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Photography

Welcome Guide & Product Pricing

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What to expect Before your session

Your in-person or phone consultation will give me the opportunity to get to know you and talk about the products I offer. I will bring or email you my contract for you to sign, collect your session retainer and book a date for your boudoir session. It is important for any decision makers be at this consultation.



Session planning

It is a great idea to go ahead and start planning what you want to wear! Feel free to ask for suggestions, as clients typically do.

I recommend you are well rested, hydrated and have a good hardy meal prior to your session.

Please come with a clean face and clean hair. Blow dry your hair to remove frizz and curl.

Arrive early! Coming a few minutes early will give us extra time to get started on hair and makeup and look at your outfits.

If you decided to color your hair, nails, waxing or have a facial done, it is best to do this 3-5 days prior to your session.

Come with no bra and loose fitting underwear or no underwear to avoid lines in your skin.

I highly recommend avoiding any alcohol or staying up late the night before as this will reflect in your photos, and I want you to have the best images possible.

I do not recommend tanning before your session, you will be orange!

Don't book any other appointments to be anywhere for up to 4 hours.

Don't be shy to ask for certain poses or nudes! I am happy to get any shots you want!

I hope you schedule yourself a night out with some ladies or your spouse, because once you're done your shoot you're going to look AMAZING! Go out and show it off!

During your session

Relax, have fun, and be yourself so your personality will be captured! Be comfortable and don't be afraid laugh and play around! This will give me the opportunity to capture your pure personality!



After your session

We will meet again in person 1-2 weeks later for your ordering appointment as I do not offer online galleries or sneak peaks, this will be your first time you view your images. It is of the utmost importance that anyone whose decision is necessary for this investment be present at the ordering appointment. This is definitely the best part of the entire process, watching your portraits come to life through printed products.

Your ordering appointment will take about an hour and a half. We only release retouched images so they are perfect, and ready for the world to see. Your product order must be paid in full during this appointment. All sales are final due to the custom nature of the products. Payment plans are available

Your custom products will be hand crafted using only the finest materials. We can't wait to present your archival quality products in 5-6 weeks.



What to wear

Style Advice

I find I am asked one thing more than anything else, "What should I wear?". I have put together some tips to inspire you when creating your clothing ensemble.

- Visualize the clothing, sexy heels, and accessories you will want to wear for your shoot. Flip through your favorite fashion magazines to discover ways to pair colors, fabrics and styles for easy runway glamour.
- Shop your closet for the items you instinctively select when you want to feel (and look) your very best. Let your imagination roam!
- Grab a style-savvy and fun-loving friend and hit women's fashion boutiques to hunt down an ensemble that not only flatters your figure, but also makes you feel comfortable, unquestionably beautiful and relaxed.
- Pick out lingerie that highlights your every lovely curve, but please remember sometimes a tight T-shirt, soft sweater or over-sized button-down shirt can be even sexier. Let your own personality shine through.
- Bring something meaningful to you or your significant other; this serves as a great way to personalize your shoot. It may be lingerie your husband gave you on your first anniversary, for instance, or a vintage charm bracelet you found on a scouting expedition while on vacation.

Session Retainer

Your session retainer, \$500, covers your: consultation, time photographing, retouching of artist selected images and an in person Ordering Appointment. Your session retainer is due upon time of booking to secure the session date and time and is non-refundable. Your retainer may be applied toward ONE re-scheduled session should the need occur.

The session retainer is \$500 and includes 2-3 hour session with professional hair and makeup.

Prints and digital negatives are not included, and may be ordered at your ordering appointment.

We have found the highest quality professional print labs across the country that are equipped to produce archival quality products.



Product Guide

****TO GET \$50 OFF YOUR SESSION FEE MENTION THIS AT YOUR CONSULTATION!****

Diamond // \$3500

- 10x10 Album with 30 images
- Glass folio box with 20 images
- (2) 16x24 Metal Wall Art
- Retro Viewfinder
- All professionally retouched digitals

Emerald // \$2200

- 10x10 album or Glass folio box with 20 images
- Retro Viewfinder
- All professionally retouched digitals

Ruby // \$1250

- Glass folio box with your choice of 10 prints

Digital Image File

Complete Gallery - **\$899** OR add on to any album for only **\$699**

- Delivered on a beautiful heart-shaped UBS pendant.

Individual Files (Minimum purchase: 5 images) - \$50 each

- Delivered via download

Album Selections Only - \$400 (add on only)

- Delivered on a beautiful heart-shaped UBB pendant.

Mobile Boudoir App

A private mobile album for phones and tablets.

- Complete Gallery - \$400
- Album Images Only - \$300

Gallery Reveal Slideshow

Your reveal slideshow set to music delivered via download

- Slideshow - \$200

Al La Carte

Menu

Metals

11 x 14 - \$250

16 x 20 - \$340

20 x 30 - \$400

24 x 36 - \$550

Albums

10 x 10 - \$1200

12 x 12 - \$1700

Additional Spreads

10 x 10 - \$80/spread

12 x 12 - \$120/spread

Custom add-on's

Custom Viewer

In your choice of classic black or snow white viewer. 7 of your favorite images.

- Custom Peep Show - \$250

Folios

- Glass 8 x 10 Matted Folio - \$210 (with album purchase)
-\$380 (purchased alone)
- 8 x 8 Image Folio - \$125 (with album purchase)
-\$200 (purchase alone)

Block Albums

- 6 x 6 10 spread - \$175
*Additional spreads (15 MAX) - \$15 each
- 8 x 10 10 spread - \$210
*Additional spread (15 MAX) - \$25 each

F.A.Q

Will my photos be on the internet?

Not unless you say it's ok! Every client I feature on my Facebook page, website or group has given me written permission to post her images. If you aren't comfortable with any images being shared, that is completely fine, just let me know! To read over my Privacy policy, scroll down.

I have cellulite/stretch marks/acne. Can you get rid of that?

In most cases, yes*. Removal of acne, acne scarring, stretchmarks, and cellulite is part of the retouching process. What I don't do is put your face on someone else's body or 'take off' 30lbs. If there is something you feel self-conscious about, we can use poses and lighting to emphasize your best features instead.

*if you have **severe** cellulite or acne, I may not be able to retouch it all out. If you'd like a personalized consultation to discuss it, just let me know.

I'm older than (or not as thin as) the girls on your website, can I still book a session?

Of course! I feel bad that people even ask this question! I have shot with many women over 50 and well into the plus sizes. Not everyone is comfortable with their photos being in my online portfolio so I can't show a lot of examples. What I can promise is that I will create images to flatter YOU and best show your personality. I believe every woman is beautiful and it's my job to show you just how gorgeous you are.

Do I bring my own lingerie, or do you provide the outfits?

You need to bring your own lingerie to the photo shoot. Select outfits that suit your personality and body shape, and complement your skin tone. If you need help with outfit ideas, or you'd like to book a consultation to discuss wardrobe, send me an email! You can get some ideas on Pinterest as well.

What about hair and makeup, do I do it myself?

Hair and makeup is included in every package I offer, and my stylists have been hand-picked (by me) for their talents. I want to provide an experience that makes you feel beautiful and pampered, and images that will help you appreciate the true beauty you possess!

Can I bring a friend to my shoot?

Generally, I prefer to work one on one with my clients, simply because sometimes an 'audience' can make you feel more self-conscious. If you must bring someone for moral support, I limit it to one person.

I'm ready to book a shoot, what's next?

Once you let me know what date you'd like to shoot, I will request your phone number to call you to set up your in-person consultation or phone consultation. If you can not meet in person, I will email you a contract. The contract must be signed and a non-refundable retainer is due to reserve your shoot day/time.

I'm not sure what I want to order yet, can I decide when I see my photos?

Absolutely. After the shoot I welcome you back to the studio to view your images and discuss product options. Once you decide on what you'd like to order (album, canvas, etc),

I can't make my shoot date, can I reschedule?

Absolutely. Things come up and sometimes a date no longer works, so we're happy to make the changes for you. However, if you contact us to reschedule less than 24 Hours before your shoot, you forget about your appointment or you reschedule more than once, your retainer is not transferable. When you sign your contract, we block off those hours to shoot with you, thus turning away people interested in shooting that day.

What is your refund policy?

Due to the custom nature of photography, the session price and any products ordered are non-refundable. You have final say on the retouching and any custom album design and nothing goes to print without your approval.

Where do the shoots take place?

In Alberta, shoots are done (by appointment only) at my studio in Calgary. We also have the option to do the session in your home, allowing for lots of lighting or we can rent a hotel room.

Privacy Policy

We've all seen the news stories of teachers, pageant queens, and budding celebrities losing their positions all because a few steamy images of them somehow found their way onto the internet without their permission. I understand that the fear that images might end up in the wrong hands can be enough to keep someone from doing a session that they might otherwise enjoy, so privacy is an extremely important aspect of how I conduct my business. I've set up a few safeguards to ensure that your privacy will be protected at all times, and you will have complete control over which images (if any) are released and where they appear. I don't show faces unless release is signed and says I can.

First of all, other than e-mail correspondence between you and me, your full name will never be associated with your photos without your consent. All images that you see on this website are used with permission. After your session, we will discuss which images you grant me permission to use, and how and where I will use them. I will never use an image from your session without your consent. You always have the right to keep all images private.

I edited all images in private. Only my eyes see your photos.

No images are ever shared without my clients written consent. The images on this site are real clients, not models. I have received consent from each woman to post her images. I do not publish any images without the clients written consent. Some clients are excited to share and show off their beautiful images and others may not be in the position to share due to profession or community commitments. No matter what you decide I will fully respect your decision.

If you have any questions about my privacy safeguards, don't hesitate to contact me to discuss your situation!

Love.

Kristal Cooper