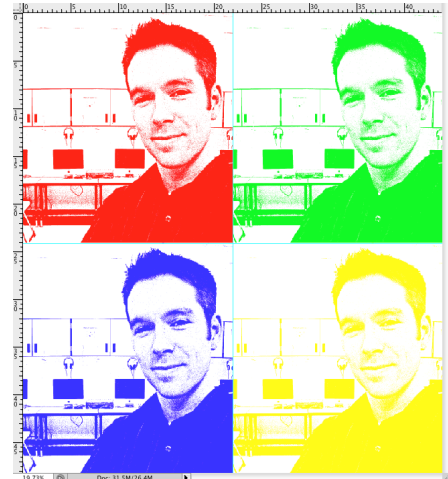# Photoshop Assignment #1
"Creating an Andy Warhol-like Effect"

This tutorial will allow you to work with/on:

• Filters
• Guides
• Resizing the canvas
• Threshold dialog
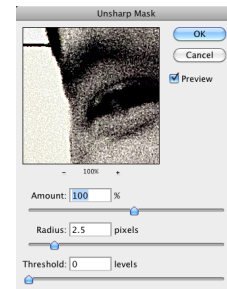• Moving a layer

Instructions:

Take a portrait of a person in the room or use an existing image of a person that will be the image used in your creation. Download the photo onto your desktop and open it in Photoshop.

Part 1 - Formatting the photo

• Click on the crop tool in the tool box on the left of the screen
    • Try to crop a SQUARE portion of the image.

• Once the portion of the image area you want to use for the assignment is selected, press RETURN to crop it. (Make sure it is SQUAREish)

• Go to Filters > Sharpen > Unsharp Mask
    • Set the Amount to 100%
    • Set the Radius to 2.5 pixels
    • Set the Threshold to 0 levels

• Go to Image > Adjustments > Threshold
    • Adjust the slider arrow to get an interesting black and white effect.
• Press OK

• Go to Select > All (CMD+A)
• Go to Edit > Copy (CMD+C)
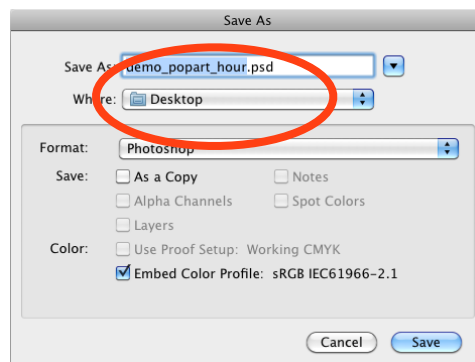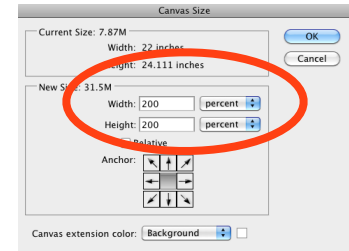   • this will be used in a couple minutes

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Part 2 - Creating the Pop Art

- Go to File > New

  - *By default, the Width and Height should be equal to the dimensions of the cropped image you just copied onto the clipboard.*
- Press OK

- Go to Image > Canvas Size

  - From the drop-down, select **'percent'** instead of 'pixels'

  - Change Width and Height both to 200%

  - Press OK

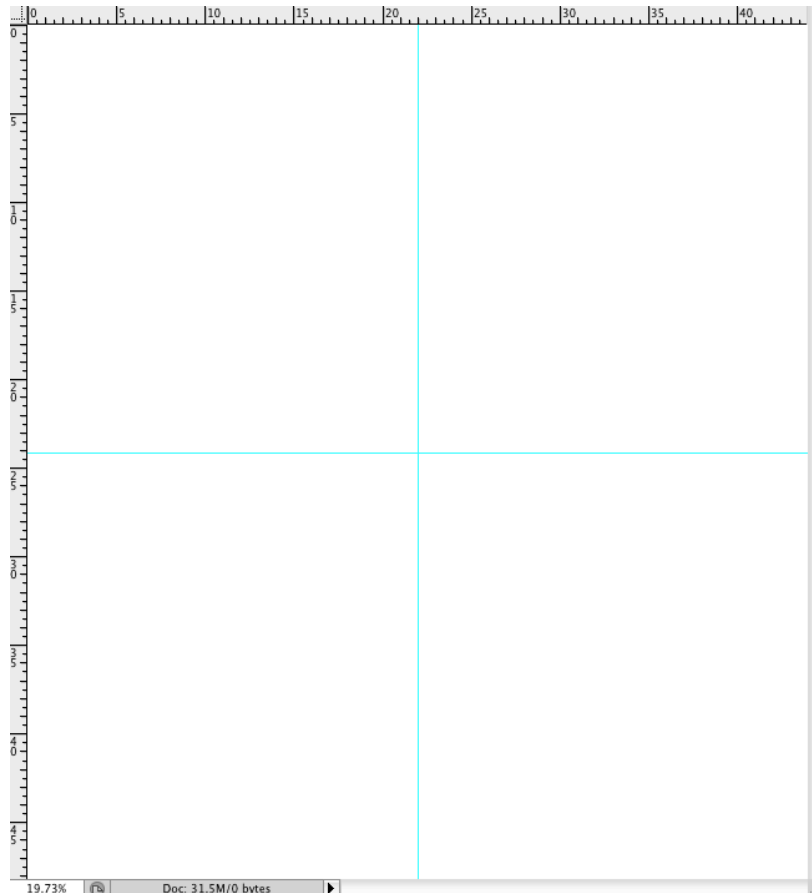- Go to File > Save As > last name_popart_hour.psd (**ON THE DESKTOP**)

Part 3 - Working with Guides

- Press the Comand Zero (CMD+0) on the keyboard to zoom out on the white square
  - note: *this step doesn't look like it does anything, but trust me, it did!*

- Go to View > Rulers (CMD+R)

- Click on the horizontal ruler at the top of the document and drag down.

- Place the line in the exact MIDDLE of the document. (it should snap)

- Click on the Vertical ruler on the left of the document and drag right
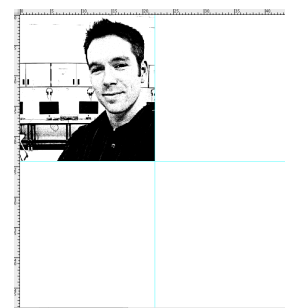
• Place the line in the exact MIDDLE of the document. (it should snap)
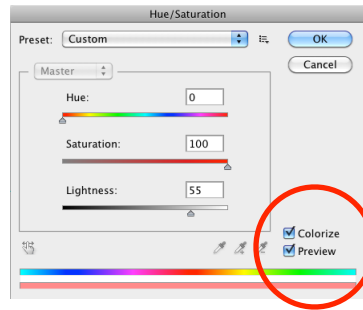
The end result should look like this:

<u>Part 4 - Coloring</u>

• Go to Edit > Paste (CMD+V)

   • This places one copy of the base image in the center

• Select the Move tool (V) and position the image in the top left corner
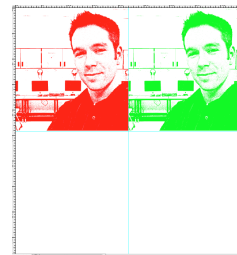
• Go to Image > Adjustments > Hue/Saturation (CMD+U)

- Click COLORIZE
- Set Hue to 0
- Set Saturation to 100
- Set Lightness to +55

You should now see RED

- Go to Edit > Paste (CMD-V)

- Select the Move (V) tool and position the image in the top right corner

- Go to Image > Adjustments > Hue/Saturation (CMD-U)

- Click COLORIZE
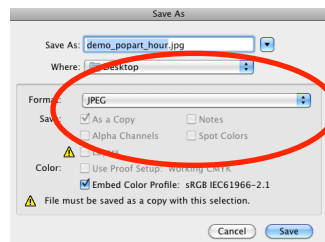- Set Hue to 125
- Set Saturation to 100
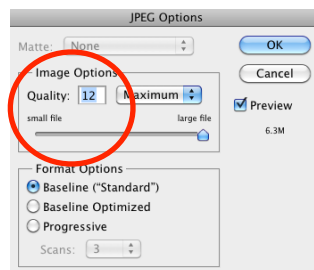- Set Lightness to +55

You should now see Green

- Repeat these steps to fill and color the lower two corners in Blue and Yellow of your choice

Part 5 - Closing out

- Go to File > Save (CMD+S)

- Go to File > Save As
- Change Format to JPEG
- Press Save
- Set Quality to 12
- Press OK

Check that the file is named properly and on your desktop as a .JPEG for easy access.

- **Turn in the Assignment**

  - Drag and drop the JPEG file into the **HAND IN folder** in the appropriate hour.
  - Upload the photo onto your **BLOG** and write a little summary of the assignment.