

Training Course: 1 day Apple iMovie Introduction

This 1 day course will get you up and running in iMovie and covers the very 1st time you start the application and leads you all the way thru to mastering your movie.

At the end of this course you will be able to:

- Use and be familiar with the user interface
- Learn to perform basic video & audio editing functions
- Capturing video and audio
- Create & edit titles
- Create final output in different formats

Bringing Video into iMovie

- Importing from memory-based cameras
- Importing from tape-based cameras
- Importing from other sources

Managing Your Video Library

- Skimming your video
- Working in the Event browser
- Merging and splitting events
- Adjusting the date and time of your events
- Marking favorites and rejecting video

Editing Your Movie

- Creating your project
- Adding selections to your project
- Rearranging and deleting clips
- Using advanced drag-and-drop editing
- Fine-tuning on the fly
- Using the Clip Trimmer
- Playing back your project

Working with Transitions

- Applying and modifying transitions
- Adjusting transition duration and style

Working with Titles

- Adding a title
- Editing text properties

Working with Audio

- Changing the volume of a clip
- Searching for music and effects
- Adding background music
- Pinning background music to a video frame
- Ducking the music under speech
- Adding sound effects
- Using the voiceover tool

Creating Movies from Photos

- Adding images from iPhoto
- Making your photos move

Editing Your Movie with Precision

- Using the Precision Editor
- Advanced precision editing

Editing to Music

- Adding beat markers to music
- Editing music to the beat

Applying Effects

- Changing the look of your video with effects
- Altering the speed of a clip
- Stabilizing your video
- Adding a freeze frame
- Creating picture-in-picture effects
- Superimposing video with green-screen effects

Working with Animated Themes and Maps

- Applying and viewing a theme
- Changing theme element poster frames
- Working with individual theme components
- Applying and editing a map

Enhancing Your Video and Photos

- Enhancing color balance with White Point controls
- Enhancing exposure with Levels controls
- Enhancing photos with RGB controls
- Applying adjustments to multiple clips

Advanced Editing Tools

- Using the advanced tools
- Understanding keywords
- Using comment markers
- Using the Replace options

Sharing Your Movie

- Publishing to iTunes
- Publishing to your MobileMe Gallery
- Publishing to YouTube
- Accessing your movie in GarageBand, iWeb, and iDVD
- Exporting to the Finder
- Sharing your projects with Final Cut Pro Editors