



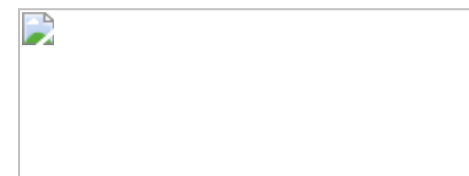
Putting the power of the media and technology  
in the hands of the people.



## April 2017 Newsletter

### Open Music Sessions

Amy Goodman, host and executive producer of [Democracy Now!](#), will be kicking-off her 2017 "Covering the Movements Changing America" here in Denver with a benefit for [Denver Open Media](#) and [KFFR 83.3 FM](#), two of Colorado's top nonprofit media organizations.



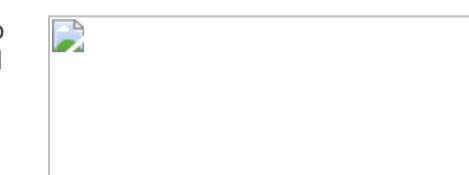
Goodman will deliver a keynote next door at [Su Teatro Cultural and Performing Arts Center](#) (721 Santa Fe Drive in Denver) at 7:30pm. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased [here](#).

The talk will also be streaming live upstairs (FREE admission!) at Denver Open Media (700 Kalamath Street) and on Denver Open Media channel 57 and 881 and through the [livestream link](#). Enjoy free food and drink while you watch the talk, thanks to [Sexy Pizza](#) and [Crazy Mountain Brewing Company](#).

The talk will be followed by FREE after-party and special Open Music Sessions, featuring musical performances from [ZMX2](#) and Lolita and the hilarious stylings of local comedian Cody Spyker, live in Denver Open Media's Studio A, 8:45 - 10:00 pm!

### Careers at Open Media Foundation!

Open Media Foundation is currently hiring for three job positions - Account Director, Senior Web Designer and Google AdWords Specialist.



Click [here](#) to see the details.

We are also seeking two AmeriCorps VISTAs - a [Community Media Support VISTA](#) and a [Fundraising/Development Support VISTA](#). Help fight poverty by putting the power of media and technology in the hands of the people!

### Video Client - Colorado Department of Education

Each year the [Colorado Department of Education](#) honors an exceptionally dedicated, knowledgeable, and skilled, K-12 teacher as Teacher of the Year. This person represents the entire profession in Colorado for the duration of their term.

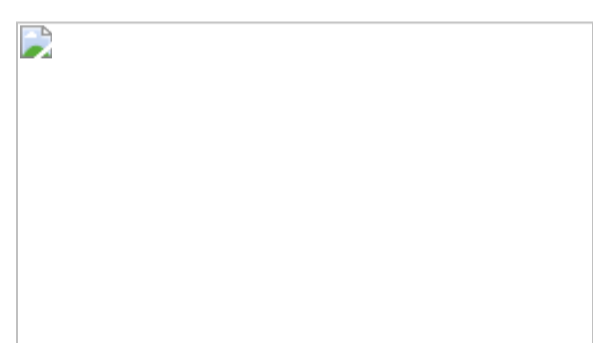


Our production team here at Open Media Foundation had the pleasure of creating a [video](#) that highlights the inspiring work of Sean Wybrant, a Career and Technical Education teacher at William J. Palmer High School, in Colorado Springs District 11, who was named the 2017 Colorado Teacher of the Year. Please enjoy our team's fantastic work where Sean Wybrant explains his student-centered teaching philosophy, which helps students innovate with technology!

And click [here](#) to learn about other videos created by OMF's Video Services Department.

### Photography and WordPress Class Coming to OMF!

The month of May will feature some first-time education offerings for Open Media Foundation.



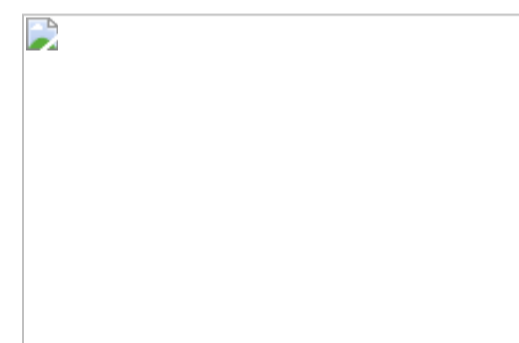
The [Intro to Digital Photography](#) class will cover the basics of shooting great photos using manual controls. Taught by Nikon instructor Bob Pearson, class time will also be devoted to getting the most out of your digital camera.

Web designer Charlie Stanard will lead [Custom Website Development with WordPress](#). This class will cover the basics of using the WordPress dashboard and also offer an introduction into HTML and CSS coding.

Click [here](#) to register for this and other classes.

### Save the Date for the May Breakfast!

Open Media Foundation is hosting our annual May Breakfast Fundraiser - *A Higher Definition of Media*. We are looking for amazing community members to help us grow our guest list and are calling for Table Captains! It's easy to do - invite 10 people to come eat for free and hear about the amazing things we are doing at Open Media Foundation!



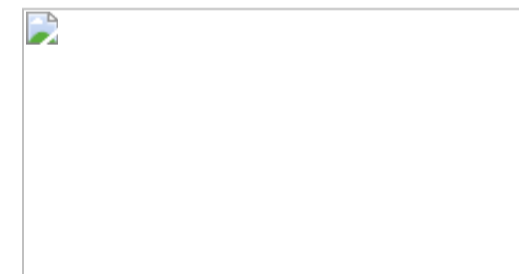
If you want to RSVP to the breakfast, sign up as a table captain or learn more, email [nicole@openmediafoundation.org](mailto:nicole@openmediafoundation.org).

**A Higher Definition of Media**  
Open Media Foundation May Breakfast Fundraiser  
May 17, 2017  
7:30 - 8:30 am  
Blue Moon Brewery  
3750 Chestnut Pl, Denver, CO 80216  
RSVP to [nicole@openmediafoundation.org](mailto:nicole@openmediafoundation.org)



### DOM's Top-Rated Show for March

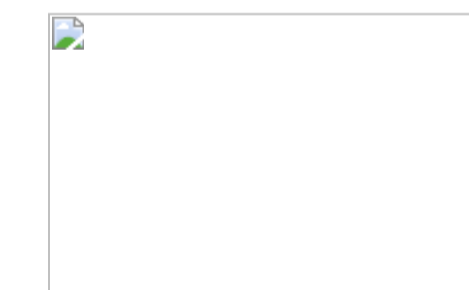
The top-rated show for the month of March is [Far More Colorado S5 E3 Carolyn Schultz DENUM](#) by producer Bill Freud. Congratulations, Bill! For getting the top-rated show, he will receive \$25 in DOM Bucks.



Don't forget to [vote](#) for your favorite show!

### Open Media Lab

Are you interested in learning more about DOM member videos? Want to participate and learn more about market research for your show?

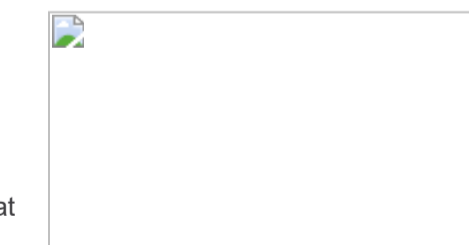


Join us for April's Open Media Lab and watch Scoop Nemeth's screening of "Made in Colorado" shows and help answer the question, "Why should we care about shows "Made in Colorado"?"

Click [here](#) to register. Free for members of Denver Open Media.

### DSLR Cameras

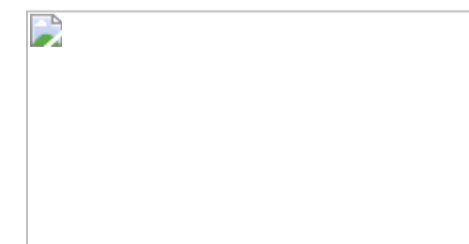
Get a different look for your next shoot with a DSLR camera. We have a wide range to choose from, and some are free to rent with an Equipment Access membership at Denver Open Media.



[Canon Rebel T1i](#), (free with Equipment Access membership) The Canon T1i allows for Full HD video at 1920 x 1080 resolution. Video is captured at 30 fps during HD and SD shooting, and at 20 fps when in Full HD.  
[Panasonic Lumix DMZ-FC1000](#) (free with Equipment Access membership) This Lumix can shoot HD or 4K!  
[Canon 5D Mark II](#) (\$40 rental with DOM membership) The Live View Feature enables HD video recording that can capture true HD quality (1080p) video at a frame rate of 30 fps with Face Detection and sound.  
[Sony A7s Mirrorless DSLR-style Camera Body](#) (\$40 rental with membership) The Sony Alpha a7S mirrorless digital camera features a full-frame 12.2MP Exmor CMOS sensor and BIONZ X image processor to enable notable video and still image quality with an expansive dynamic range, low noise, and extended sensitivity to ISO 409600. Body only; lenses are extra.

### Make a Promo for Denver Open Media

At our last member meeting, we had the pleasure of recording testimonials from our members about their experience at Denver Open Media. We really hit the jackpot when Nic Turner stepped up to the mic and gave this honest and inspiring soundbite turned [promo](#).

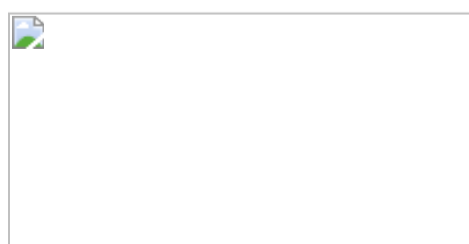


Got a promo idea for the station? Want to record your own testimonial? Let Shannon know at [shannon@openmediafoundation.org](mailto:shannon@openmediafoundation.org).

A shout-out to Nic and to all the producers that make DOM what it is... and to that 3 am idea!

### Intendence Film Festival

The [Intendence Film Festival](#) (IFF) is now accepting submissions through early May 2017.



IFF will be screening films from Colorado and the rest of the world on Friday and Saturday, June 23 - 24, at Denver Open Media (DOM). Categories are: Animation, Art-Experimental, Feature, Short, Documentary, Documentary-Short, Music Video, Fantasy-Science Fiction-Horror, and Webisode.

DOM members and students/youth get \$10 off!

Submissions can be made through [withoutabox.com](#) or [filmfeeway.com](#).

For more information, go to <http://www.intendence.org/submissions.html> or email [info@intendence.org](mailto:info@intendence.org).

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