



AmanaNet

Adobe Illustrator Training Course - Advanced

In this advanced Illustrator course you'll learn the many advanced capabilities for creating artwork with more impact, while using the tools to work more efficiently

What you'll learn in this training course

- Revisiting essential Illustrator tools and features
- Working with symbols and instances
- Using and applying effects and transparency
- Exporting and saving files
- Integrating with InDesign, Flash, Microsoft Expression Blend, Premiere and After Effects
- Advanced blending techniques
- Additional features in Adobe Illustrator

Audience for this training course

This advanced Adobe Illustrator course is designed for media professionals with prior knowledge of using Adobe Illustrator. Knowledge of the skills covered in the introductory Adobe Illustrator course is highly recommended.

Training course duration

This class is two days in length, with course time running from 0800 until 1630 on both days of the class. Lunch break occurs from approximately 1200 to 1300 each day.

Training course curriculum

This training course uses lesson files and content from the Premiere Pro Digital Classroom, which was written and created by our instructors. These training courses are delivered by the same instructors that write this best-selling series.

Enrolling in this Adobe Illustrator Advanced training course

You can register for this training class on line at <https://amananet.com/training/adobe-training> or by calling 866-592-7840.

Locations for this Adobe Illustrator Advanced training course

You can attend classes on-line.

Private and customized training course options

This training course can be offered as a private class for groups or individuals, and the content can be customized to meet your specific needs. You can call to speak with a training representative at 866-592-7840 to discuss training course customization.

Goals and objectives for this training course

AmanaNet is focused on providing high-quality training courses for your professional development. We provide regularly scheduled small group courses along with private or customized training.

Adobe Illustrator Training Course - Advanced topics:

Lesson 1: Essential skills revisited

- Setting up the artboard
- Creating a background shape
- Combining shapes
- Sampling a color
- Applying a fill and stroke
- Applying color and effects
- Aligning and distributing shapes
- Adding text
- Distorting a shape
- Importing an image
- Working with color, color books and custom colors

Lesson 2: Using symbols

- Understanding symbols and instances
- Cleaning out the symbol library
- Creating symbols
- Editing symbols
- Importing a symbol library
- Modifying symbol instances
- Using the symbolism tools
- Editing nested symbols
- Replacing symbols
- Saving symbol libraries

Lesson 3: Effects & transparency

- The Appearance panel
- Applying effects
- Editing effects
- Using graphic styles
- Creating and saving graphic styles
- Object transparency
- Experimenting with multiple opacities
- Understanding blending modes
- Saving and importing graphic styles
- Applying graphic styles to layers
- Applying graphic styles to symbols
- Using opacity masks
- Painting and editing opacity masks

Lesson 4: Exporting & saving files

- Saving using the AI format
- Saving an illustration with layers
- Saving a layered PDF
- Exporting for Photoshop
- Integrating with InDesign
- Integrating art with other applications
- Saving as EPS
- Saving for Web

Lesson 5: Advanced blending techniques

- Using the Blend tool
- Applying a gradient
- Linear vs. radial gradients
- Using Gradient Mesh options
- Adjusting a mesh
- Revisiting Blend Options
- Selecting multiple mesh points
- Overlapping images
- Using the Mesh tool
- Adding a highlight

Lesson 6: Additional features

- 64-bit support
- New, adjustable User Interface
- Image Trace
- Pattern Options panel
- Gradients on strokes
- Make Mask and Release button
- Expandable color spectrum
- Character panel enhancements
- Transform panel addition
- Redesigned Control panel