

# Create Zombie photos during Halloween in Photoshop

It can be said that Zombie is always an endless topic in the field of movies. And in fact, you can completely create photos with Zombie effects with professional photo editing software - Adobe Photoshop.

In the article below, we will introduce and guide you a few basic steps to create funny photos on the Zombie theme in the annual Halloween festival.

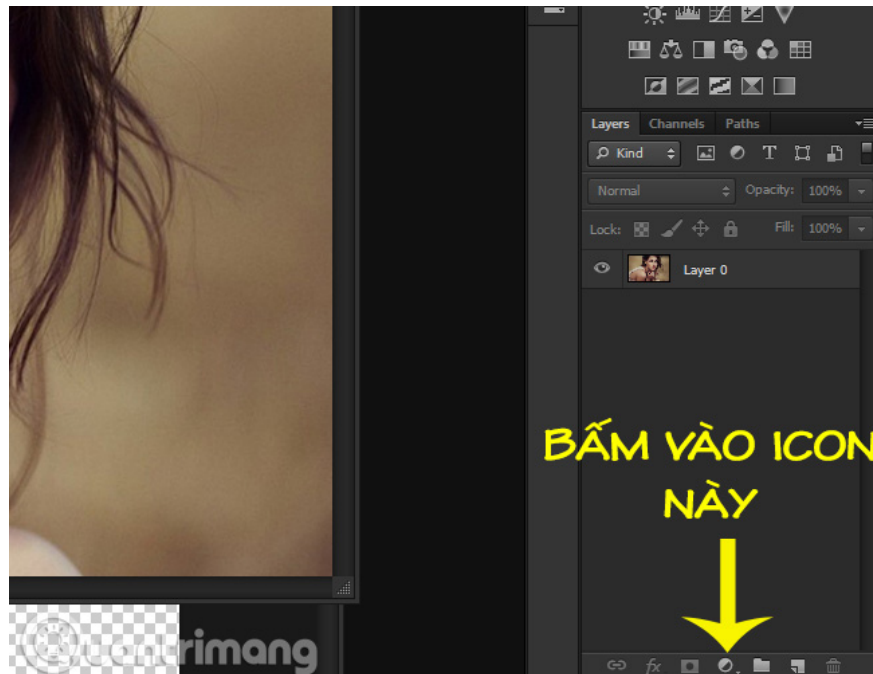
## Video tutorial to create zombie photos in Photoshop:

### Steps to create Zombie photos with Photoshop

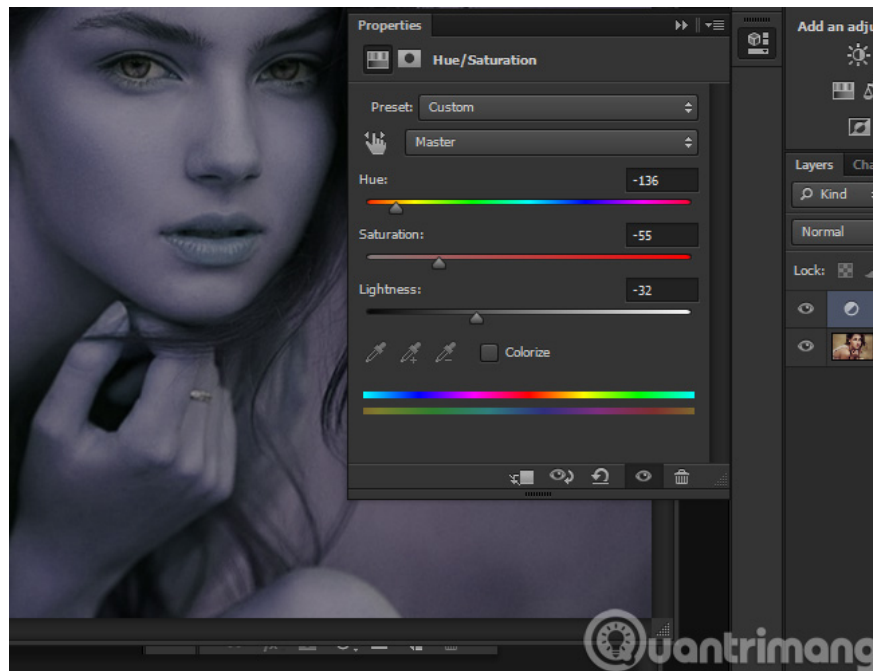
To do this, please preview the reference video above, which can easily capture the basic sequence steps, and the remaining process will be much simpler. This is a photo used in our sample test, you try to find a face portrait, the higher the resolution, the better:



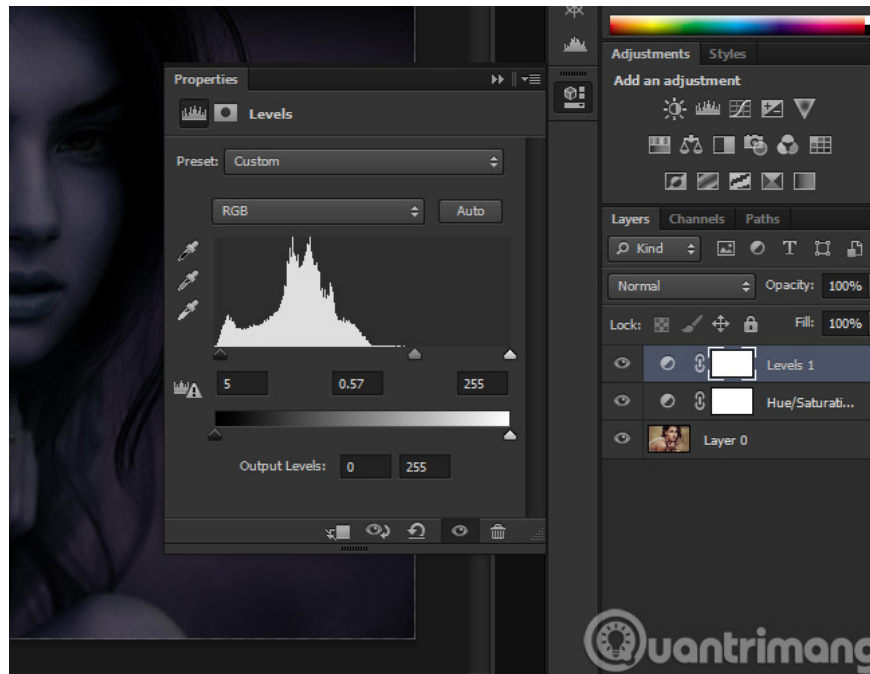
We will start with creating layers - the **Layer** adjusts the color specification of the image, including **Hue / Saturation and Levels**. Press **Ctrl + U** shortcut to display this function:



For example, adjust **Hue** parameters, **Saturation** and **Lightness** as shown



**Hue / Saturation** : change and adjust the specifications here to suit our purposes. Specifically here, try to turn the outer layer of skin color into a gray or pale green.



**Levels** : change the brightness of the image, and create a shadow effect through the face parts, namely the eyes and cheeks (done on the newly created Levels and Hue / Saturation) . Shortcut is **Ctrl + L**, guys.

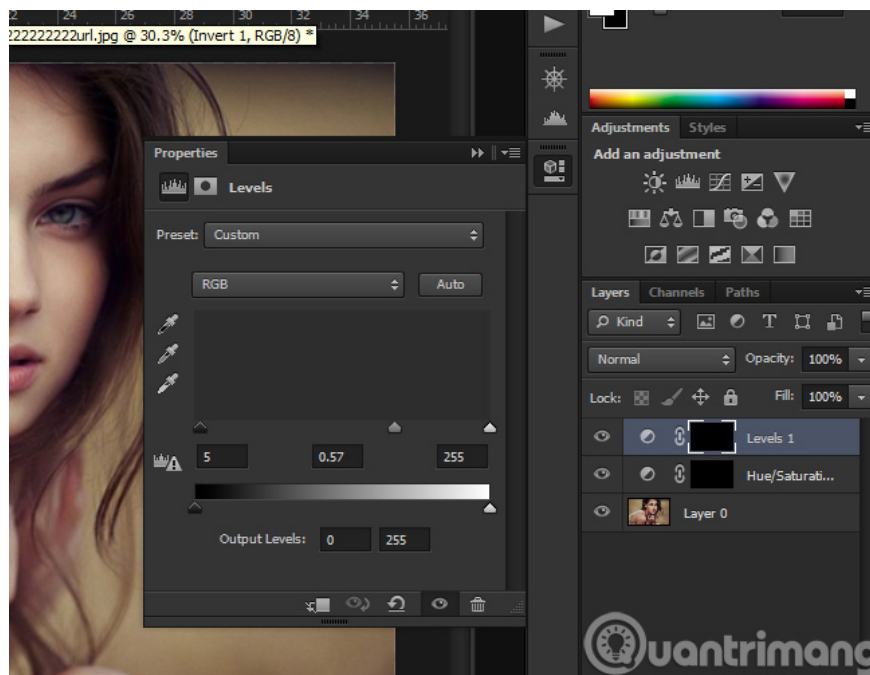
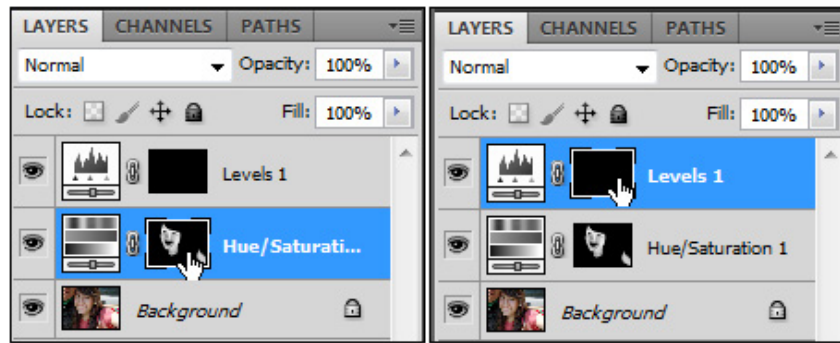


Photo after applying the **Invert** effect (shortcut **Ctrl + I** )

**Invert** : function to reverse the **Layer** , press the shortcut **Ctrl + I**. In the above video tutorial, we do it via **Image> Adjustments> Invert** menu .

The next step is to be very tired, everyone.**Brush Tool** : This tool will be used a lot here, mainly **Soft** mode with **Hardness** set to **0%**, **Size 70 px** as shown above. Use this function to fill in the parts displayed on the **Hue / Saturation Layer** (shown in the video). Here, I made a brush on all the skin on the face and arm:

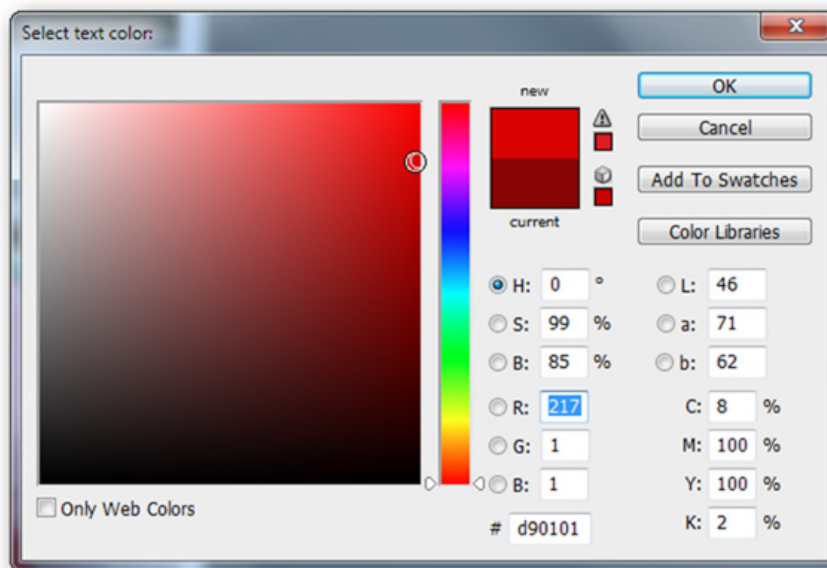


After 1 brush period:

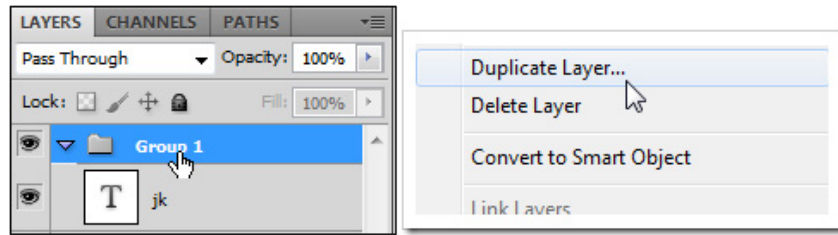
After completing the Brush section temporarily on the Hue / Saturation layer, continue to the Brush section on the Levels layer. This time, you move the brush around the entire facial contours (as in the example here, I brush around the forehead, eyes, nose, mouth, ears and hands):

Draw the main curves on the face with a low **Opacity brush** and **Soft Edges** mode . Draw more bone lines into the cheekbones to make the face thinner. Note that we perform all of the above operations with the **Brush** in **Opacity** mode from 10 - 15%. Use WC Rhesus A Bta font, dingbat pattern with unusual details to create a bleeding effect. Using the Text function, fill the bright red of blood to create an effect at this step:

Text tool: In our example, typing **jk** and font set will display the character as shown above.



**Color** : color the blood flowing from the face, usually red. You can choose freely, or in this test, code **d90101** . Then, merge all these **layers** into a single layer by pressing **Ctrl + G** , and finally using **Duplicate Layer** function :

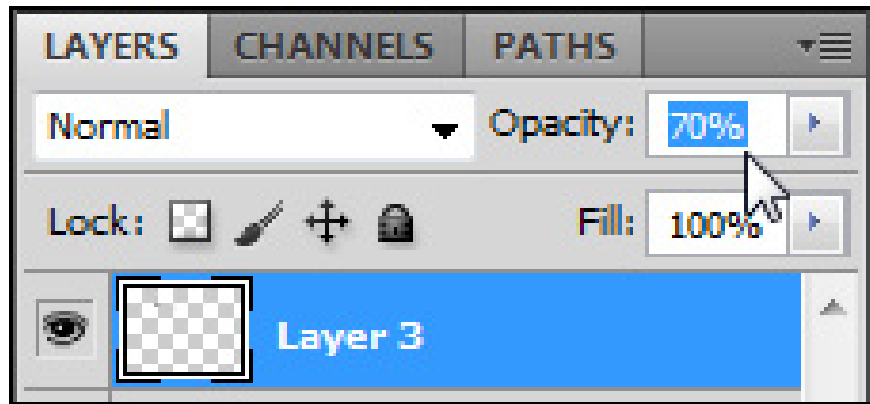


**Free Transform and Rotate:** press **Ctrl + T** to select the rotation mechanism, then go to **Edit> Transform> Rotate:**

Assign a texture sample to your system, created by member Kayli Harden on Flickr.

**Eyedropper** : select any point inside the eyes to fill in a new **layer** . Press **Ctrl + Shift + N** to create a new Layer, then press **I** to open the **Eyedropper** tool.

Create a new **Layer** by pressing **Ctrl + Shift + N** , and change the **Opacity** as shown below:



After that, change between the different modes of the **layer** to preview the effect, like the example above is **Normal** or **Multiply**.

*Good luck!*

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