

## **BA (Hons) Photography- list for enrolling students**

### **First Year Trips (are generally subsidised by the college but your contribution will be):**

Semester 1  
Lacock Abbey-£10  
Bristol-£10

Semester 2  
London (3 Days)-£50

Plus any spending/food etc

### **Reading**

Roland Barthes-Camera Lucida, Vintage, 1993  
Susan Sontag- On Photography, Penguin, 2014  
Charlotte Cotton-The Photograph as Contemporary Art, Thames and Hudson/World of Art, 2014  
Graham Clarke, The Photograph, Oxford University Press, 1997  
David Bate, Photography: The Key Concepts, Berg, 2009

<http://www.bjp-online.com/>

<https://thephotographersgallery.org.uk/>

### **Materials/equipment**

We recommend you **do not** buy a new camera yet. Wait until you have tried out a few of ours. If you already have a decent DSLR or favourite film camera then of course, do bring it with you. You probably have a good camera on your phone and this is enough to start with on your first day!

Your own laptop will help you to take notes, organise your learning and prepare coursework, but we do have a good range of Mac suites and desktop computers you can use while in college.

Throughout the year you will need to buy film, photographic paper for the darkroom and pay for digital printing through our print lab, so do budget for this (approx. £100+ per semester). Chemicals and workshop materials will be provided.

Bring a notebook/lined paper and pens to take notes on your first day and have folders/ring-binders ready to organise handouts. Be prepared to buy more stationary as you develop your own organisational system. Start with at least one sketch-book for your ideas.