Desert Figure Workshop Itinerary

October 24-28, 2026

The Desert Figure Workshop is a collaborative workshop where you, the Models and the CPA Team work together to achieve amazing photographs using only the glorious natural light. Our amazing location will thrill you with works of art and stunning desert vistas.
You will be partnered with a photographer as you move thru the four sessions per day over four days with four models in the amazing locations.
You will be guided with pre-workshop materials to hone your vision and build your ideas. The Team will be there to lead you and assist throughout the workshop. On the day you will be prepared to create and succeed!

Proposed Itinerary:

Schedule

Day 1	3pm	Arrival and Tour
	4pm	Warm Up Shoot
Day 2	AM	Villa Anita
	PM	Villa Anita
Day 3	AM	Desert Location
	PM	Villa Anita
Day 4	AM	Desert Location
	PM	Villa Anita
Day 5	Depart	

Daily Schedule

7:30am	Breakfast
9- 10:15am	Session 1
10:30- 12	Session 2
Noon	Lunch
2- 3:15pm	Session 3
3:30- 5pm	Session 4
6pm	Cocktails and Image Share
6:30pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Image Review

Villa Anita DV Locations

Dining Room

Ceramics Studio

Entrada

Driveway

Boxes

Chapel

Birdhouse

Blue Corner

TV Land

Farmhouse

Desert

Offsite Locations

Badlands

Vista

Dunes- weather and availability dependent

Broken Houses- availably dependent

Inspiration and Discovery. What do you see? What inspires you?

Models:

Kate

Frances

Jenn

Seraphina

Your CPA Team:

Mark Comon
Mark is the founder of Creative Photo Academy. He has lead Figure Workshops with CPA since 2005. His images covey personality and storytelling and will focus on inspiring you to achieve your goals. Mark is a digital photographer with a Nikon camera in his kit.

Sara Rice
Sara is an accomplished and award-winning Fine Art Photographer. Concentrating on Figure and Abstract Photography she brings a unique eye and approach to the team. Her alternative process photographs are unique and quite stunning. Sara carries a Hasselblad film camera and Nikon digital in her bag.

PRICING:
- $4,799
- $2,500 non-refundable deposit with booking

Workshop Includes
- Instruction
- Image Review
- Models
- Location at Villa Anita DV
- Shared Lodging at Villa Anita DV
- Meals at Villa Anita DV
- Solo lodging available at Shoshone Inn 760-852-4224

Workshop does not include
- Travel
- Location meals (if needed)
- Park Entry (if needed)
- Model Tips
- Insurance
- Adult beverages (BYOB)