

Astro Photographer

Sarah Hall

Professional summary

Passionate and skilled Astro Photographer with over 6 years of experience capturing stunning images of celestial bodies and night sky phenomena. Proficient in long-exposure photography, post-processing, and the use of specialized equipment. Seeking to leverage expertise in astrophotography to collaborate with scientific and creative projects, producing compelling and scientifically accurate images of space and astronomical events.

Experience

Astro Photography Workshop Instructor

May 2020 - Now

Rappahannock Astronomy Club / United States, Farnham, VA

- Conduct workshops for aspiring photographers on the basics of astrophotography.
- Lead night sky observation events, guiding participants on capturing celestial events such as meteor showers and lunar phases.
- Provide one-on-one mentorship to workshop participants, offering guidance on advanced techniques and astrophotography software.

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June 2018 - Now

Freelance / United States, Farnham, VA

- Capture high-quality images of celestial bodies, including stars, planets, constellations, and lunar and solar eclipses.
- Specialize in long-exposure techniques to capture the Milky Way, star trails, and deep-sky objects such as nebulae and galaxies.
- Collaborate with astronomy clubs and educational institutions to provide images for outreach programs, publications, and exhibitions.
- Edit and process images using Adobe Photoshop and Lightroom, enhancing details and maintaining scientific accuracy.
- Present work in various online platforms, photography exhibitions, and scientific journals, building a following among enthusiasts.

Exhibitions & Publications

"The Night Sky Unveiled" Exhibition

Farnham Photography Gallery, 2022

Published Work: "Capturing the Perseids: Best Practices for Astrophotography"

Sky & Telescope Magazine, 2021

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Education

Bachelor of Arts in Photography

2012 - 2016

James Madison University

United States, Harrisonburg, VA

 Relevant Coursework: Photography Techniques, Digital Imaging, Astronomy, Visual Storytelling

Adobe Certified Expert

Photoshop 2021

Drone Photography Certification

FAA Part 107 License 2020

Skills

Astrophotography Techniques	****
Equipment Expertise	****
Post-Processing Software	****
Outdoor Photography	****
Scientific Knowledge	****