



## Gary Nicholls—The Imaginarium

### ‘Reality is for people without imagination’

The talk is designed to inspire the audience to try new ideas and ignore convention in creating a personal project using the camera as a tool to create images from imagination to realisation.

Gary is the creator and author of The Imaginarium Trilogy—a 500 image fine art story.

Meticulously crafted it is a conceptualised neo-gothic fairy story eponymously based on the Victorian fairground attractions of The Imaginarium. ‘The Imaginarium’ tells an intricate, fantastical, dark but ultimately beautiful steampunk story through the unique medium of fine art images. Four years in the making, Gary’s creation is so much more than just a book – it’s an adventure through the power of art that simultaneously tells an epic, powerful story readers will be immersed in from page one.

When describing his literary project to people, Gary Nicholls is inspiring. The whole project is governed by just two words, Imagine and Create. If it can be dreamt, it can be created. ‘Reality is for people without Imagination’, and Gary’s imagination has no bounds, no journey impossible, no step is a step too far, dark steampunk the order of the day. ‘The Imaginarium’ really is that unique; telling a complex story in Fine Art Images has not really been seen since the days of Hogarth and ‘Rakes Progress’

The final section of the talk goes through the photoshop and lighting techniques used, finishing up with some handy tips on skin retouching and detail.

Gary is also available for a full night of photoshop tutorial using techniques he uses in his work, covering shadows, skin retouching and detail enhancement.

If you are looking for a highly original and unique talk with a chance to see Gary’s metal prints please get in touch!

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