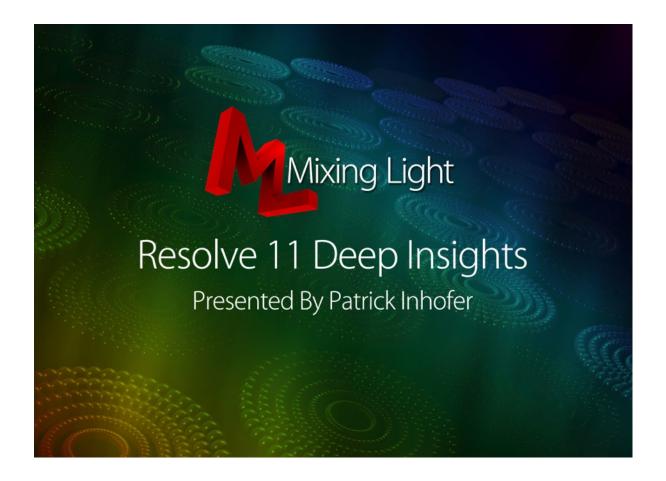
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DAVINCI RESOLVE 11 DEEP INSIGHTS

with Patrick Inhofer

Overview

For nearly a decade DaVinci Resolve has been the go to tool for colorists working on hollywood films, commercials and high end corporate communication. Well known for its powerful, intuitive and color precise tools, DaVinci Resolve has been used to color grade more projects than any other grading application.

Once only available to high-end facilities at the cost of a million dollars or more, DaVinci Resolve is now accessible to anyone with a Mac or PC that is looking for the highest quality color grading. Available in a free version (DaVinci Resole Lite) and a full version (DaVinci Resolve) never before has "high end" color grading been as available to film makers, editors and visual effects artists.

In DaVinci Resolve 11 Deep Insights, indie feature film and broadcast colorist Patrick Inhofer guides viewers through color grading a music video project using Resolve 11. With emphasis placed on real world situations, and real world workflow, viewers will quickly learn how to harness Resolve for their own projects without being overwhelmed with encyclopedic knowledge of this deep application.

Target Audience

Beginner and Intermediate colorists, editors, cinematographers, directors and their assistants.

Topics Covered

- Understand how to read and use vectorscopes and waveform monitors for color correction
- Developing a repeatable color correction workflow
- Getting clips, timelines and projects into Resolve
- Making contrast and color adjustments
- Making targeted secondary corrections with keys and shapes + creating looks
- Matching shots and rendering footage
- Apply all the above concepts and tools to a real-world Music Video

Course Organization

This course is split between three types of movies:

- Interface training DaVinci Resolve workflows, buttons and tools for managing the entire color correction process
- 'In Action' Project-based Lessons Put the interface training to work by color correcting the bundled Music Video, with the camera-original footage shot on Blackmagic Cinema Cameras.
- 'Colorist Lingo' Learn the language of colorists as you progress through the training.



About Patrick Inhofer

Patrick Inhofer is a professional colorist and owner of Fini.tv, currently living and working in Orlando, Florida.

A 25+ year post veteran, Patrick brings his two decades of experience working at New York City post houses to low- and mid budget productions. He works on films, documentaries, television series, and corporate videos—and has been the colorist for notable directors such as Barry Levinson, Bruce Sinofsky, and Dorothy Lyman.

Patrick founded the color grading website TaoOfColor.com and publishes a free weekly color correction publication, The Tao Colorist Newsletter. In 2012 he cofounded MixingLight.com.

Patrick has been an adjunct professor at Hofstra University teaching color correction. He contributed to the book *Color Grading with Avid Media Composer and Symphony* 6. He often presents color correction seminars at industry conferences, to User Groups. He occasionally leads small group multiday seminars teaching DaVinci Resolve and the craft of color grading.

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