

Interested in writing for the *PSA Journal*?

Visit the PSA website:
<http://www.psa-photo.org/index.php?psa-journal-writing-for-the-journal>
for more information

Giving to PSA

Many members of the Society wish to help the Photographic Society of America (PSA) fulfill its important purposes through donations. Donations are greatly appreciated. It is preferred that donations be made to either the General Operating Fund, the Scholarship Fund, the PSA Endowment Fund, or the PSA Endowment Fund II.

■ General Operating Fund

Donations made to the General Operating Fund are used to fund the many and varied operations of PSA. Contributions have been used to support the *PSA Journal*, purchase equipment for headquarters, maintain the permanent print collection, support scholarships, and provide funding for youth programs. Future donations will be used to support similar projects.

■ Scholarship Fund

PSA has a scholarship and grants fund to support photography students and programs. The fund is under the administration of an active PSA Scholarship and Grants committee.

■ PSA Endowment Fund

Donations to the PSA Endowment Fund are used to provide for the needs of the Society in their day-to-day operations as well as to provide funding for special projects as needed. The principal may be made available in times of special need.

■ PSA Endowment Fund II

This fund is similar to the PSA Endowment Fund but the principal is not available for distribution. The interest and dividends generated by this fund are used to support the Society in its many and diverse activities.

On the PSA Website

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Bulletins and Calendars

Are you wanting to network with like-minded photographers? Looking for an event in your area or the area you are planning to visit? Want to know when the next PSA competition closes? Then check out one of the many bulletins and calendars that the PSA site has available.

The PSA site has five types of calendars, which we also call “Bulletins.” You can find a list of all available calendars/bulletins by clicking PSA Calendars from the left pane on the following links: Membership, Divisions, Clubs/councils, Chapters, Member Areas, Awards, and Competitions—all areas that might list events.

Chapter Calendars

Chapter calendars are found on each of the Chapter pages, accessed either by clicking individual Chapters (under the main Chapters tab) and then clicking the link “Chapter Bulletin Board”; or choosing “All Chapter Bulletins” from the left pane. Note that the left pane link includes all the chapter bulletin boards while the “Chapter Bulletin Board” link found on each of the individual chapter pages only refers to that chapter’s bulletin board.

Councils’ Calendar

To access the complete list of Councils’ events, choose the Clubs/Councils link and then “Councils’ Calendar” from the left pane. To list an event on this calendar, send an email to the CCCP Vice President at cccvp@psa-photo.org. Like the Chapter Calendars, these events are programmed for removal from the site one day after the event takes place.

North America Events Calendar

Some State and Province membership directors list events of interest in their state. These are accessed from the individual states with the link that says Bulletin Board. All of them may be viewed at <http://psa-photo.org/index.php?north-america-event-calendar>. To have an event listed here, State and Province directors should go to their main state page, access their particular bulletin board, and then click the link for “List an Event.” If you know of a photographic event that may be interest to PSA members in your state or province, let your State or Province Membership know about it in advance so it can be listed. Events are programmed for removal from the site one day after the event takes place. They are followed by PSA deadlines that occur on a regular basis. These remain there permanently since they are the same from year to year.

General PSA Deadlines

These are PSA deadlines, mentioned above, that do not change from year to year. To access this page directly, go to: <http://psa-photo.org/index.php?other-psa-deadlines-calendar>

PSA Competitions

A running list of PSA competition deadlines can be found through the main Competitions link or by going directly to: <http://psa-photo.org/index.php?psa-competition-dates>. This lists the deadline for each PSA competition as well as individual rounds of interclub competitions. The list always begins with the current month and is updated each month to stay current. The competitions that are referred to on this list can be accessed directly from the left pane. In addition, the site has a special page devoted just to interclub competition deadlines, which is arranged both by month and by competition: <http://psa-photo.org/index.php?interclub-deadline-chart>. This chart is also accessed through the PSA Calendars link.

Every month of the year lists several events—enough to keep you busy if you choose to participate. Feeling tired yet? ■