## **RUTGERS FILMMAKING - CANON T3i DSLR CHEAT SHEET**





Image Stabilizer switch

Auto/Manual focus switch Flash button Microphone

- 1) Insert your SD card into slot on the left side of the camera.
- **2)** Change the [mode dial] to the **camera icon** button and press the [movie record] to activate movie shooting.
- 3) Press the [quick control] button to change the movie settings to 1920x1080 24fps and turn off Digital Zoom. Now change the Image Effects to Neutral.
- **4)** Remove the cap from the camera and lens by turning counter clockwise. Attach the lens by lining line the white dot on the lens with white dot on the lens mount then turn clockwise until you hear a click.
- **5)** Turn on **manual focus** with by turning the switch on the lens to [MF]. Turn the other swith to [ON] to **enable stabilization**.
- **6)** Turn the [main dail] until the **shutter speed** reads **50**. (1/50th)
- **7)** Press the [ISO] button and use the [main dail] to change ISO settings for best exposure. \*For low light, use higher ISO number. For brighter environments, such as outdoors, use a lower ISO number.
- **8)** Press the [AV] button while turning the [main dail] to change the lens f-stop for exposure & depth of field (DOF) control. \*The higher the number the smaller the aperature (more DOF), the lower the larger the aperature (less/shallow DOF).
- **9)** Use the dials on your lens to set the focal length and focus.
- **10)** Press the [camera icon] once to begin recording. Press again to stop recording.
- 11) Press the [playback] button the review your shots.



Depth-of-Field Preview button

Main dial

Lens-release button