

Paul Speaker



After graduating from Brooks Institute, I worked as an Industrial Photographer for General Dynamics for 10 years. When the Division was sold, I moved to Lifetouch, where I photographed large groups, dances, sports and seniors for another 10 years. Finally, I took my first Photoshop class in January 2000, and by April had become a full-time retoucher for a local full-service portrait studio. I am currently semi-retired.

I am a Lifetime member of Professional Photographers of America (PPA) and served on the PPA Council for nine years. Through PPA, I am certified as a Certified Professional Photographer. I have also earned the PPA Master of Photography Degree, the Photographic Craftsman Degree, and the Master Artist Degree. At the state level, I have earned recognition as a California Master Photographer.

Within Photographic Society of America (PSA), I served as President of the Southern California Council of Camera Clubs (S4C). I am also a member of two S4C affiliated clubs: I received my first ROPA distinction, PPSA, September 2017. I am currently serving as a member of the PSA Ethics Review Board and Secretary for PID Division.

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Degrees and Honors

- Alumni of Julliard School of Music
- Bachelor of Arts Photography Brook School of Photography
- PPC Hall of Fame Professional Photographers of California (PPC)
- Master of Photography Degree, Professional Photographers of America (PPA)
- Photographic Craftsman PPA
- Certified Professional Photographer PPA
- Master Artists PPA
- California Master Photographer PPC
- Proficient Honor (PPSA) Photographic Society of America
- Fellowship Southern California Council Of Camera Clubs
- Past President of Inland Empire Professional Photographers and Videographers
- Past President of International Association of Panoramic Photographers
- Past PPA Council Member of California
- Current President Southern California Council of Camera Clubs

- Current member of Ethics Review Board, PSA

Awards

- *Top Ten Photographer of PPC
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Professional Affiliations

- Lifetime member of Professional Photographers of America (PPA),
- Professional Photographers of California
- American Society of Photographers
- International Association of Panoramic Photographers
- Photo Artist Network
- Photochromers' Camera Club
- Pomona Camera Club
- Rancho Cucamonga Camera Club
- Southern California Council of Camera Clubs