

MAINE MEDIA

COLLEGE

Dear Professional Certificate student,

On behalf of everyone at Maine Media Workshops and College, I welcome you to our dynamic community dedicated to fostering vision, craftsmanship and creative expression.

The Workshops and College are known for the intensity of our programs and the passion of those involved. As the crowds of the summer disperse, the school community retains that same passion and intensity but in a smaller and more intimate atmosphere.

This is a milestone year for the school as we recently opened a new facility in Rockport Village featuring a street front gallery and a suite of classrooms with views of the harbor. We are also celebrating the successful completion of our very first capital campaign that is allowing us to make great improvements to our facilities and programs. Upgrades to both our darkrooms and Sound Stage will begin soon.

Other exciting news of the school includes our effort to gain accreditation. Last spring we hosted a visiting team from the National Association of Schools of Art and Design and will receive word of our progress back from the Commission this fall. Now as part of our College community, I look forward to welcoming you in a few short weeks and to sharing news of our progress with you on all these fronts.

Most importantly, however, I look forward to working with you as you begin this very special and intensive school year of discovery and growth.

I encourage you to familiarize yourself with the materials in this welcome package. Answers to most questions you may have about the school, our policies or programs are easily accessible. Periodically, we may need to update or change information regarding the College and its programs. When changes occur, the Director of Education will make every effort to inform you verbally and in writing.

We look forward to your participation in the academic programs and special events this year. The creative nature of the college invites you to be expressive with your ideas and opinions, all of which serve to strengthen and enrich our environment. I look forward to getting to know you this coming academic year and wish you success in achieving your goals.

With warm regards,



Charles Altschul
President
Maine Media College