: Available dates

Mar. 10 – 17
Mar. 24 – 31
Apr. 7 - 14
Apr. 14 – 21
Apr. 28 – May 5
May 5 – 12
May 19 – 26
May 26 – June 2
June 9 – 16
June 30 – July 7
July 7 – July 14
July 14 – July 21
July 28 – Aug. 4
Aug. 4 – 11
Aug. 18 – 25
Sept. 1 - 8
Sept. 8 - 15
Sept. 15 - 22
Sept. 22 – 29
Oct. 6 – 13
Nov. 3 – 10
Nov. 10 - 17
Nov. 17 – 24
Dec. 15 – 22
Dec 22/23 – 29/30

Your photographic week comprises of:

30 hours tuition through a mixture of group and individual teaching, daily presentations in the Riad and the final uploading of your galleries to the website.

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Arrival Day

You'll arrive at Marrakesh or Agadir airport before your private transfer brings you to Essaouira. Once settled into the Riad, you'll be offered a mint tea followed by evening dinner.

Day 2

Camera Fundamentals Workshop (all about how to use your camera).

Group lunch.

An opportunity for a hammam is preceded by a tutor led tour of the **UNESCO** protected Medina and a workshop on composition.

Evening group meal and feedback on initial images.

Day 3

Abstract Photography Workshop.

A tutor led tour inside the medina and beyond the city walls to explore the rich variety of scenes focusing on architecture, shapes, patterns and texture. This workshop is about honing your skills away from purely photographing the scenic.

Lunch followed by optional afternoon activities - a cooking class, horse riding or photography free time.

Evening group meal and the opportunity to review images.

Day 4

Portraiture Workshop (using different lenses).

Tutor led photography of Essaouira's traditional workers and the chance to photograph people using techniques acquired in previous workshops.

Lunch followed by free time to do some shopping or take more portraits of local people.

A tutor led sunset photography on the beach with distant camel riders.

Evening group meal and a chance to review images.



Day 5 – All day excursion.

Exploring the countryside, flowers and Berbers communities (Individual tuition throughout the day).

We'll depart for the untouched countryside south of Essaouira & a Berber souk at Ida-ou-gourd. After lunch we'll walk to the cascades at Sidi M'barek and passing numerous Argan trees, the region's main agricultural source, on our return, we'll arrive at the co-operative for Argan production.

Evening group meal and the opportunity to review images.

Day 6

Reportage Photography Workshop.

A tutor led tour of the magnificent fishing port and an opportunity to photograph Essaouira's main indigenous industry.

Lunch followed by photography free time or learning to play the bongos or trek on the beach.

Evening group meal, and a chance to review images.

Day 7 – Individual Project.

Your final review of the week and planning for your theme gallery followed by free time photography and putting it all into practice.

Lunch followed by optional afternoon activities.

The final selection of images for the Essaouiraimages gallery.

Evening group meal.

Day 8

Departure: Breakfast & last minute shopping. Transfer to airport.



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