



Rising Stars

**A Photographic Workshop for
Landscape Lovers**

Pele Leung and Peter Hammer

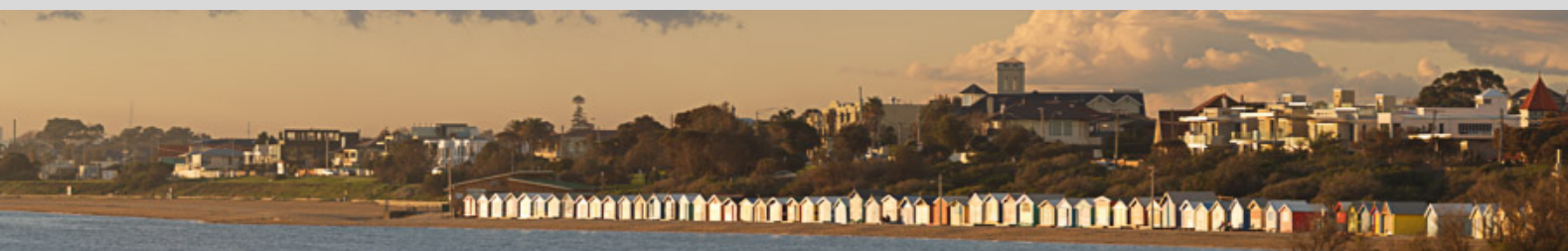


One of the barriers to people taking photography further is the lack of momentum and knowledge. With this issue in mind, Pele and Peter aim to provide a workshop with a series of sessions to help participants improve their photography. Unlike many workshops which cram as much as possible into a weekend these sessions are spread over a number of weeks as Pele and Peter believe that it takes time to learn and absorb new knowledge.

In order to encourage enthusiastic shooters to join, this workshop also includes a special goal of developing “rising” photographers by including a friendly and mutual learning competition. This is why we called this workshop “Rising Stars”.

If you are looking for an ongoing, cost effective and highly professional landscape photography workshop in Melbourne, Rising Stars is the one.

Rising Stars includes five separate sessions across two months from early May 2015. Various landscape subjects are covered from autumn-colour gardens, coastal scenery, rainforests, waterfalls, cityscapes to night photography. Apart from the final Grand Trip, all chosen locations are located within a 2-hour drive from the Melbourne City.



After each field trip, we encourage all participants to revisit the location again so as to practise what they learned during the workshop. For every visited location, each participant is required to submit 3 photos within a month after the corresponding field trip. Photo critique will also be provided by Pele and Peter afterwards. More details will be given later at the orientation session.

Included:

- Five sessions (with at least three hours on location per session) with group and one-on-one briefings. A small group with a maximum of 10 participants
- Image critique for the submitted photos
- Workshop photo competition (with cash prize for the winner)

Not Included:

- Transportation, meal, drink and insurance

Investment per participant: an introductory offer of \$550 only.

Contact Pele by email (pelel@peleleung.com) or phone (0412 444 136) for enquiry or booking.

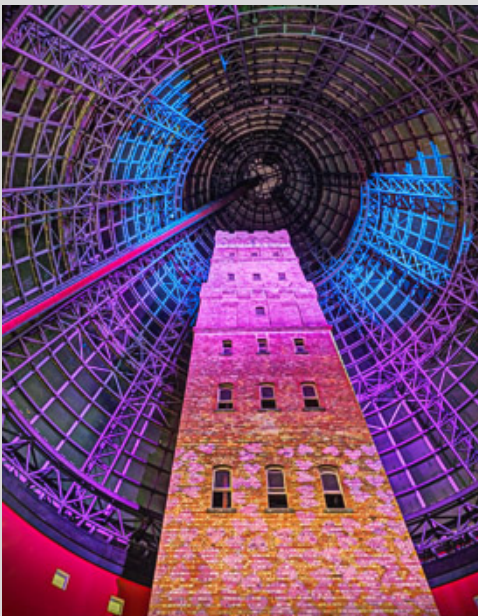
Orientation and Guidelines

This is the time to meet each other and go through the workshop preparation details. In addition, we will also brief you on our digital workflow and ensure you are equipped with some post processing knowledge in advance.



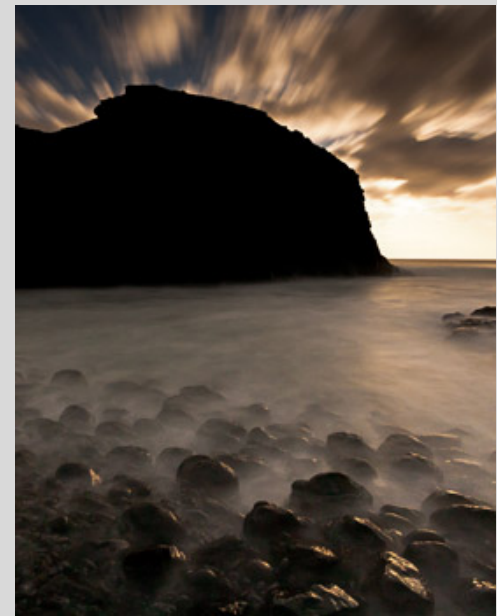
Coastal at Dusk and Beyond

Enjoy the golden light at dusk and take the challenge of night photography at a secret coastal corner on the Mornington Peninsula.



Autumn Colours

Take the opportunity of autumn colours on Mount Dandenong. We will take you through a couple of gardens and stimulate your artistic vision.



Cityscapes

Enhance your landscape photography vision by including architecture. A walk in the City will not disappoint you. With reflections on the Yarra River, Melbourne City suddenly becomes a photographic paradise at dusk when the lighting condition is in harmony. After darkness falls car light trails can make interesting patterns.



The Grand Trip

We will do a longer trip to wrap up our practical sessions. We look forward to seeing what you learned from the workshop. Then we will decide who would be the most noticeable rising star after all your image submissions.



Notes

The order of sessions may be swapped around to suit unforeseeable weather conditions.



Pele Leung

Pele had worked in the computer software industry for many years and fell in love with landscape photography fifteen years ago. In 2007, he took a career break and spent more than eight months for his Australia wide photographic adventure.

After the journey, he decided to start his professional career as a photographer. In recent years, he has begun to focus on the ultra-wide-angle and night photography. He often organises photographic workshops and wants to share his passion in landscape photography with others. Pele lives in Melbourne and you can find out more about him from his website or Facebook page.

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Peter Hammer

Peter lives in Melbourne and has been involved with photography virtually all his life. Peter started out in his pre-teens with 35mm monochrome images. He did all his own processing and darkroom work and then progressed to working with Agfa colour slide film. He switched to digital photography in 2005 and then joined a camera club and has since been actively involved in international competitions where he has over 1600 acceptances and 98 awards. Peter is a keen traveller, especially to places a bit off the beaten track, and a lot of his images involve travel photography, usually associated with landscapes, nature and people. He is also heavily involved with the post-production of images and creative imagery. Peter's images have featured in numerous catalogues and art galleries around the world.

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Rising Stars is a workshop for those who want to improve their landscape photography skills as well as the momentum to take better photos.

It is not a traditional photographic workshop and demands on-going commitment as well as the determination to learn via a friendly competition.

Are you the rising stars we are looking for?

