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Adobe Illustrator Creative Cloud Revealed (Stay Current With Adobe Creative Cloud)



Synopsis

ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR CREATIVE CLOUD REVEALED offers you comprehensive coverage in all areas of Adobe Illustrator. Beginning with fundamental concepts and progressing to in-depth exploration of the software's full set of features, these step-by-step lessons offer you a guided tour of all the program's great features - including an illustrated tutorial on "how to draw with the Pen tool" that you won't find in any other book. This new edition highlights extensive coverage of important and exciting new features, including dramatic improvements to Illustrator's built-in tracing utility and a major upgrade for creating patterns.

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Customer Reviews

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I had to purchase this for a class I was taking, but thought the content was mediocre in my opinion.

I'm not a total beginner on Illustrator, nor an expert, but would say quite acquainted and familiar with Illustrator. The activities themselves weren't engaging as they made you recreate out-dated, nor aesthetically pleasing, designs. Even if they are just used simply as lessons used to familiarize and learn how to utilize certain tools, it isn't "step-by-step" as it's self described skipping from Point A to Point C. I found the instructions often times vague to the point where I'd have to research myself where I'd find free content that, with better examples, would literally do walk you through the process. Although the textbook did contain lessons for tools I was not familiar and how to utilize them, it honestly does not hold any technique or information you couldn't learn elsewhere for free. I've learned more through free tutorials on Youtube which were more comprehensive and contained more concepts, personal insight, and tips and tricks.

I bought this for my college class, it was the required book. It really explains Illustrator well. GOOD TIP: don't waste your time reading the paragraphs and paragraphs of chapter material, just skip to the assignment steps and you'll understand perfectly how the program works. I discovered this half way through my course and everything when fine and dandy and FASTER! :) Keep the book because when you forget how to do a simple little step of something after your course is done, you can refer back to it to remember it (and not have to do a ton of googling like I did.)

great book to follow - wonderful for a beginner

No access codes as stated. The publisher's website is a mess, you cannot access anything unless you can prove you are an instructor. The lessons jump around and never completely describe tools or processes. The Kindle version scrolls very slowly. To the point where it is hard to use.

Like the other Adobe "... Revealed" books I feel it's a good starting point, although it starts somewhat slowly, but these books "...Revealed" books leave me wanting something more.

If you are looking to discover the magic of Adobe Illustrator, this is the learning tool for you. Not only does it give you easy to follow instructions on using its many features and tools, but it also provides online videos.

Very easy to follow

OK, VERY INSTRUCTIONAL

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