

DESTORTION IN PORTRAITURE



Portraiture Through History

The word portrait carries a great deal meaning. In the early days of photography portraits had only every been paintings so all the portraits were done with complete perfection. For example the cameras used to have very long exposures so the sitter used to have a neck clamp to not let the sitters face blur.

1) The first kind of portraits were all painted. The portraits were mostly idealised and only really available to the rich and powerful. There was often a use of symbolism in the photos for example in the painting of pope Julius you can see he is wearing rings which symbolises wealth, he's also wearing papal clothing showing he is the pope.

2) As shown in the next photo on my time line, this was a very earl portrait of someone with a under-developed camera there is no depth to the photo as there is a huge lack of contrast. The sitter is very formal, the pose is similar to that of someone being painted.



1) Portrait of Pope Julius II is an oil painting of 1511–12 by the Italian High Renaissance painter Raphael.

2) One of the oldest photographic portraits known, made by Joseph Draper 1839.

3) Jack Cardiff photo of Audrey Hepburn 1956

4) David LaChapelle "Uma Thurman: Gossip", 1997

5) Jane long "underneath" 2015

In order to achieve in this topic the first thing I need to do is really know how to take a perfect portrait.

- Alter perspective, don't just take a photo from eye level
- Play with eye contact, direct stares, looking off camera looking within the frame
- Brake the rules of composition, try the rule of thirds brake up the photo don't always have the subject completely central
- Getting the correct lighting for a photo, do you need natural light or artificial light heavy back or side light?
- Some times you may need to shoot candidly, so your sitter is much more at ease, this works well with children.

3) This photo was taken with a much more developed camera and setting. The photo is taken with a thing called beauty lighting. This is when direct light is used to spotlight a person to highlight there natural contours combine this with the high contrast then you have a much more developed photo.

4) This is when photos took a new form and style. Portraits became much more unconventional, the angles, lighting and make-up took a new arrangement. Photographers began to be able to really express themselves.

5) Now we can even take some of the first portraits and re-work them in to new photographs with unconventional meanings. This is giving the photos new life and turning the convention of then upside down.

Mood Bored of Distorted Portraits

Unconventional definition: *Anything that's nonconformist or out of the ordinary can be described as unconventional. Every culture has its own conventions or norms and what may be unconventional in one region might be typical in another. The perception of what's unconventional is determined by context.*



MAURIZIO ANZERI



“Maurizio Anzeri makes his portraits by sewing directly into found vintage photographs. His embroidered patterns garnish the figures like elaborate costumes, but also suggest a psychological aura, as if revealing the person’s thoughts or feelings. The antique appearance of the photographs is often at odds with the sharp lines and silky shimmer of the threads. The combined media gives the effect of a dimension where history and future converge.”

http://www.saatchigallery.com/artists/maurizio_anzeri.htm?section_name=new_britannia



The Italian born artist, in creating this series of photos he went around old flea markets and charity shops finding old portraits of people. He then stitched intercut patterns over the faces giving them a new life and a whole new meaning such as was previously said “A psychological aura” this is showing how he's turning these mundane portrait inside out to reveal there inner feelings for the rest of the world to see.

SHOOT PLAN

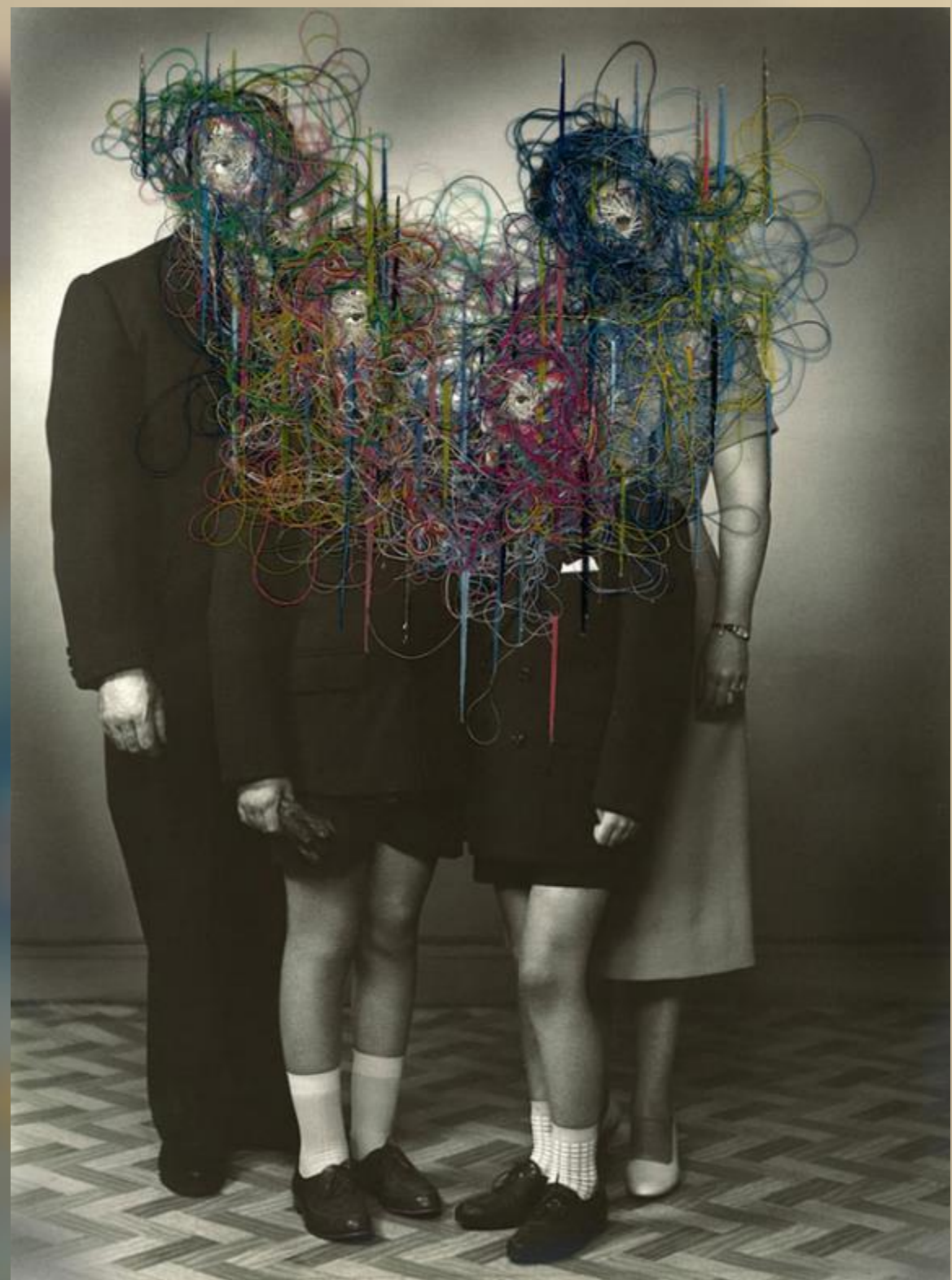
MAURIZIO ANZERI INSPIRED AESTHETIC CONSIDERATIONS AND INSPIRATION

This shoot is inspired by Maurizio Anzeri is an Italian born artist, these treaded photos are a series of work he is best known for. He uses to go around old flea markets to find the old photos of people, then give them a new life by stitching over the photos in innovative patterns, literally covering the past. So what was once a portrait is now something entirely different, the people behind the stitches literally disappear making in a totally unconventional photo. My aim with this shoot will be to elaborate on Anzeri's original idea but take it on in a different form. I would like to continue on with the thread idea but look at shooting my own photos but in an interesting and unconventional way. Such as looking at people from lots of different angles such as from a birds eye view with there hands out in front of them, this will me there is no focus really on he face like a normal portrait will show its all on the hands and arms, I will then stitch in to the wrists to make the veins very prominent and obvious, then I will make it so the lines are coming out from the arms and unravelling down the page sort of showing how they are deteriorating before the viewer.

TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS

For this shoot I will be will need:

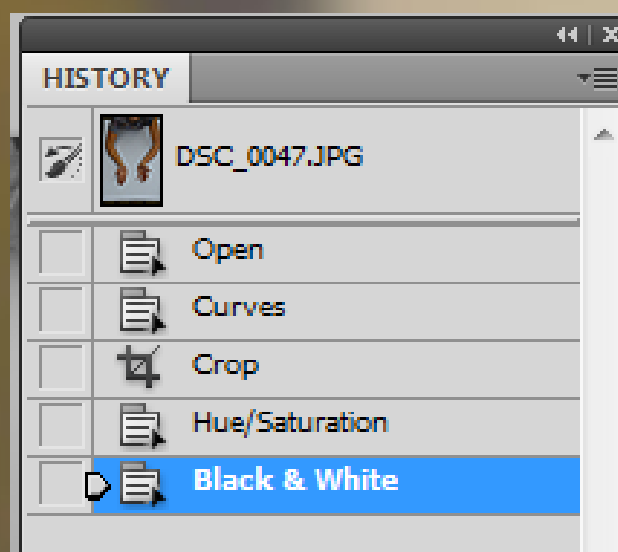
- 1-4 Models, I will experiment with more than one person at a time to maybe make them tangle there arms together but when I have one model I will just go with my original idea.
- Tri-pod, this will be used to help me get my birds eye views.
- Wider aperture or long shutter speed, I want a slightly over exposed look with my photos so this will help to allow more light in to my photos, I need them slightly over exposed as this will make the threads pop on the paler skin created.
- White back drop, to create a slight studio effect like Anzei's photos but I will also try with the no back drop.



“We are used to viewing a photograph as an end result. But what if a photo is used as just the starting point of another creative process? Is it still a photograph? This is one of the questions prompted by the beautifully strange artworks of Maurizio Anzeri, who intricately embroiders found photographs with coloured thread”

Quote from the Guardian

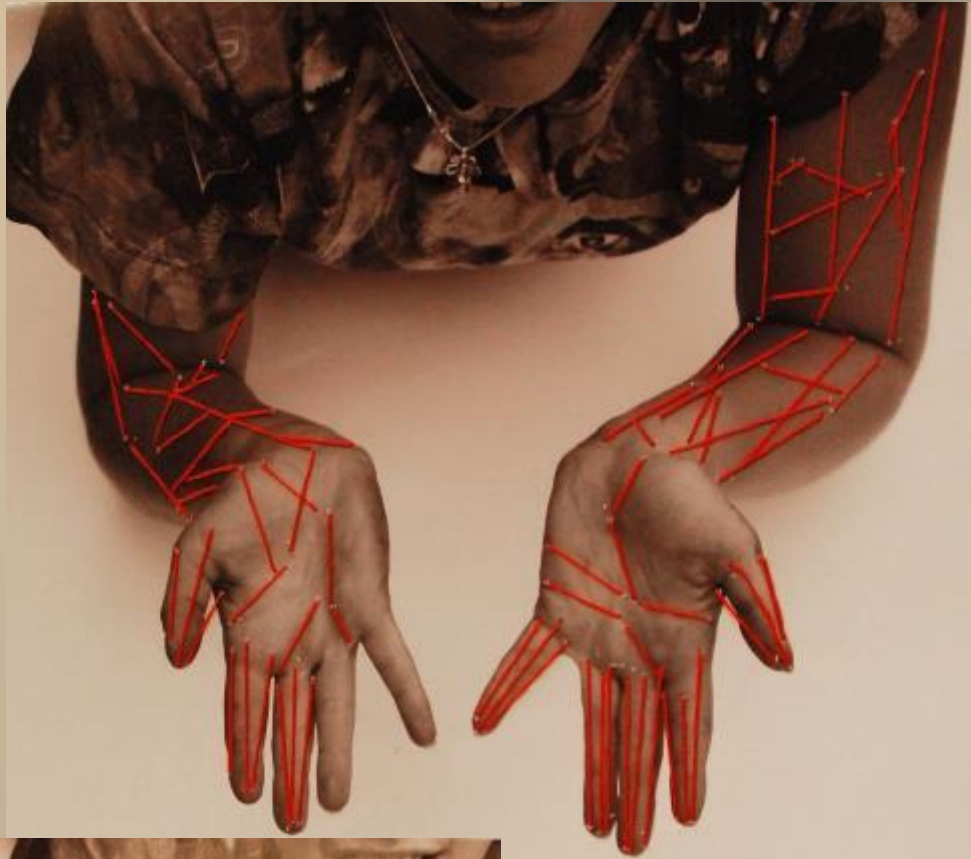
CONTACTS AND EDIT IDEAS



The plan with these photos was to try and edit them by stitching in to them, and experimenting with a few different techniques I tried inks which created an interesting effect but no one that worked well with the photo its self.



CHOSEN SHOT



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/125 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-110

While I went on with the stitching idea I also had the idea of maybe trying to show the lines threw dripping ink on the page, so I did a tester photo on a spare print. I really disliked the final outcome of the inks as it was not as refined as I wanted and it felt like a very dark photo which really isn't my style. I tried to make my final photo look as antiqued as possible giving it a sepia effect which also helped to make the red thread stand out. The idea at first was that I would bring the stitching down in to the negative space and leave it in a tangled mess trying to replicate the models feelings of unravelling. In the end I did not continue with this idea as I found the composition was wrong and didn't make as much sense as I would have liked. If I was to re-do this shoot I would have started with more interesting photos or possibly replicated the artists idea of using old photos I had found and I don't think I would have added the sepia effect as I fell the photo is much more eye catching in black and white.

WES NAMAN



“The practice of modifying the human body has been a facet of artistic expression since time immemorial. In particular, facial manipulation, reconfiguration and distortion have enabled us to explore how we present ourselves and are perceived by our peers; to investigate how specific alterations to appearance can change perceptions of character.”

Taken from:

<https://contrastly.com/wes-naman-interview/>

These photos by Wes Naman are very thought provoking and interesting as lots of ideas spring to mind when the photo is first seen. After looking in a little more depth and researching the photos I was able to establish an understanding of the photos. They are really showing how one little change in a person's face can make the biggest difference on how they are then perceived. I love the idea that you can take a portrait that may have a simple meaning and simply distort it to make the viewer perceive it in a whole new light.



“Wes Naman’s series of photographs evokes feelings of horror and humour in equal measure. What these images demonstrate is that even minor, subtle changes can provoke diametrically opposed reactions in the viewer. The point Naman makes so eloquently is that what separates the beautiful from the grotesque, the symmetrical from the asymmetrical or the appealing from the repulsive is actually very little.”

Taken from:

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SHOOT PLAN

WES NAMAN
INSPIRED SHOOT

AESTHETIC CONSIDERATIONS AND INSPIRATION

These photos directly stood out to me as I felt they had something more to say rather than being just standard portraits they are almost showing something being suppressed under the tangled web of tape. They again are showing very untraditional styles of portrait.

The other clever thing about these photos is the simplicity about them there is nothing to take any distractions away from the eye making the faces far more fixating.

When I do this I want to use the idea of taping up the face but I will look at taking much more close up photos and making the faces look almost abstracted.



TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS

For this shoot I will be will need:

- 1-2 different models- so it will create different looks threw the tape.
- Natural light- to contrast with the artists used of studio light
- Tape - to tape up the face and make the skin on the face

CONTACTS AND EDITING IDEAS



F-stop: f/8
Exposure time: 1/250 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-100



F-stop: f/10
Exposure time: 1/400 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-100

This shoot was very enjoyable and I was very happy with the outcome of the photos. I really like how the use of natural light reflects off the tape adding a whole new dimension to the photo. The close up nature didn't give me a huge depth of field to work with which was a little bit of a struggle but I managed to fix this problem by taping the noses of my models down. I will be editing these photos with a high contrast and possibly trying them in back and white to see if this adds to the photo.



F-stop: f/7.1
Exposure time: 1/200 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-100



F-stop: f/9
Exposure time: 1/320 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-100



F-stop: f/7.1
Exposure time: 1/200 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-100

1st SHOTS

These photos astatically have tuned out well I really like he effect that has been created, because of the dark chiaroscuro it looks as if it was a two dimensional photo scrunched up and then flattened. By increasing the contrast this has really given the photo a significant amount more depth in the photo, threw modelling. The camera I was using had a very narrow depth of field so getting everything in focus was a challenge.



F-stop: f/5.6

Exposure time: 1/125 sec.

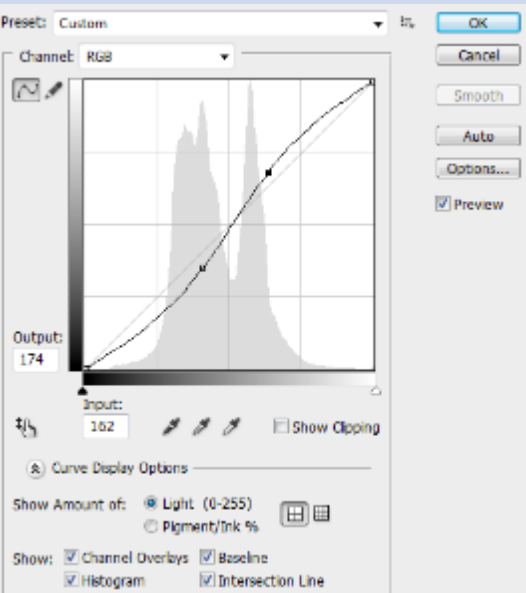
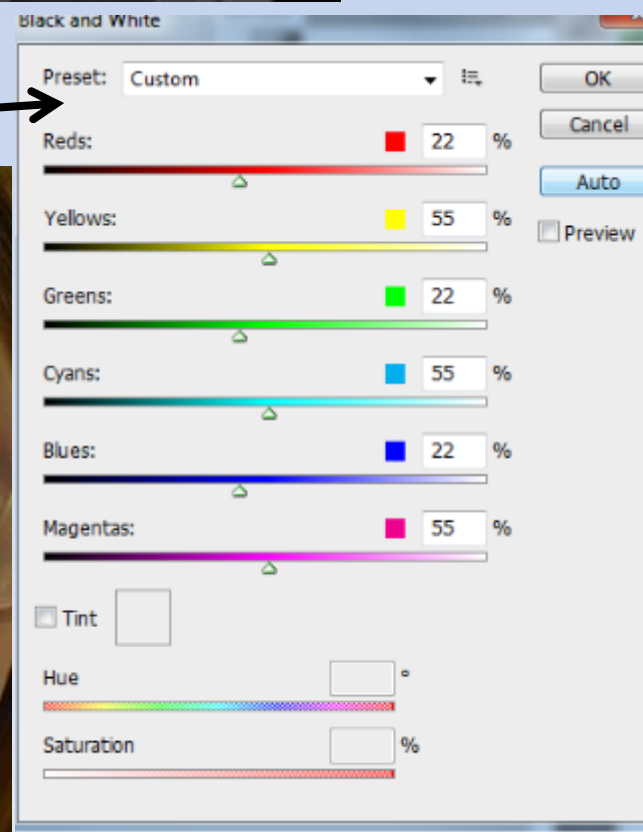
ISO speed: ISO-100

I also edited the contrast on curves this enhances the creases the tape has created.

Crop tool used to square off my photos



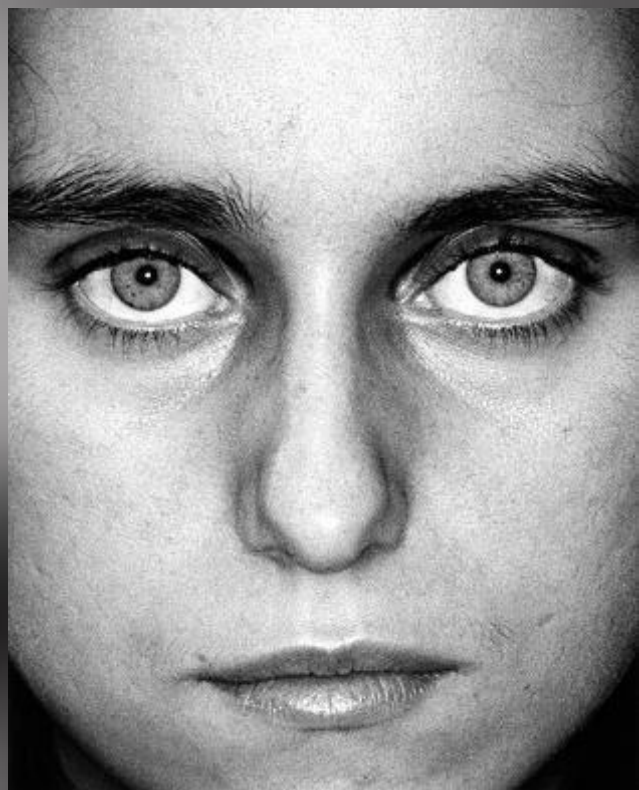
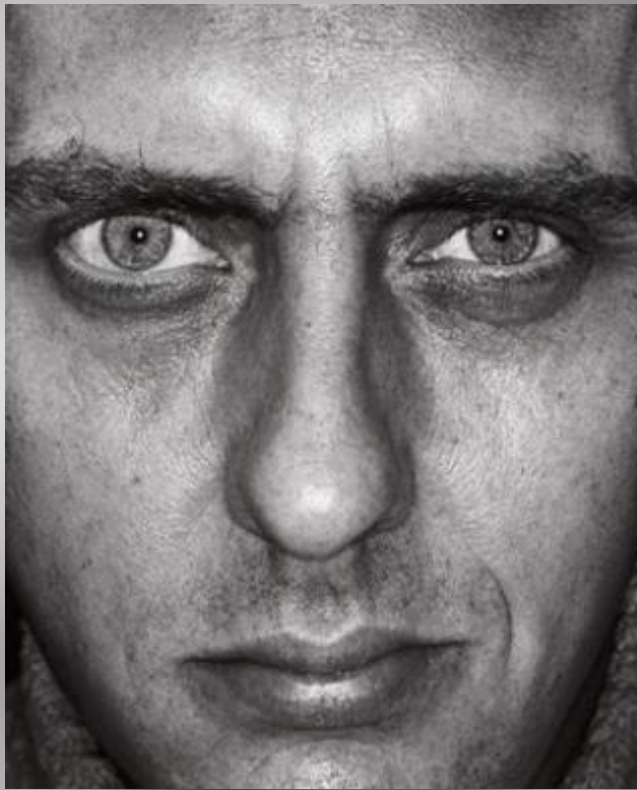
For one photo I decided to turn it black and white as it helped to show up the contrast in the creases.



1st SHOTS & ARTIST REFERENCES



These photos came out really well as an end result. I really liked the way the photos almost look like they were printed on photo paper, then someone screwed it all up and then flattened it back out. When doing these final shots I came across the artist Ken O'Hara and it actually really related to my photos and how he was stripping back identity and then that research lead me to aziz and cucher two artists who tamper with identity like O'Hara but they don't just strip it back they take it away completely. By totally removing features. I now feel by combining these two artists to inspire a new shoot this could be a really interesting development. Using these two artists tied together can start to make a really interesting base of lots of future photo shoots.

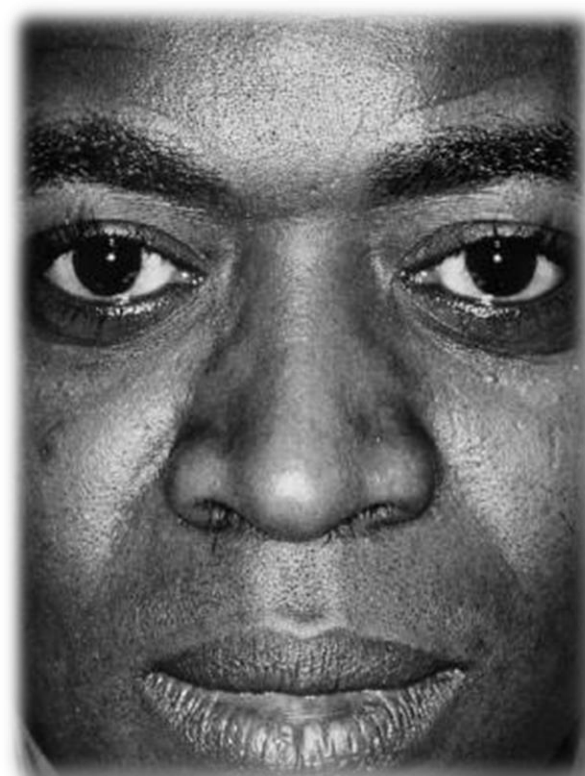


Basic plan:

- Re-tape photos in a similar way to the last time.
- When editing turn it black and white then burnish out the tape and leave the creases.
- This will show how both artists inspired the next shoot.



ARTIST REFERENCE PAGE



Ken Ohara is an Tokyo born photographer who lived in New York. He's work first came to public attention in 1942 when this series "one" was published. This series contained more than 500 portraits of the same size and tone.

The artist is taking a certain amount of identity by cropping all the photos down to the same format.

"Ohara is most noted for his series of photographs titled "One", in which he presents faces with a standard size and tone. His work offers an intense examination of space and time in portraiture and provokes a rethinking of the limits of photographic depiction."

"It is a monotonous and seemingly never-ending collection of humanity. They are people of all ages and races. The eyes, nose, and mouth are located at the same position on each page. Their individualism and differences disappear. It shows how people are really the same despite the differences we always see in each other. It also proves that the human face is much more than just the eyes, nose and mouth."

Quotes from
<http://define-us.blogspot.co.uk/2011/02/ken-ohara.html>



Aziz & Cucher is a duo, Anthony Aziz and Sammy Cucher have been living and working together since 1991. They are both members of the Fine Arts faculty at Parsons School of Design/The New School in New York. They are based in Brooklyn. Their work on this project *Dystopia*, this is the work they are best known for. The series show people with their eyes, nostrils, and mouths covered by a layer of skin. This process is physically taking away individuality from the person. All the natural creases have also been taken from the photos; this is taking away from any form of expression.

"An inventory of a bizarre skin growth, *DYSTOPIA*, seems to document a pathology. It seems clear that at some level this pathology is not only dermatological, but cultural, commenting, perhaps, on the gradual but waxing loss of identity and the means of communication in a technological environment that promotes anonymity and conformity". Adrian W.B. Randolph

<http://www.azizcucher.net/project/dystopia>

CONTACTS AND EDITTING IDEAS

When taking these photos I really tried to keep my artist reference in mind as I feel the composition of there work was incredible at drawing the viewers eyes towards them, this is the idea I was trying to achieve with my photos. I used two types of natural light the first was at the time of the sun rising which gave me an amazingly golden light to work with my photos and cast good shadows so later in photo shop I could add add in more contrast to my photos. The second where shot a little later in the day when the shadows where much stronger creating the textures in the skin that I wanted to stand out. When editing these I will make the photos black and white and play around with taking away the features of the models and seeing what effects I can come out with.



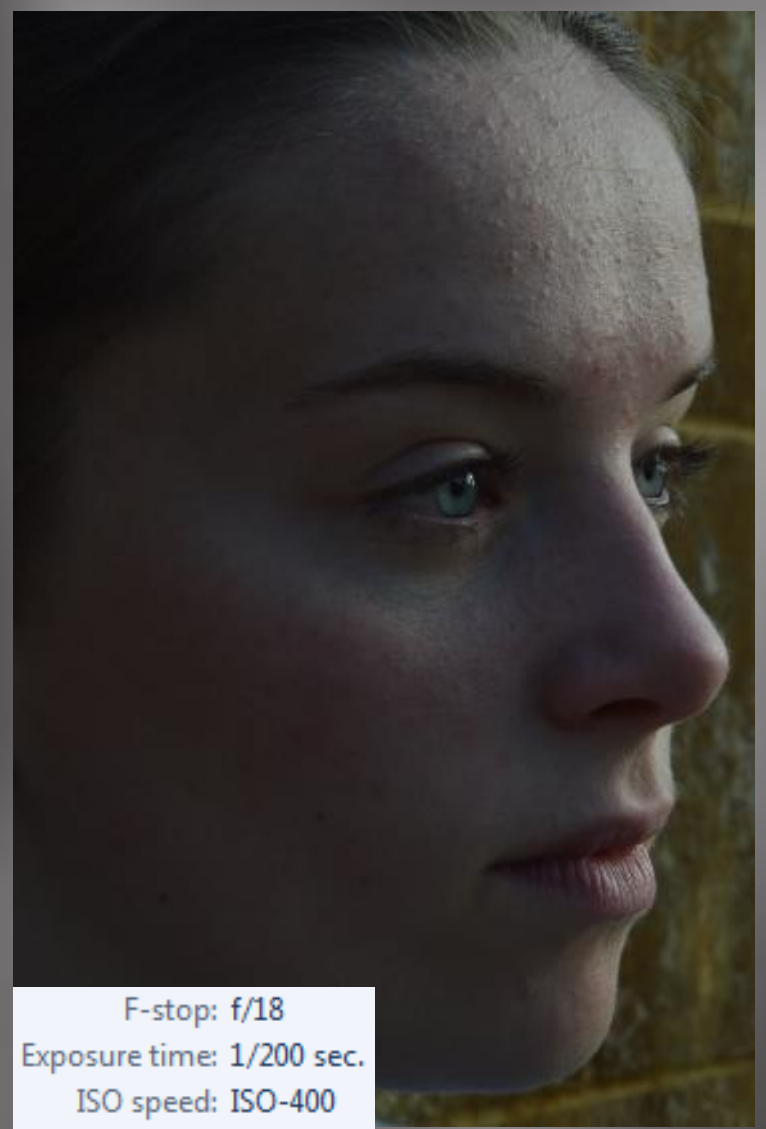
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Exposure time: 1/200 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400



F-stop: f/18
Exposure time: 1/200 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

Ken Ohara and Aziz and Cucher Shoot

I was really happy with the shots that came out of this shoot, as I felt that the inspiration from the artists and my own ideas came out really well. I took these photos with natural light so this created a really soft lighting which I really love the effect of as it contrasts with the chilling reality of my photos. I didn't want to take away all of the features like Aziz and Cucher, because I wanted to keep the detail of the skin and the shadows around the face as I feel this gives the photo the depth it needs to work as a good photograph. The high contrast I gave to these photos works well to give the photo a haunting feel of an old black and white portrait.



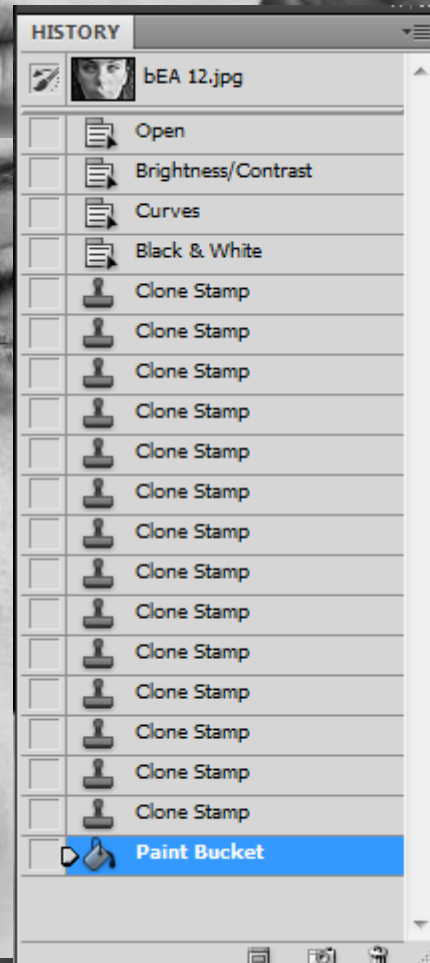
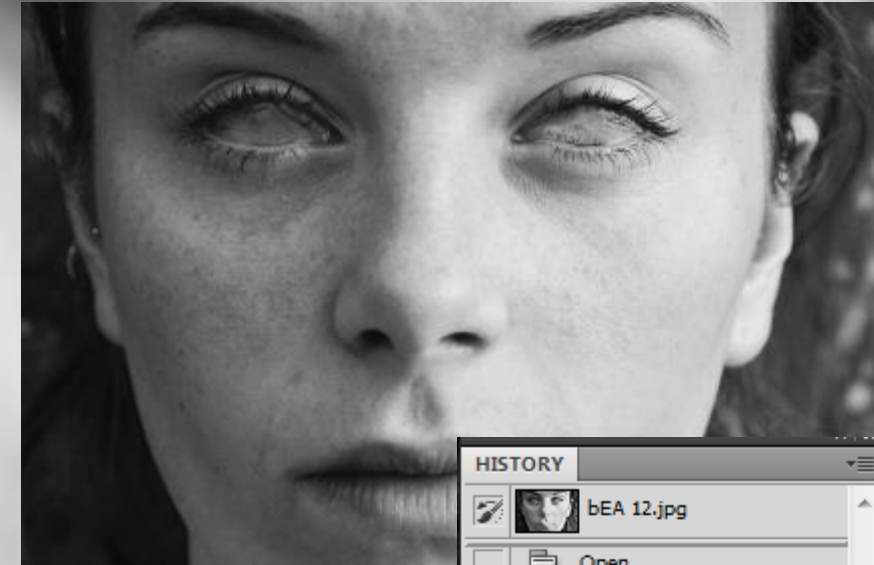
How I edited my shots

-turned it black and white

-upped the contrast

-used the magnet tool to select the feature I wanted to remove then used the fill tool, filling with it from skin around the face.

-then I blended the filled areas I make them look more natural



ARTIST REFERENCE JENNY SAVILE

Jenny Saville is a contemporary British painter from Oxford. She's best known for her work with nude women. The work I'm looking at here is a series of hers and Glen Luchford's collaborative work called *Closed Contact* 1995–1996. They are mostly self-portrait pictures of Saville as the model. The artists say that “Distortions confront and force the viewer into an examination of one's own body and the grotesqueries and beauties inherent within.” This set of photos reminded me of a thing called scanography, which is a technique of camera-less photography.



SAVILLE IMAGE ANALYSIS



The body is still visible and is clearly outlined but is clearly pressed against the glass

The photo is almost verging on abstracted

The use of contrasting light and dark really works with the harsh effect of this photo.

The whole composition screams the anguish of the model

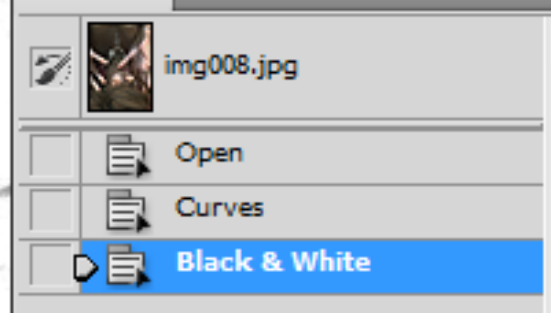
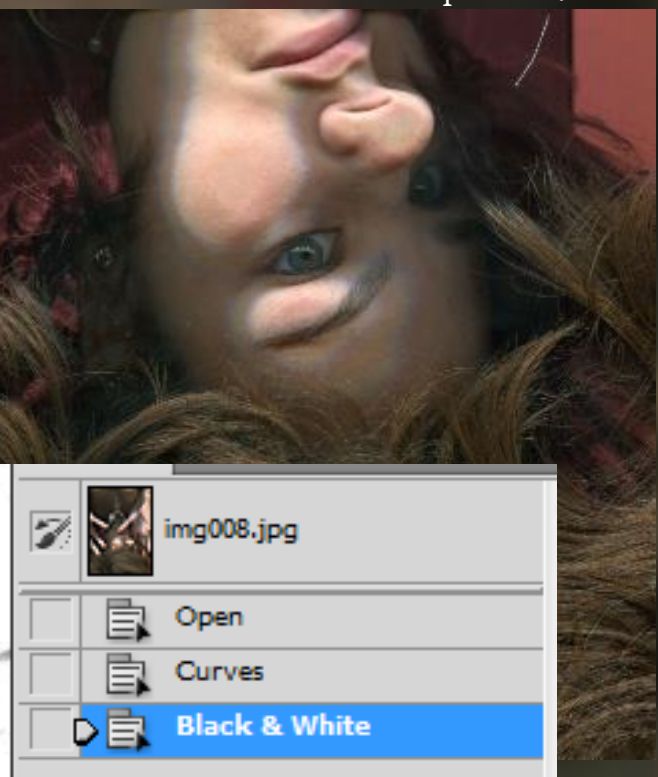
The figure looks uncomfortable and contorted hence the clenched fist



CONTACTS

SCANOGRAPHY SHOOT

These are my scanography photos they have turned out really well I like how it gives the feeling of being trapped across. I asked my models to be very emotionless, so it would help a viewer to focus on the distortion and not the figure in the photo. This concept really adds to the feeling of being trapped and helpless. The use of the hands as well as the face creates a real impact on the photo as it really shows the glass barrier even if it is not really visible. The hair also gives the photo a new texture and really contributes to the manic feel of the photo.



IDEA DEVELOPMENT

After doing the scanography shoot I wanted to try taking my next photos actually using the camera. I found a distorted tile which I thought would work well as an interesting filter. I really liked how the distortion looked in these very quick experiment photos.



CONTACTS AND EDITTING IDEAS



F-stop: f/11
Exposure time: 1/20 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-200



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Exposure time: 1/20 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-200

I was really happy with the outcome of these photos. I love the effect created with the distortion only seen on the face. When editing these I think I will make them black and white and put the contrast up high. This will emphasize the concentrated element of distortion in the photo.



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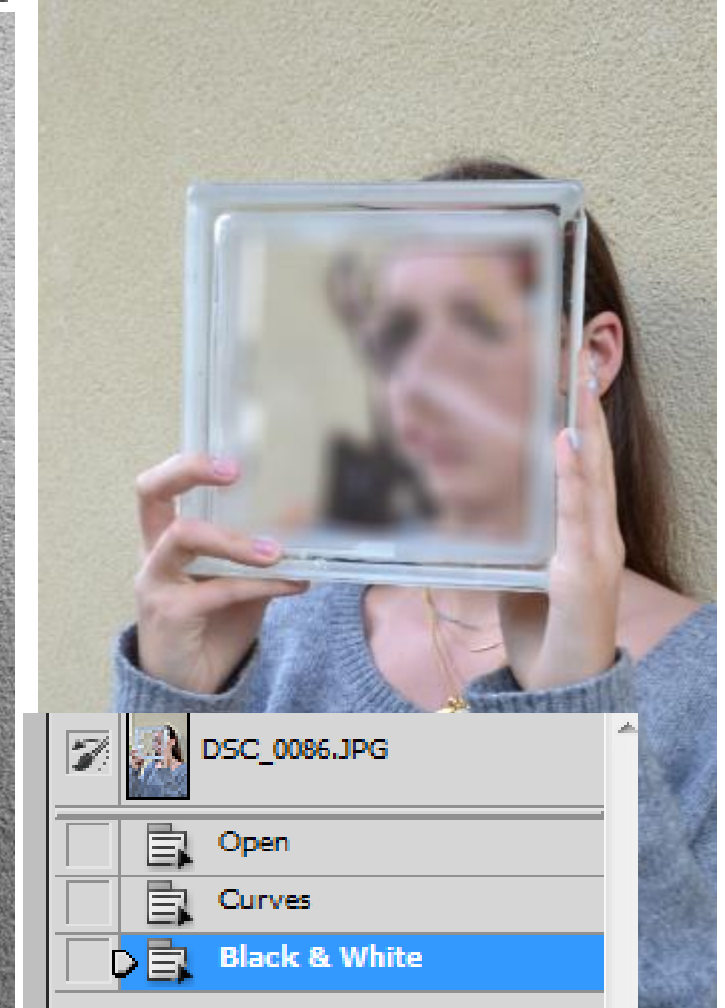
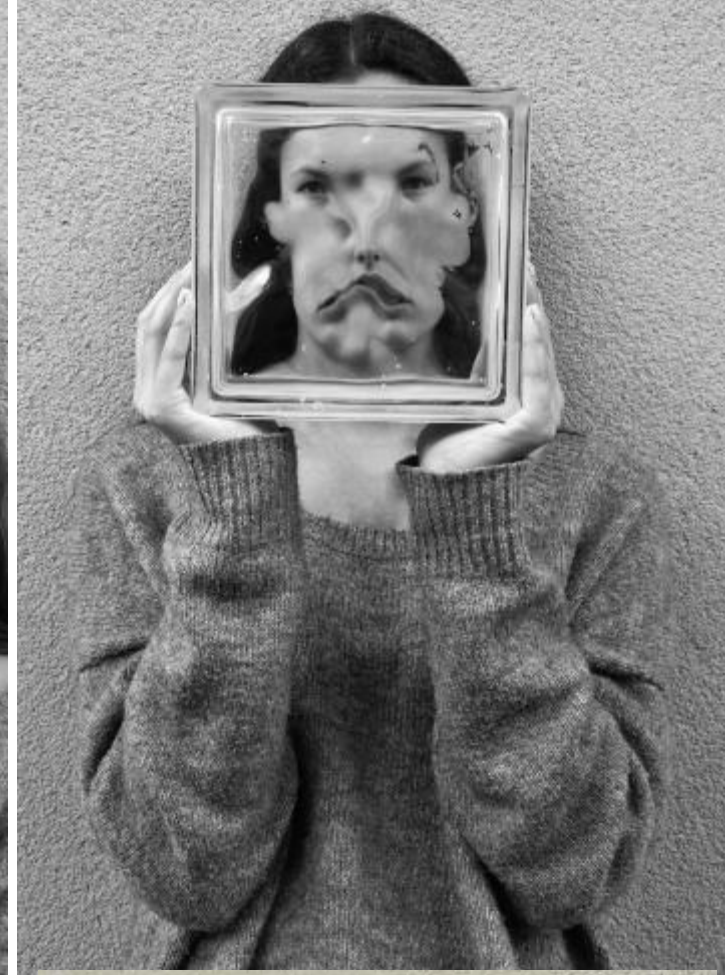


F-stop: f/11
Exposure time: 1/20 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-200

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DEVELOPMENT
SHOOT

These photos are showing a really interesting kind of distortion. When I took the photos I found it worked really well with the distortion in one isolated place. The fact there is still some bits of the models body that are totally normal gives it a very balanced and harmonious composition.

The photos are conveying a very personal message of rawness, is like the model is being shown how others see her (the normal side) then the other disfigured and distorted side is how she sees her self.



After looking at these photos in more detail and seeing how they were almost showing a split between reality and distortion in a juxtaposition I wanted to see what would happen if I softened the distorted glass to make it almost dream like.

DSC_0086.JPG

- Open
- Curves
- Black & White

F-stop: f/11
Exposure time: 1/20 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-200

Shoot

plan.....

- Take photos from behind a steamed up screen.
- - try with water on the screen
- Don't over abstract the photos keep a simple form

JACOB SUTTON

I found these photos after looking at softening down my distorted tile photos. These photos really show off that dream like state that I was looking at producing. These photos are taken underwater hence the feeling of soft weightlessness. This has inspired me to do a shoot that will give the same effect and feel to a portrait. As I have only done very harsh photos it will contrast nicely to look at much indulgent types of portraiture. For the response shoot to this artist I'd like to keep some distortion in the photo but let it give way to an unfocus sheen in front.



SUTTON IMAGE ANALYSIS

This photo has an extremely soft contrast and therefor as a very delicate feel to the photo.

The composition is simple and has a little amount of liner perspective threw the outwards strands of hair.

The light threw out the photo is soft and there is a little modeling on the face creating the shadowy out line of the features.

The way the face emerges from the white mist creates a very clam and serein quality to the photo which really adds to the composition.

What really strikes me about the cleverness of this photo is that you would think it would be a very flat imaged due to the lack of composition but the very subtle use of contrast has really given the photo a new kind of depth.

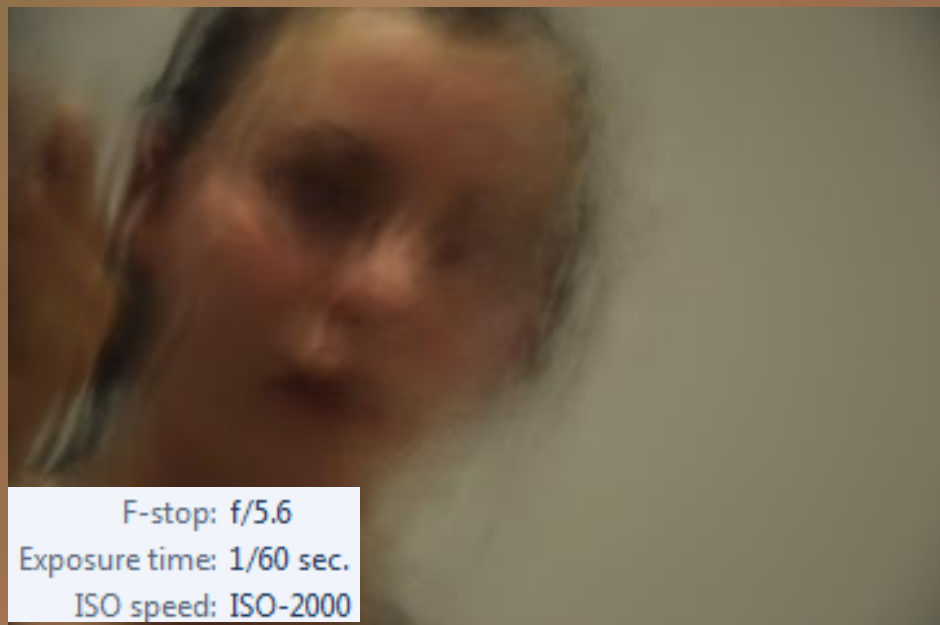


CONTACTS AND EDITTING IDEAS

These photos were done thru a steamed up shower window to create the soft light effect of the photo, I also experimented with some underwater shots which also created a less detailed filter. This creates the effect used by Sutton. When editing these photos I will look at making them black and white or making them cooler but on the whole will leave most un-edited.



F-stop: f/5
Exposure time: 1/15 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-500



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-2000



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/25 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200



F-stop: f/5
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-2000



F-stop: f/4.8
Exposure time: 1/15 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

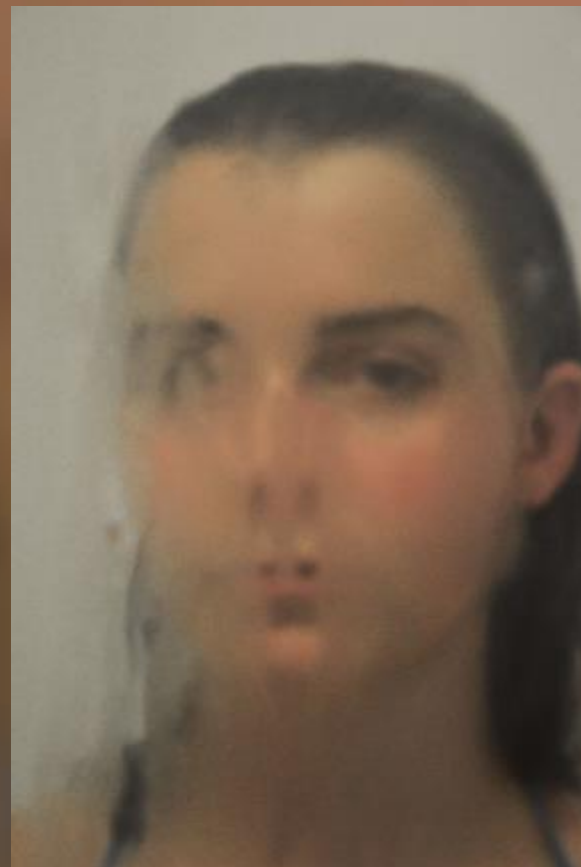
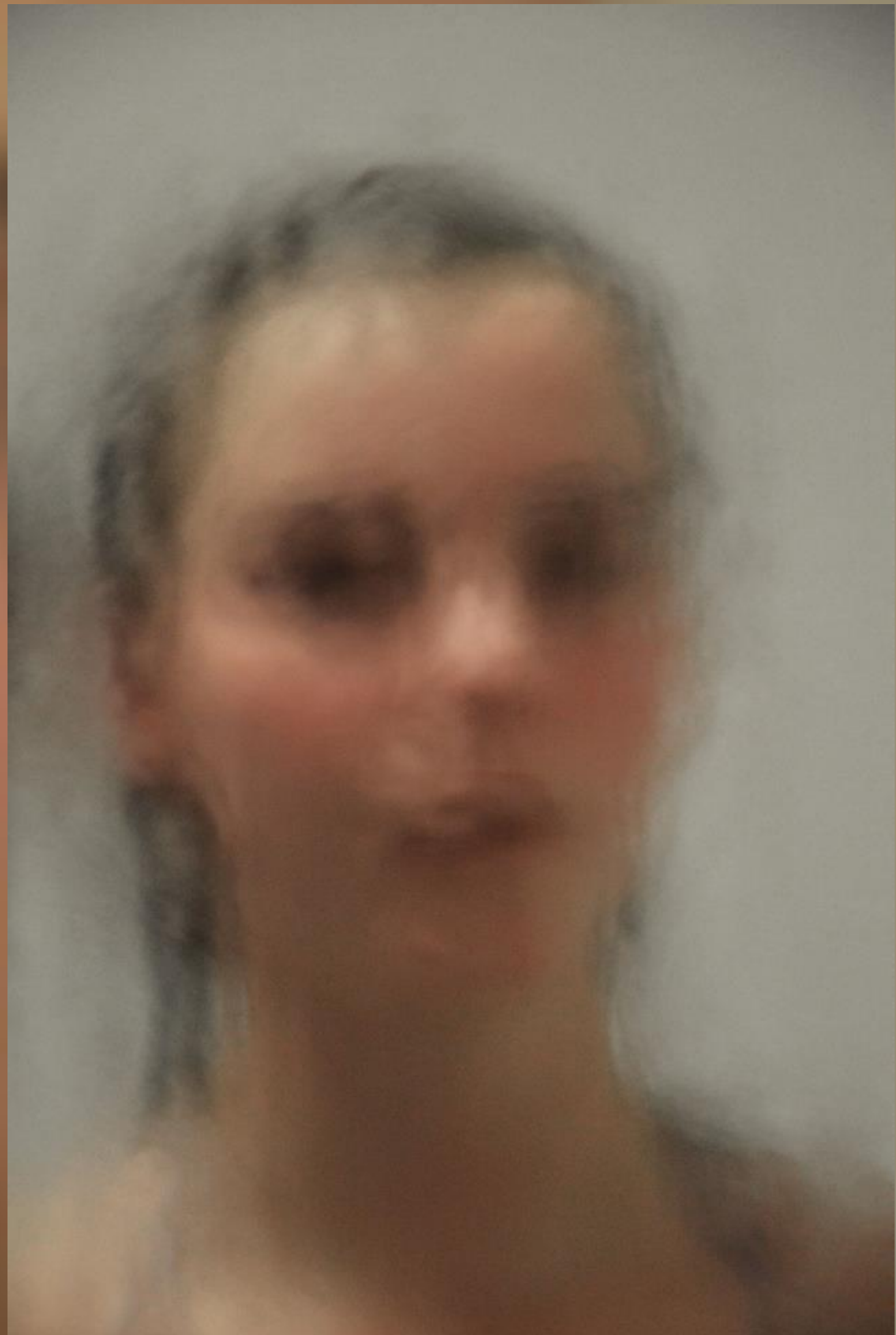
RESPONSE SHOOT

These shots came out really well I love how the distortion creates a new dimension to the photo.

These photos were easy to do as all I needed was a shower screen which was sprayed with water.

The photos have an un-nerving sense as the viewer is not really able to tell what's going on below the surface of the distorted glass.

The picture is only slightly abstracted and out of focus so you can still tell what form is underneath, but you can't tell anything about the individual as the purposeful lack of focus creates an uneasy sense through the distortion like my artist's reference.



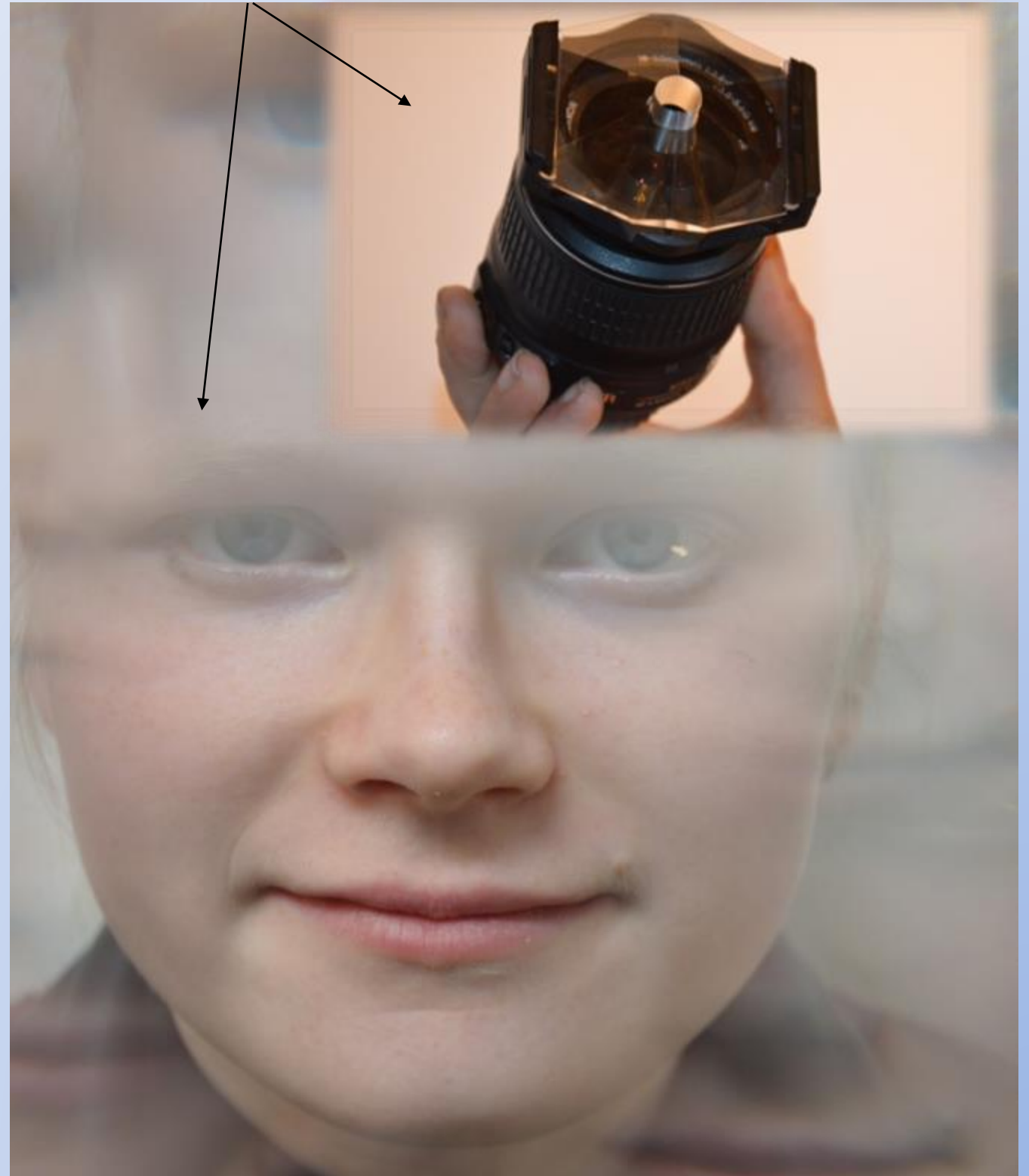
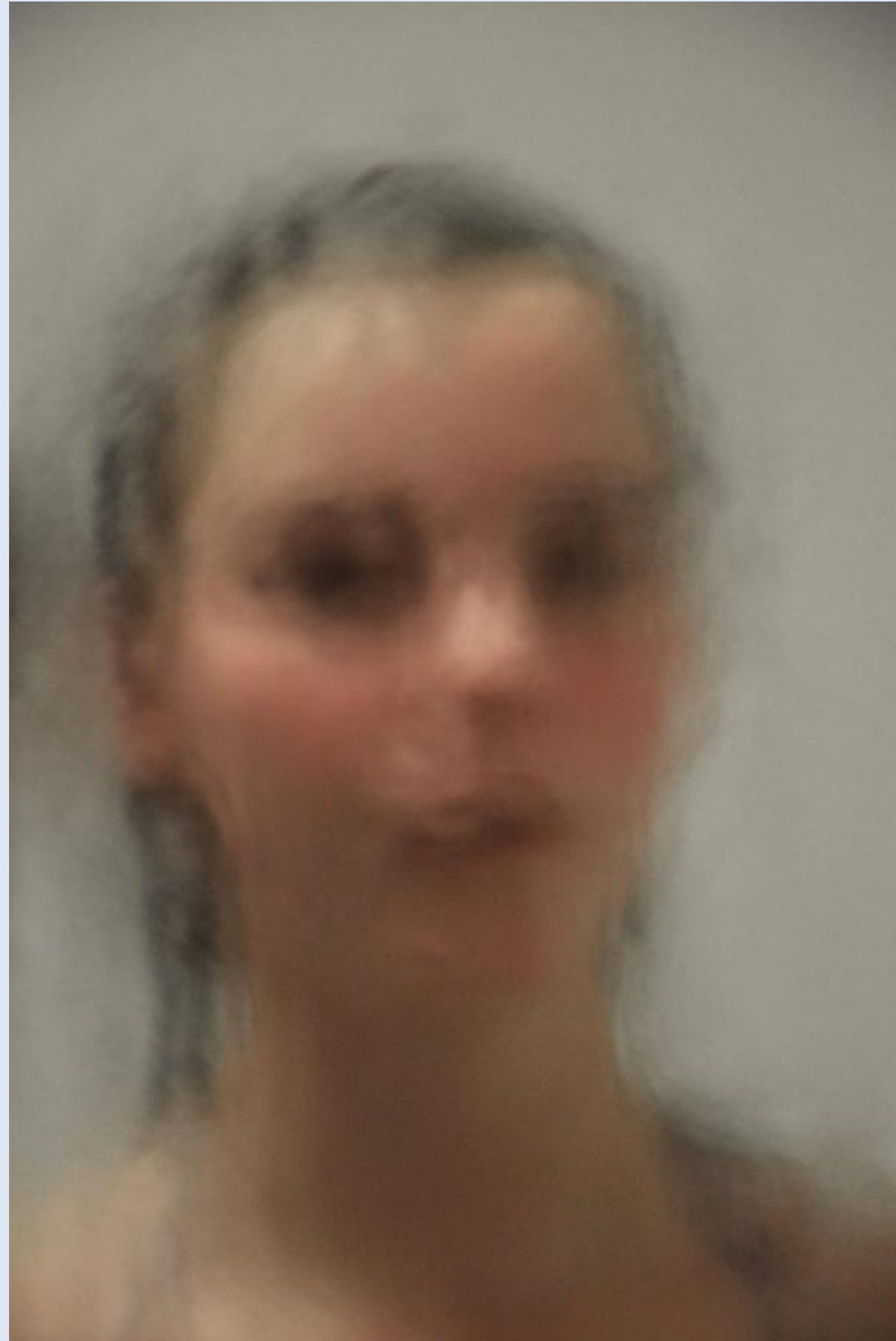
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- Open
- Brightness/Contrast
- Curves
- Hue/Saturation



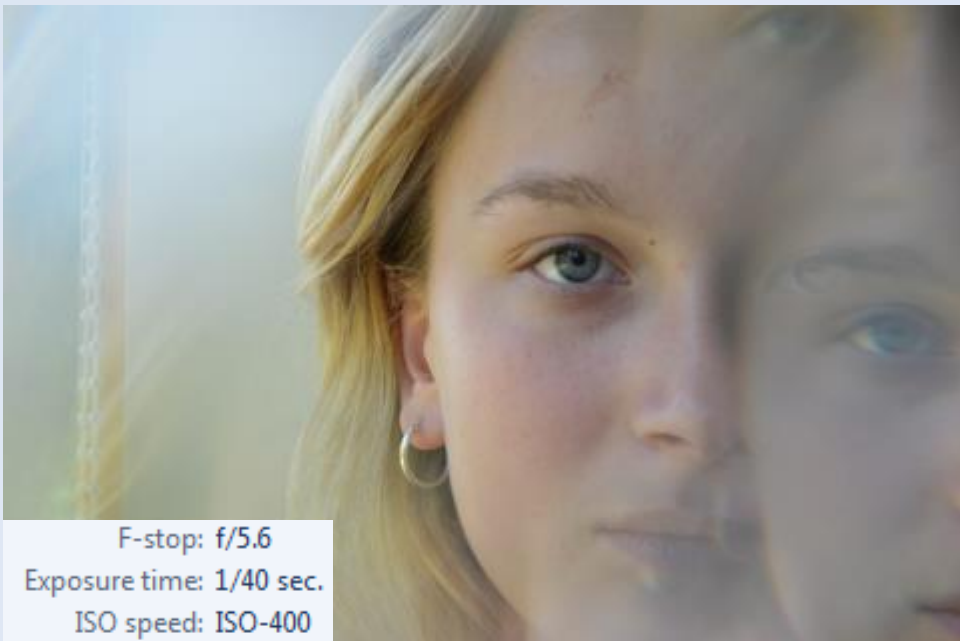
IDEA DEVELOPMENT

After the shower photos came out so well I wanted to look at trying to find a new distorted filter to create a new effect. I ended up finding this kaleidoscope lens to go on the front on my camera. This created a really dream like effect. From the last shots I took which where significantly distorted so I thought using a different kind of filter to distort the image would be really interesting to take another view on the distortion, with a much more subtle approach when you can still see the figures face without it being abstracted.



CONTACTS AND EDITTING IDEAS

When it comes to editing these photos I don't this I will do much with them except out some in to black and white. This is because the light has worked so well in these photos meaning there's a good sign of texture and contrast in the features of the face. There is no real sign of distortion but addition of multiple faces around the single face.



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Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400



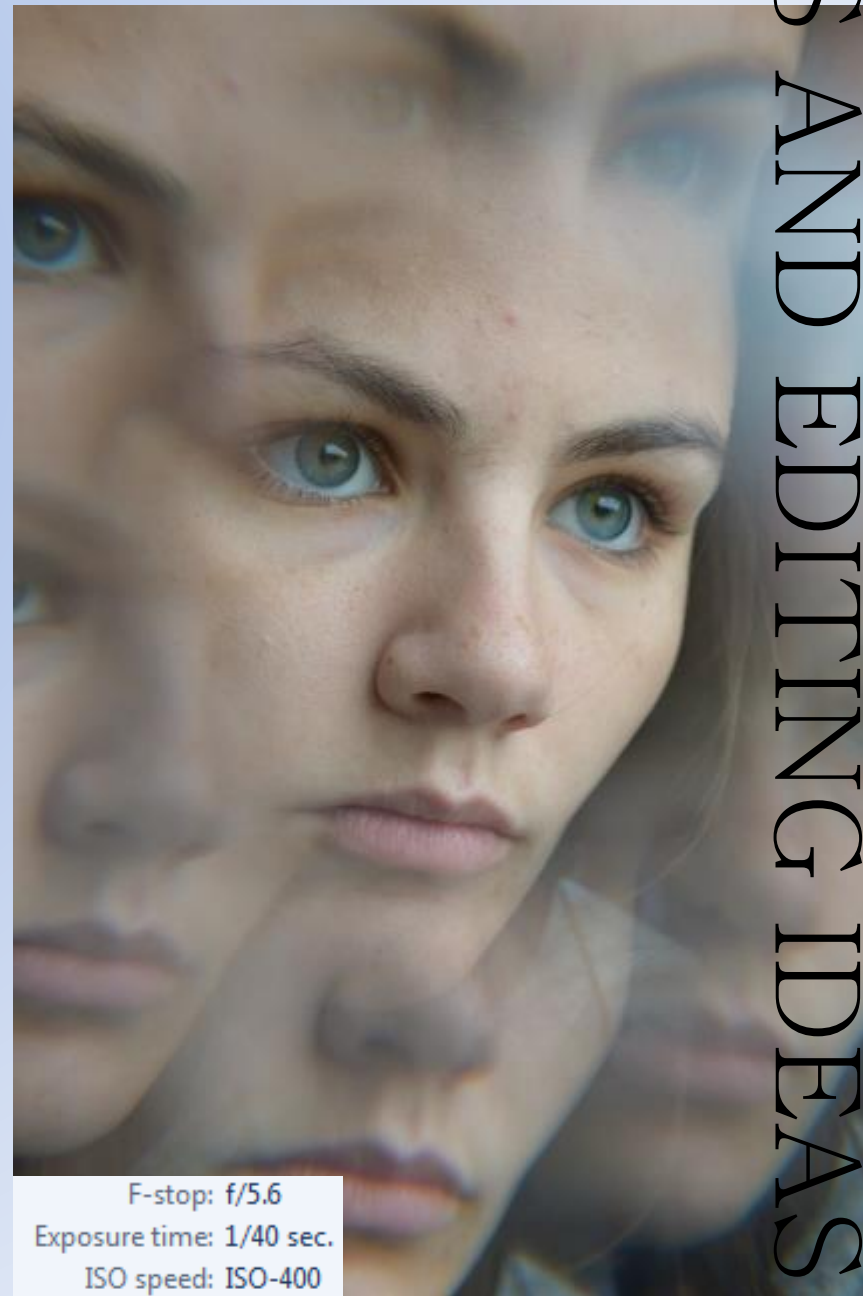
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Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

KALEIDOSCOPE PHOTOS

F-stop: f/5.3
Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

I was really happy with the outcome of the photos as I felt they had a really haunted feel about them creating a juxtaposition between reality and fantasy. I feel this effect comes across through having the multiplicity of features in the photo. How I edited them: None of the photos had any editing apart from I turned back and white.

Shoot plan

For this shoot I wanted to try shooting through a different filter on the lenses itself rather than shooting through one sheet of steamed glass like I did last time. So I found a kaleidoscope filter that fitted on to my camera. I wanted to create a dream like state so the light had to be just right. I want to use natural light for my photos so the ones in colour would have a strong gold light but when made black and white would create a heavy contrast to enhance the dream like effect of the photo.





The strong contrast creates more texture in the photo almost adding another dimension to the photo its self.

Scary dream like effect from the multiple faces around the single face.

The strong contrast between light and dark creates a really interesting heavy effect to the photo which contrasts with the light fantasy effect of the multiplicity of the photo.

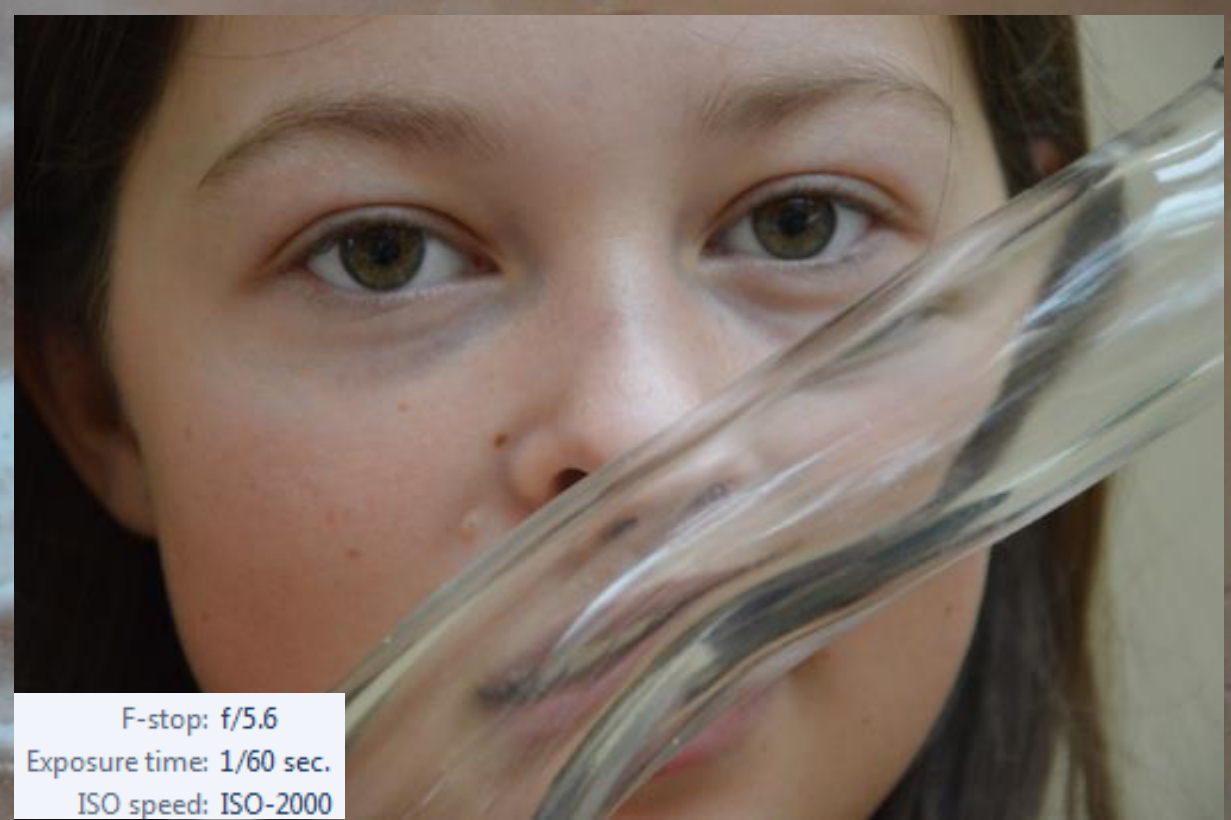
The juxtaposition in the photo between the reality and fantasy creates an un-balanced composition.



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Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-2000



F-stop: f/5.3
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-2000



F-stop: f/4.8
Exposure time: 1/25 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

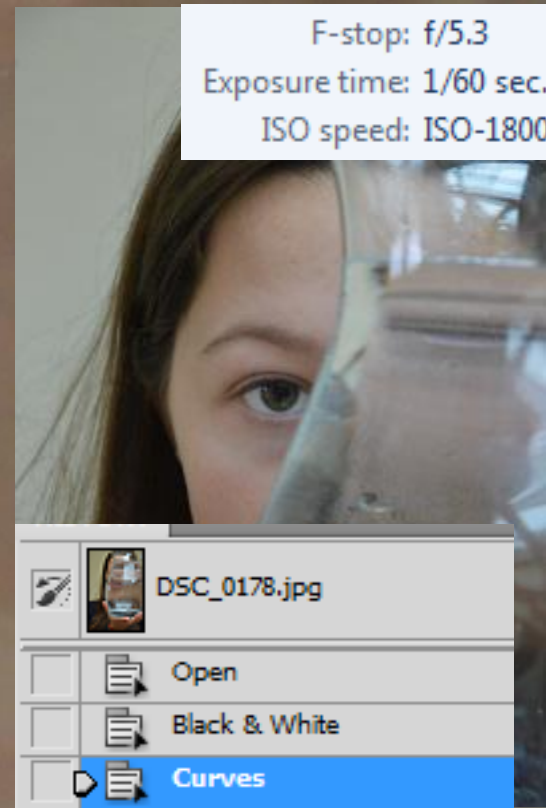


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Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-1800

These photos were part of a big experiment. I experimented with different shapes of glass to try and distort the face. The idea with this shoot was to go back to the glass distortion with the tile which worked so well. When editing these I will take the same sort of approach with the high contrast in black and white.

GLASS JUG SHOOT

These photos came out really well and just how I took my inspiration for this shoot from the shoot I did with the distorted glass tile which came out very well. I used different types of objects to act as interesting glass filters. I used a water filled jug for one which came out very distorted and the features were completely distorted. After using that I tried with a oddly shaped glass so hat more of her undistorted face would be visible as I think this contrasts well with the distorted side of the photo. This shoot has lead me to think I want to try a very abstracted approach to the photos next after how the jug photos came out.







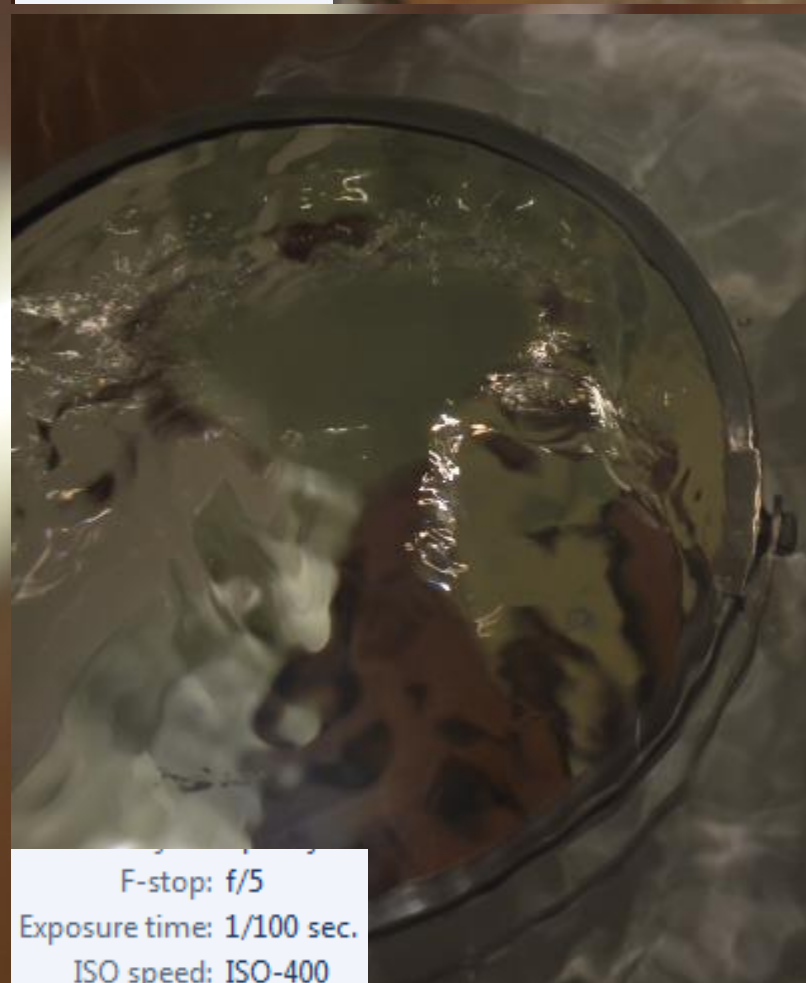
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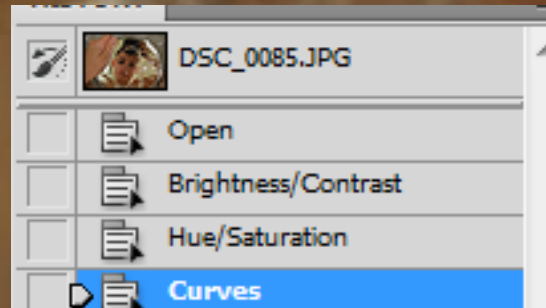


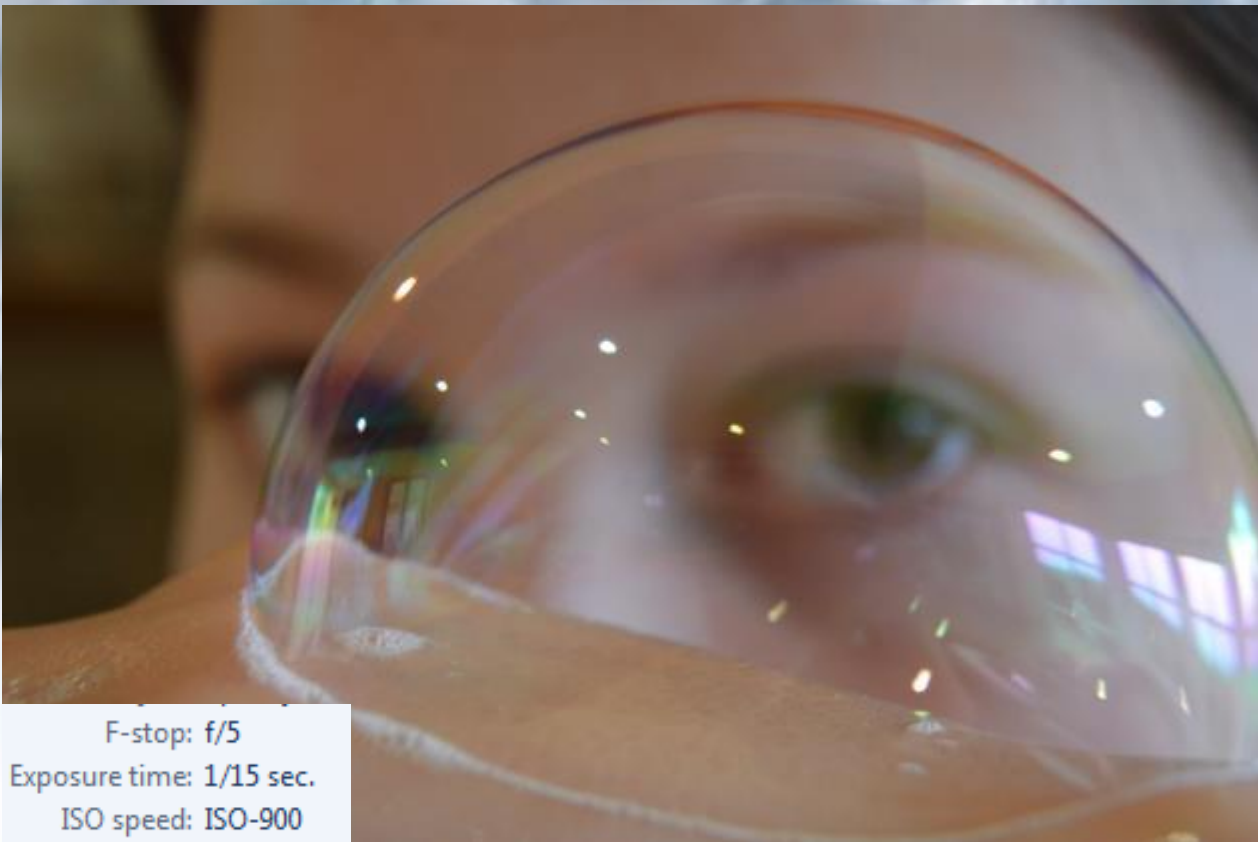
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Exposure time: 1/100 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-400

These photos came out well but not all of them worked as well as I would have liked to. I don't like how the camera can be seen in some of the photos, but as the picture is so distorted by the water. When editing these photos I think I will give the pictures a cold effect I think this will enhance the photo giving it a more chilling effect towards the viewer. I will also crop down the picture so you cant see the mirror its self and crop out the camera where I can.

MIRRORS UNDER WATER

These photos were taken with a mirror placed under water and then I made ripples on the surface of the water which distorted the reflection in the mirror. These were self portraits and were quite hard to take as I had to hold the mirror while making ripples, and actually take the photo.





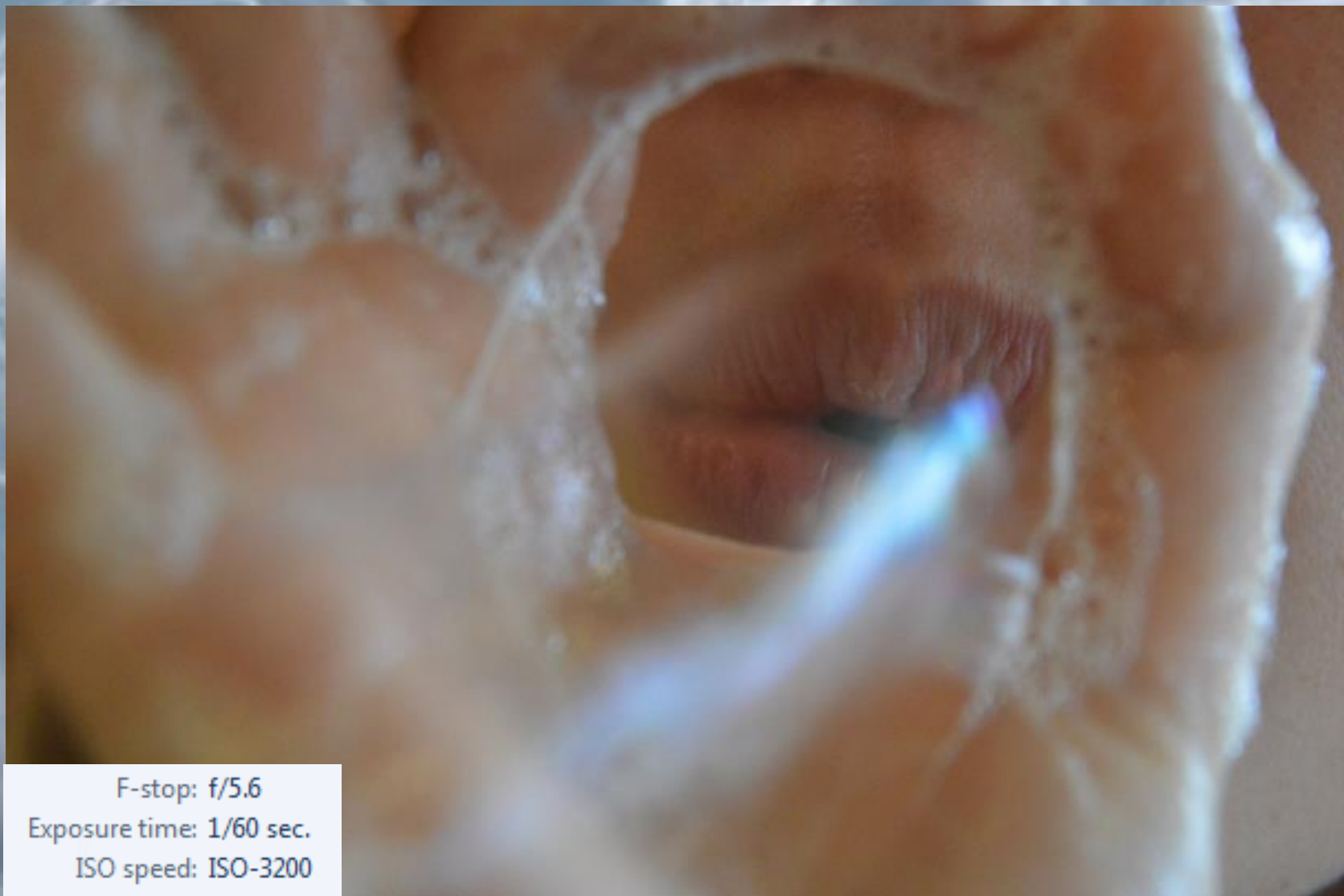
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Exposure time: 1/15 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-900



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200

When taking these photos I was really experimenting with the bubble as a filter, and not only did the bubble help with the distortion the close up angle of the photos helped with the abstraction of the photo. The focus of this photo was tricky as the camera I was using had a very narrow depth of field but I managed to make that work towards my advantage. Even if some are out of focus they work well to boost the quality of the photo.

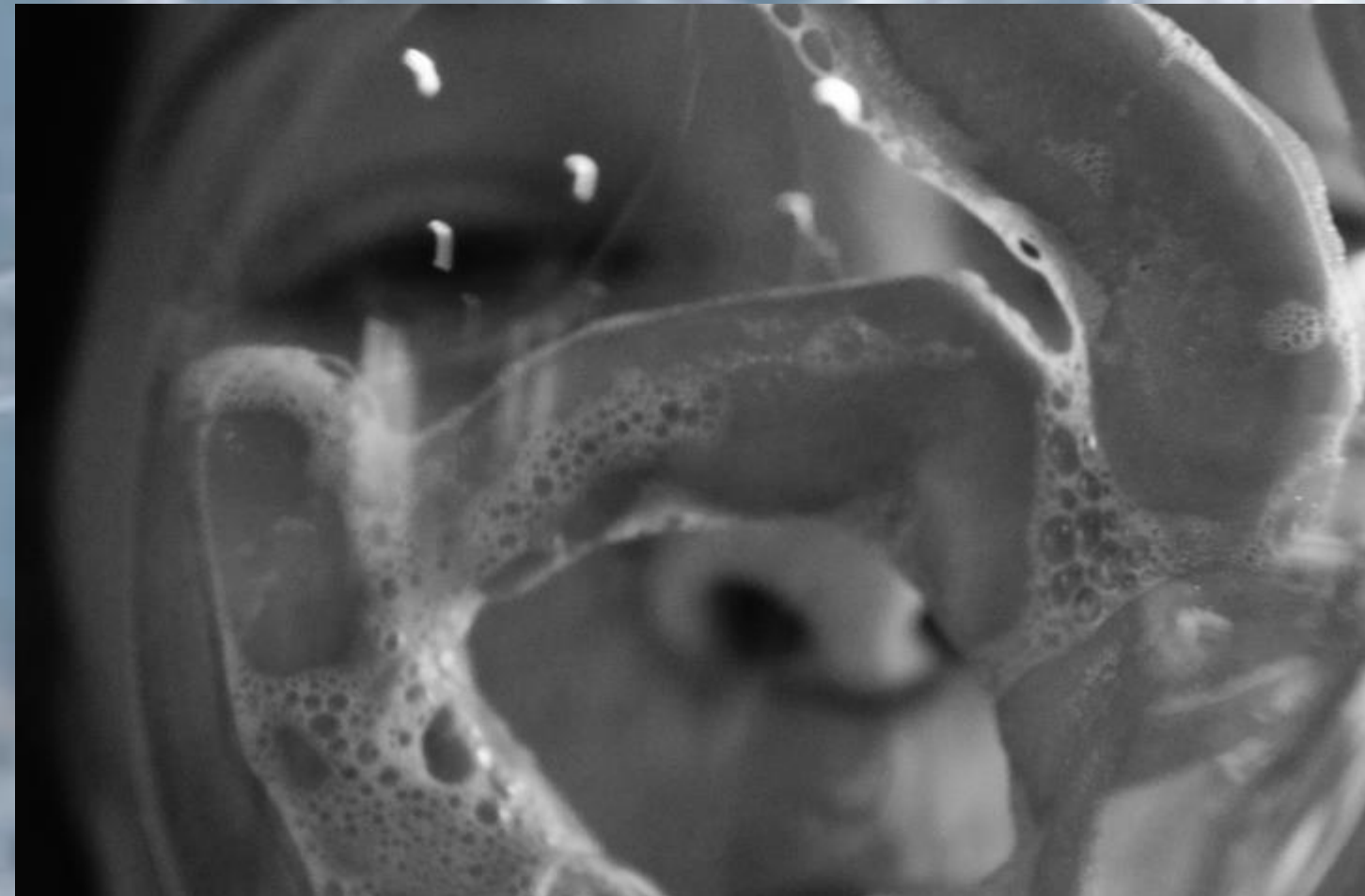
When editing these photos I will turn them black and white to add to the abstracted feel of the photos. I will also up the contrast to come threw the monotone of the black and white photos.



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200

BUBBLE SHOOT

These shots were very experimental, as I just wanted to find an interesting transparent or reflective filter for this shoot, to follow on from my underwater reflections shoot. So I came up with the idea of looking at how bubbles distorted the form behind them. I was interested to look at a small range of compositions, one of which, that you can see here, is the moment of the bubble being blown as I feel the added element of movement adds to the distortion. I liked the narrow depth of field and slightly out of focus feel as it really adds to the composition and the overall distortion of the photos.



CONTACTS AND EDITTING IDEAS

This photo has created a grate depth from the reflections threw the one mirror in to the many figures created. The distortion is again crated by the addition of lots of faces over one. When editing theses I will put them in a high black and white contrast.



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/50 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200



F-stop: f/5
Exposure time: 1/60 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-2000



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/50 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200



F-stop: f/5.3
Exposure time: 1/40 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200



F-stop: f/5.6
Exposure time: 1/20 sec.
ISO speed: ISO-3200

MULTIPLE MIRRORS

This again was an experimental shoot I wanted to play with lots of different angles and mirrors. I tried to get as many reflections as possible to try and distort the original image as much as possible to create the most amount of depth possible.

I was very happy with the out come of the photos, but I feel the photos with the multiple reflections were much more attention-grabbing than the single reflection photos as the complexity of depth that is created in he others makes a much more harmonies and balanced composition.



