

From the to the Wall

with Dr. Philip Lawson FRPS &
Peter Jones ARPS

Holiday Workshops
in Wildlife and
Landscape Photography in
combination with Digital Imaging/Post Production Techniques



Finland Wildwatch

A unique and intimate opportunity to join award-winning photographers and renowned lecturers Dr. Philip Lawson FRPS and Peter Jones ARPS on an intensive holiday workshop in Finland, combining wildlife photography and digital editing master-classes using Photoshop. For both beginners and seasoned photographers this will equip you to get the most out of your wildlife and landscape photography and turn your favourite images into masterpieces to adorn your wall.

What you will get

We will spend some of the time in photographic hides close to the accommodation. Peter and Philip will be on hand to guide you if required and provide hints and practical assistance with your photographic technique or the use of your camera.

In the mornings, afternoons or evenings, there will be a series of walkthrough lectures with Adobe Photoshop and other tools. A selection of your own digital images can be used to critique and illustrate both the photographic techniques and the digital production workflow and how to get the utmost quality from your camera and photography. Help will be on hand for all aspects as required.

What you need

- Your own camera equipment, preferably digital so that we can have immediate feedback, and the necessary accessories (batteries, memory cards, any special cables or lenses);
- We will assume all to have a basic understanding of photographic principles, a familiarity with the use of a computer and an elementary knowledge of digital photography and printing; Your own transport and travel arrangements in the UK;
- Accommodation is included in the price, based on sharing, with a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 15 clients. International travel arrangements available on request.

For any specific queries and reservations see the websites or please contact:

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See following pages for more detailed information.

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Our Finland Workshops will be run in conjunction with and use the facilities offered by WildBrownBear, Kuhmo, Finland. They not only have excellent wildlife watching facilities but first class accommodation, a state of the art lecture theatre and ample discussion rooms.

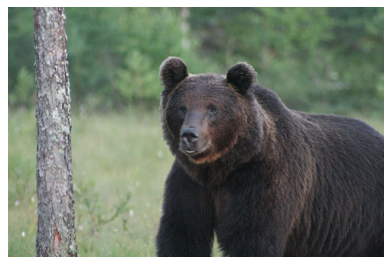
WildBrownBear will be our host for this visit, providing transport, accommodation and food as well as access to the bear hides and other facilities.



Photographically we should have ample opportunity to photograph Brown Bears, Wolverines and a host of other mammal and bird species. Remember that at certain times of year, e.g. June, wildlife watching and photography can be a 24/7 occupation so be prepared for the time shift and we will be filling in all of the gaps with lectures and demonstrations.



During the photographic time Peter (the Naturalist) and Philip will be on hand to assist or guide you and help you to get the best from both your camera equipment and the opportunity. Both Philip and Peter are award-winning photographers, with a lifetime of knowledge and skills to share. Time in the lakeside and forest hides is guaranteed and will give everyone the chance to put what they have learnt into practice, photographing anything and everything that comes along.



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When not wildlife watching or catching a few ZZzz..s, Philip and Peter will be offering a packed programme of lectures, taking you from basic understanding of photography and your camera through to the dizzying heights of digital editing and printing. In lectures and workshops using Photoshop (CS or Elements), you will be gently guided through the maze of terminology and processes needed to ensure that your photography and finished prints will be of the highest calibre. Course notes will be provided and what makes this workshop more rewarding will be the real opportunity to put the lessons of each day into practice on following days. This promises to be an un-missable opportunity to combine both your photographic holiday with full time tuition at one of the world's truly stunning wildlife locations.

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A typical timetable for the workshop would be:

Day	Activity	Accommodation	Mealplan
1	Transfer from Kajaani Airport † to WildBrownBear, Introductory Briefing	Lodge	Half board
2	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
3	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
4	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
5	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
6	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
7	Leave for Kajaani Airport †		Breakfast

Approximate Costs: £1700 + International Flights (UK to Finland Flight Price Guide £350-£400 Return)

† Cost of Transfer to/from Kajaani Airport to WildBrownBear is only included in price when traveling with the group from the UK.

For those with more time to spare and wishing to take their learning to the limits, an additional 2 nights will be available. This will cover the significantly more advanced techniques available in Photoshop to "improve" and retouch the images. Please note that some competitions do not allow any retouching of images and as such these techniques should be considered as most appropriate for your own pleasure or for gallery or commercial reproduction.

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5	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
6	Workshop, night in a Bear hide	Lodge	Half board
7	Advanced Workshop + use of hides	Lodge	Half board
8	Advanced Workshop + use of hides	Lodge	Half board
9	Leave for Kajaani Airport †		Breakfast

Approximate Costs: £1900 + International Flights (UK to Finland Flight Price Guide £350-£400 Return)

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The ethos of "From the Wild to the Wall" is that fundamentally we (Philip and Peter) are there to help you get the best from your photography. Philip has been a lecturer for almost 30 years and certainly knows his subject as well as being one of the best lecturers around to convey it. Our past clients have most often commented that the great thing about these workshops is that each felt that they were being dealt with individually and that they were stunned by the breadth of knowledge and skills that they picked up in such a short time. We hope we can give you the same experience.

Philip [el-image.com] and **Peter** [WildWatchTours.com]

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