

## **June 7<sup>th</sup> Ilam Hall . nr Ashbourne DE6 2AZ**

Ilam Hall is a Gothic mansion set in 84 acres of beautiful parkland on the banks of the River Manifold, in the Peak District National Park on the Derbyshire / Staffordshire border.

After a short introduction session on the local area, we go out on field trips with the three tutors into the countryside around Ilam, which includes one of Lord Byron's favourite beauty spots – Dovedale. There is also spectacular hilly open country on the doorstep of Ilam Hall in the shadow of the magnificent Thorpe Cloud, or parkland and woods next to the unique River Manifold in the Hall's grounds.

### **EQUIPMENT TO BRING**

Please come equipped with sturdy boots or shoes, wet weather gear and a day bag to carry lunches, cameras etc. Walking will be on easy terrain but with plenty of stops to make pictures. Participants should bring a digital SLR with a blank memory card – or of course you can shoot on film / medium format / large format. Bring your laptop, if you have one, to edit your images at the end of the day before the feedback session. Remember to bring your portfolio if you would like a one-to-one feedback review session with one of the tutors.

If you are a National Trust member, bring your membership card to Ilam Hall.

### **REFRESHMENTS**

Although you can bring your own food, there will be coffee, tea, and biscuits available in the workshop venues. Despite the rural locations of the workshops, there are several cafes and pubs nearby.

Time: 9.am – 6pm

Venue: **Ilam Hall**

Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/7MD5L>

Parking: There is parking at the venue.