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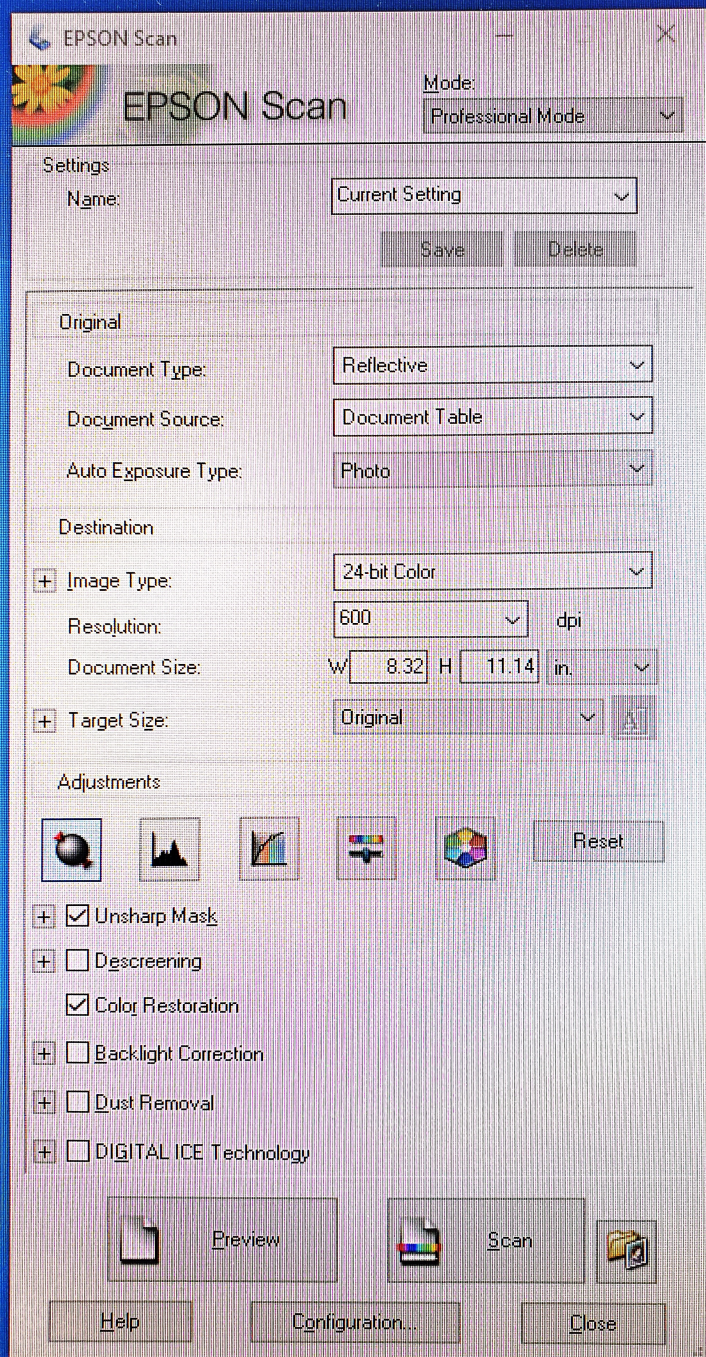ALEJANDRO GONZALEZ

DIGITAL ART LAB

Step 1. The Photograph

- Does it include information of note?
- How fast is it deteriorating?
- Is it already damaged?

Step 2. The Scanner

- Epson Perfection V600 Photo
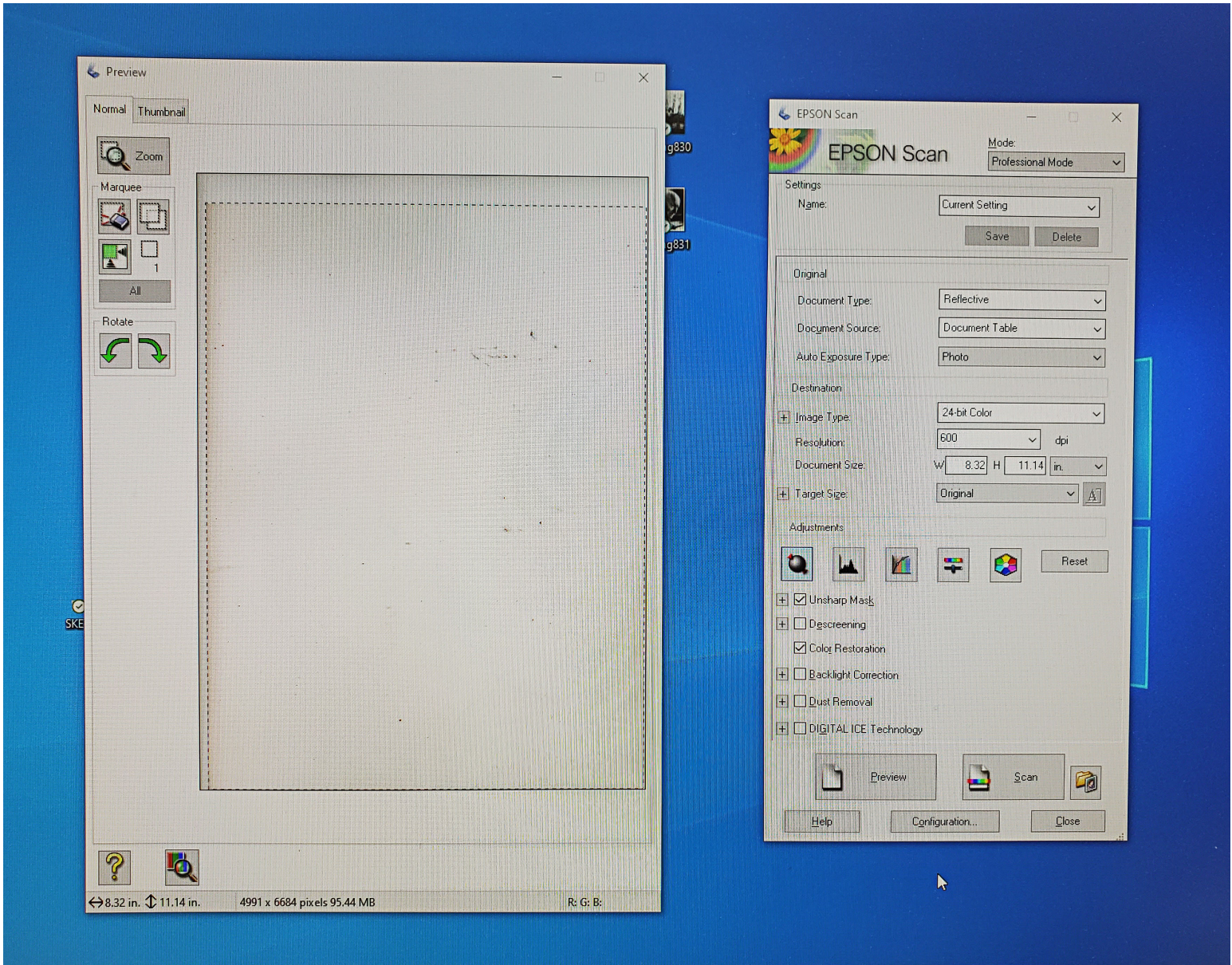
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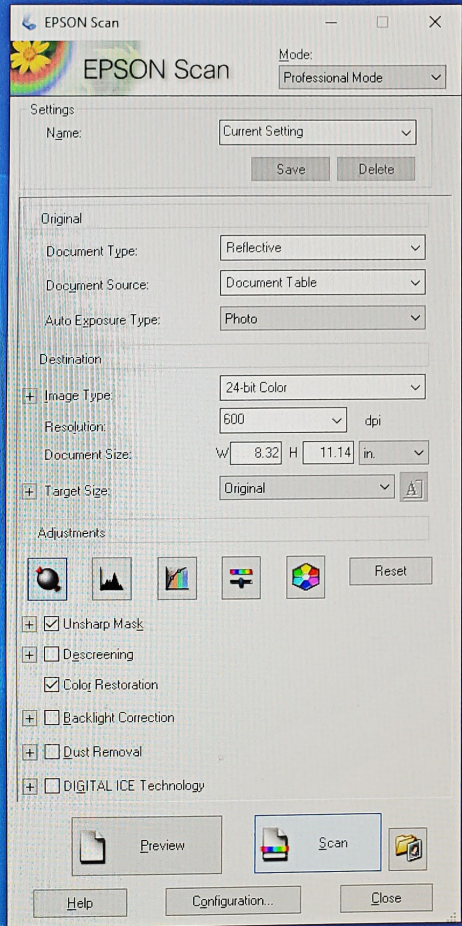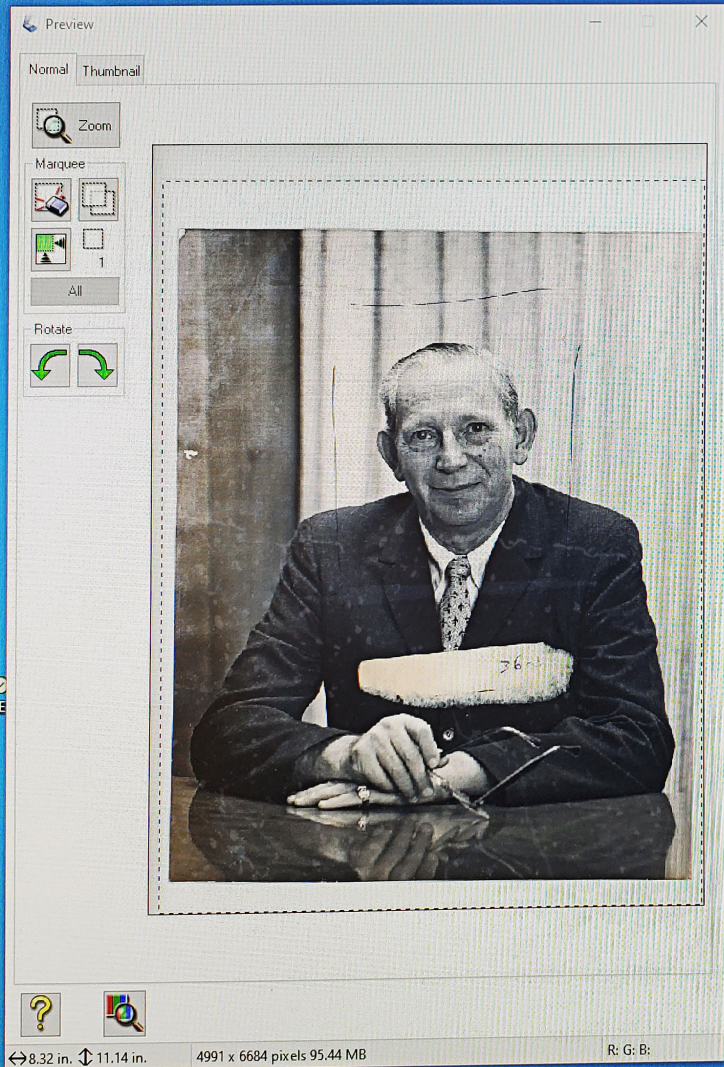 Color Restoration
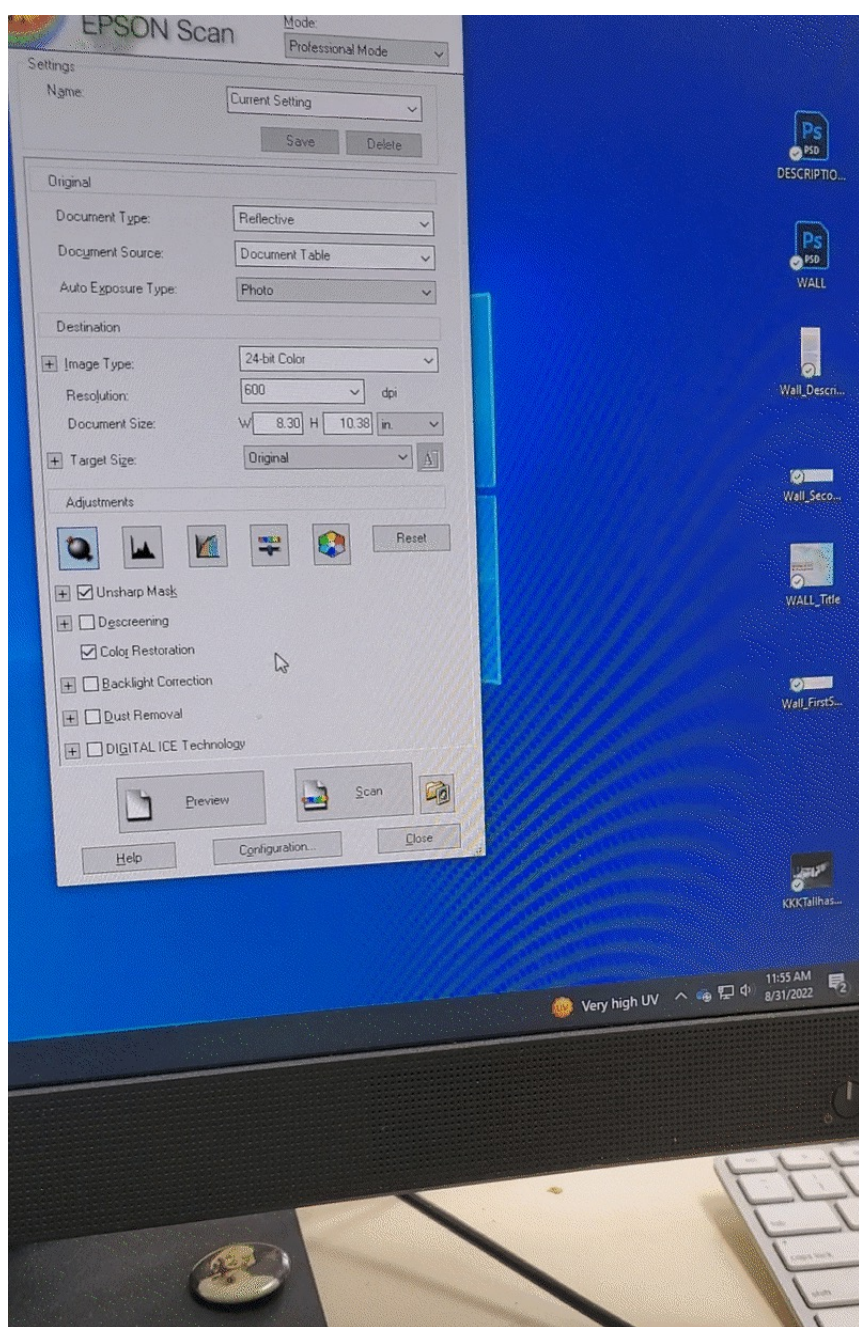 Dust Removal (Optional)

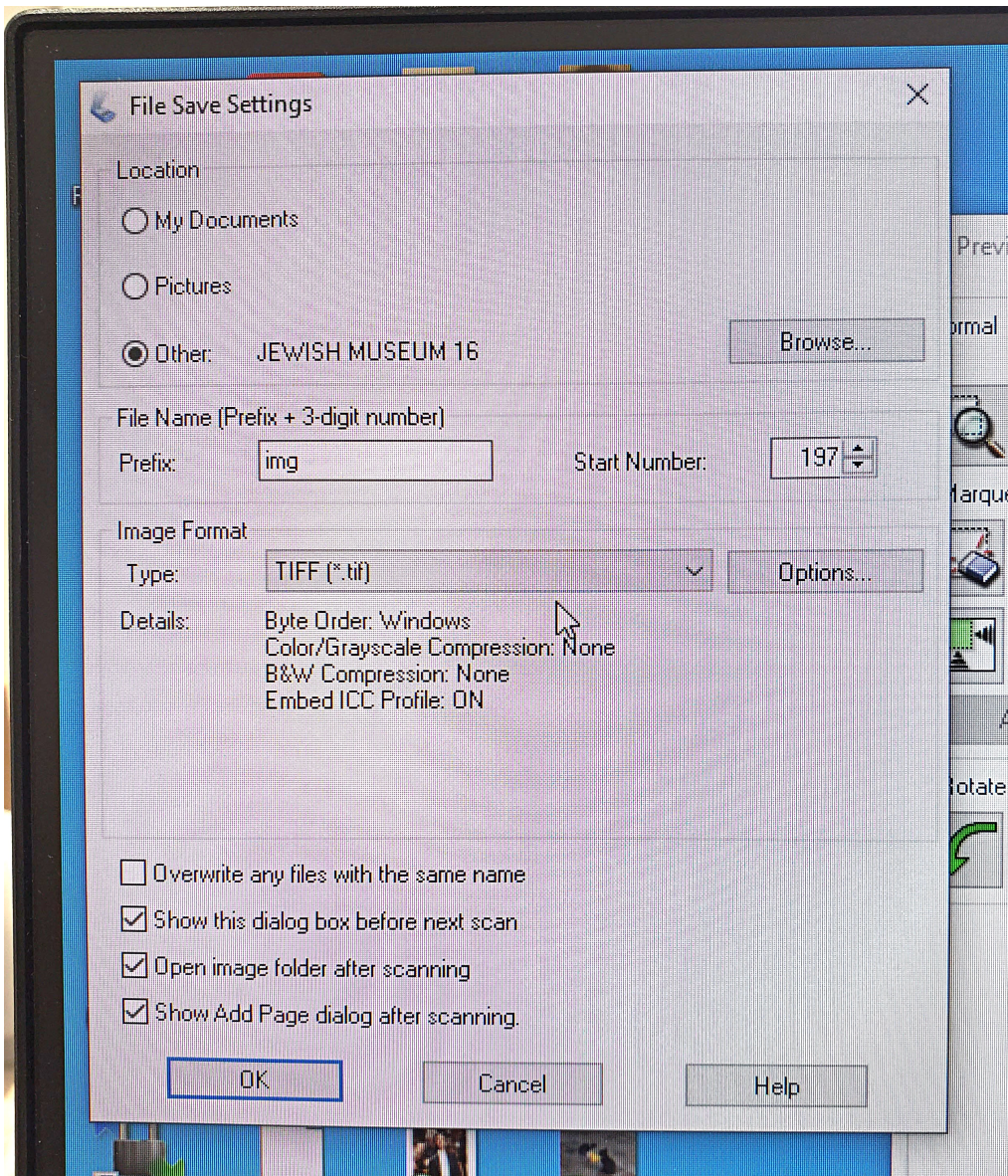# Step 3. The Scanning

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Post-Preview Screen

Click "Scan"

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- Select where the file will be sent to
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  TIFF in this case
  (Best for printing purposes)

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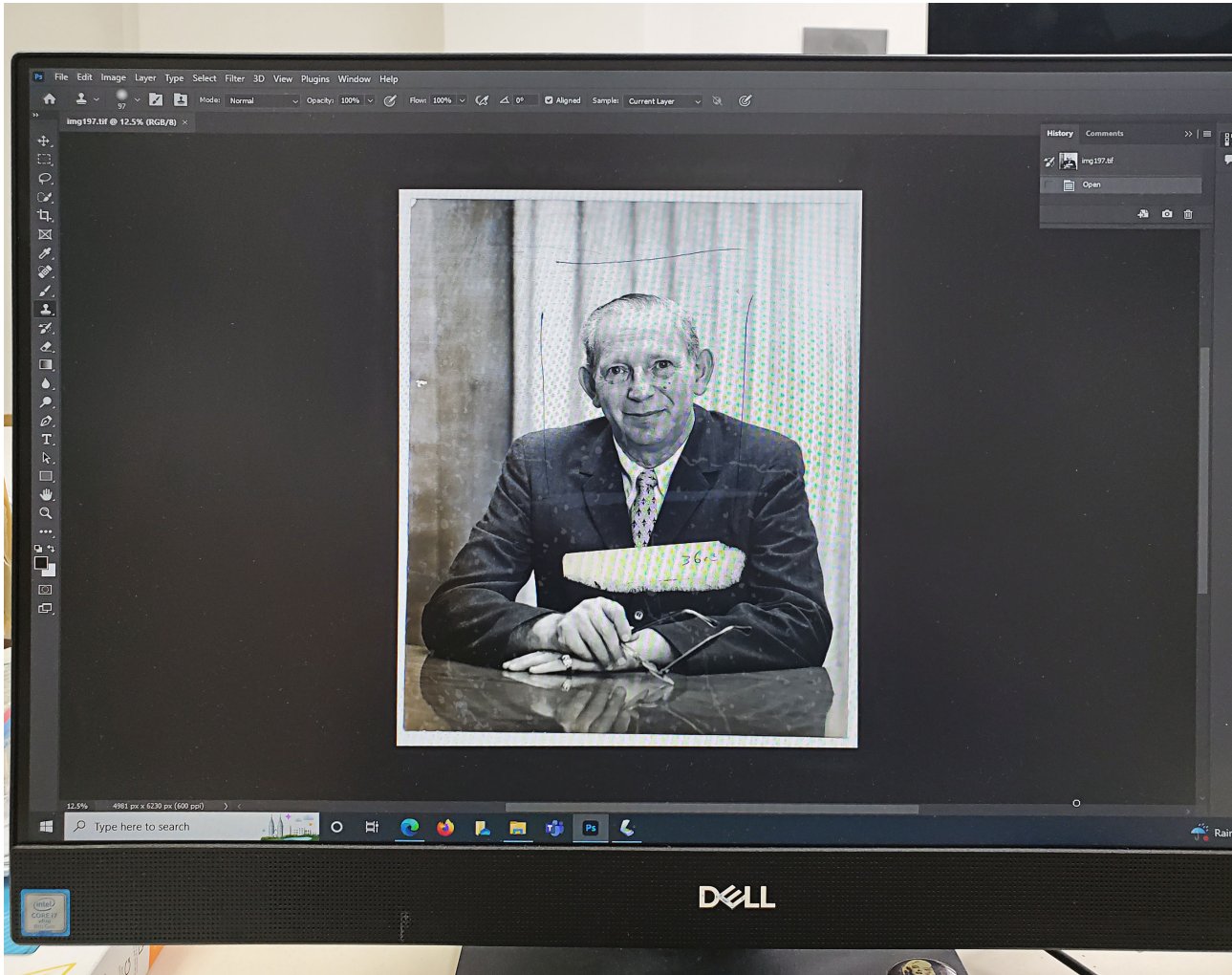MI1998-234.83 64

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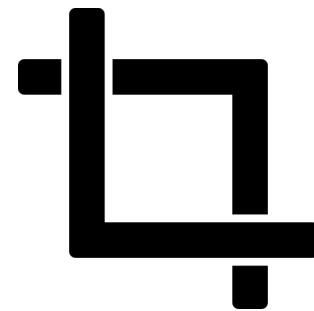Type here to search

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Step 4. Photoshop

- What does the photo need?

- Can it be done?

- Stains, Pen Lines, Scratches, and a piece of tape

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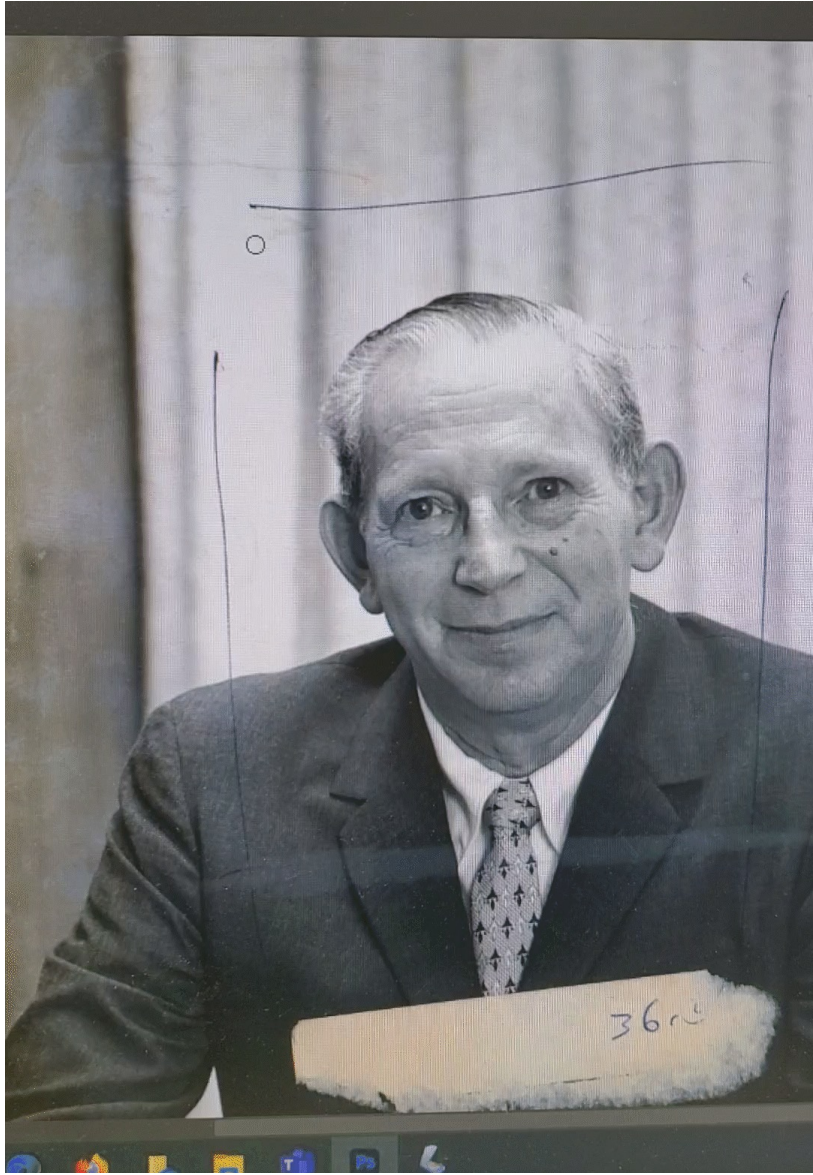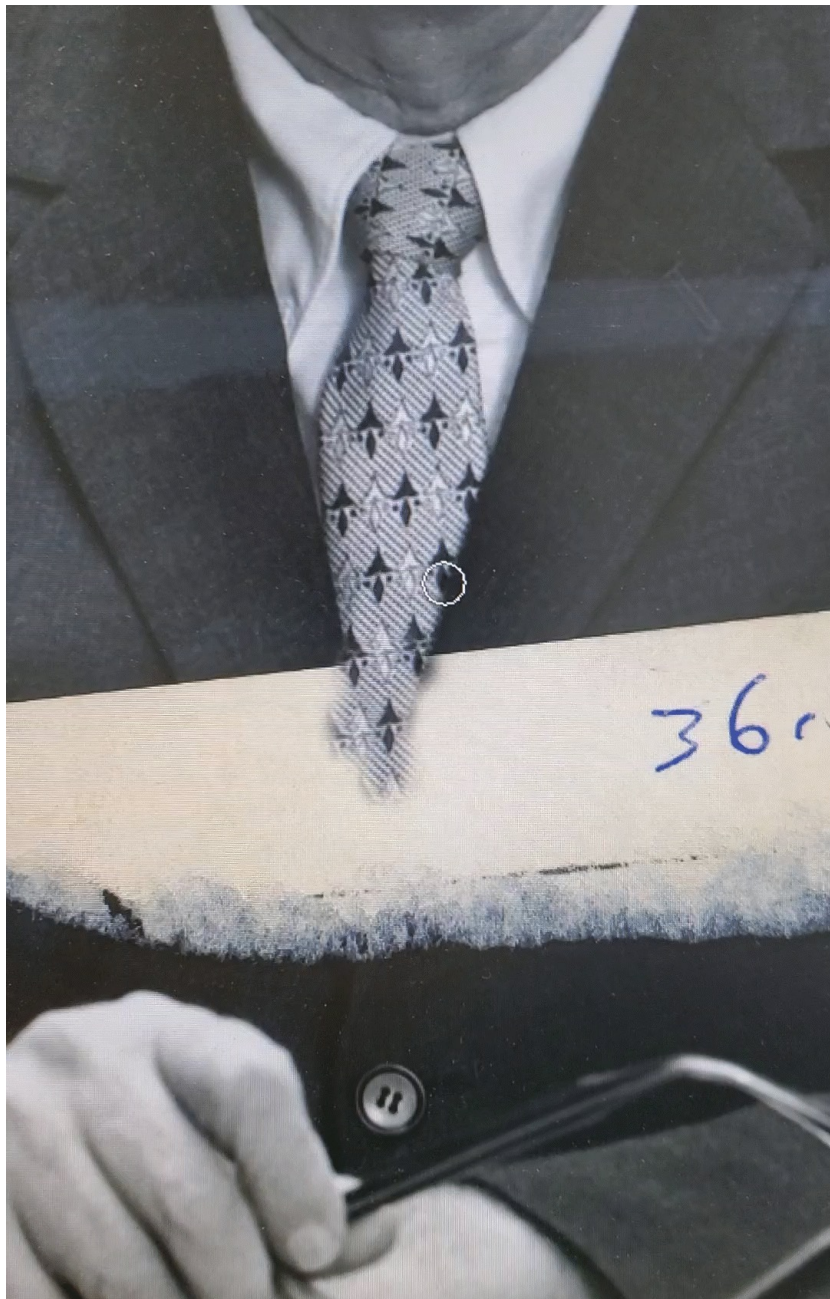
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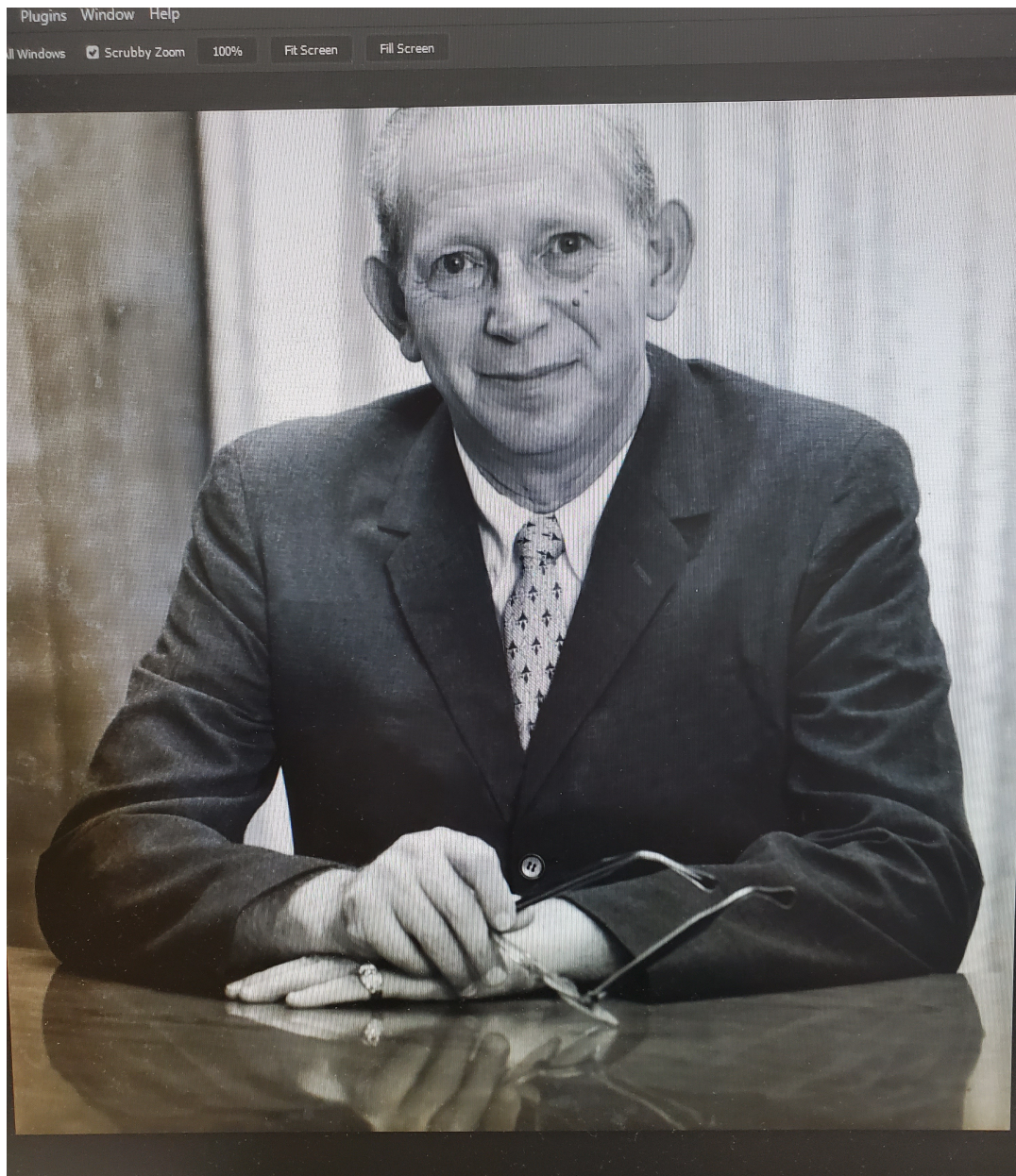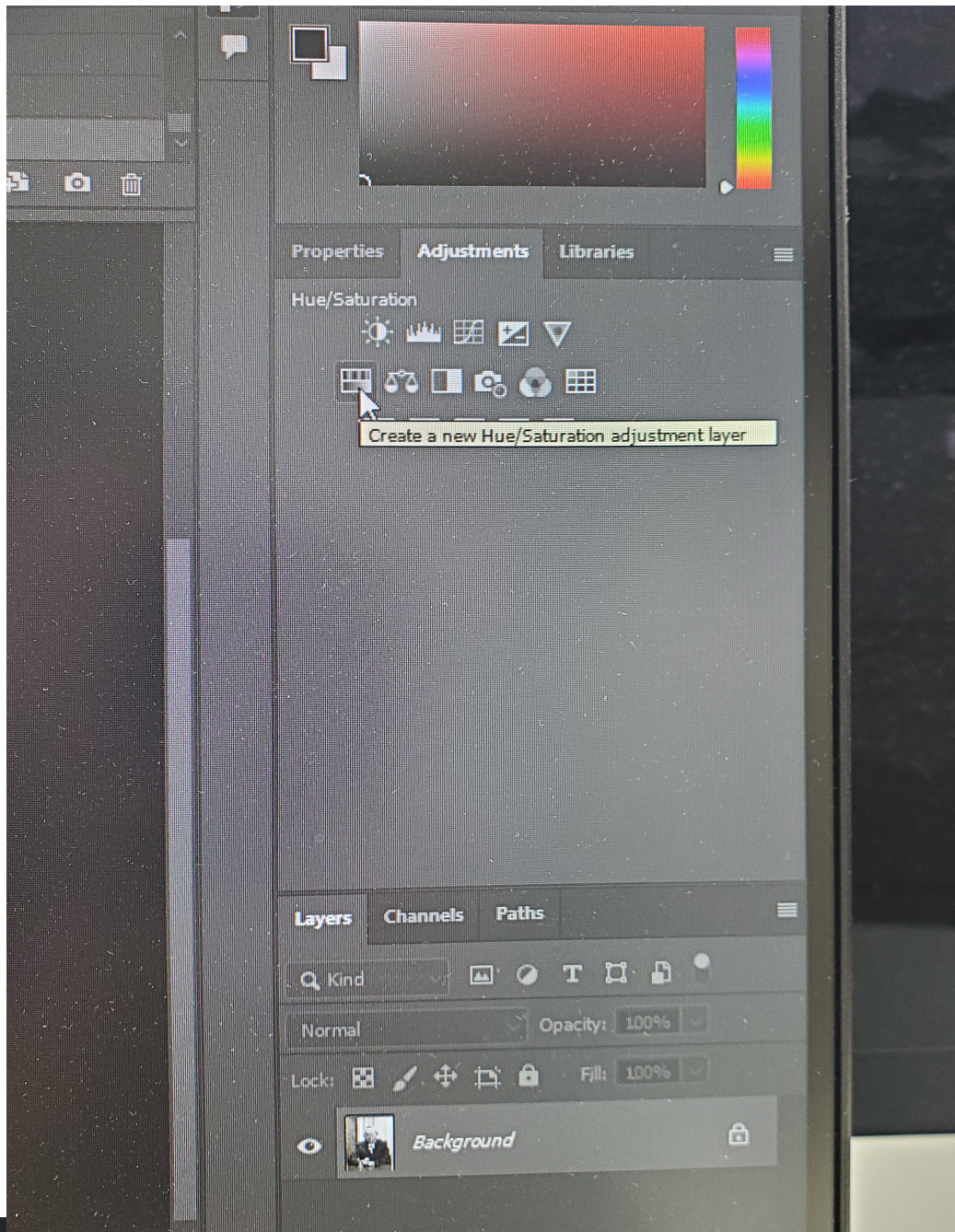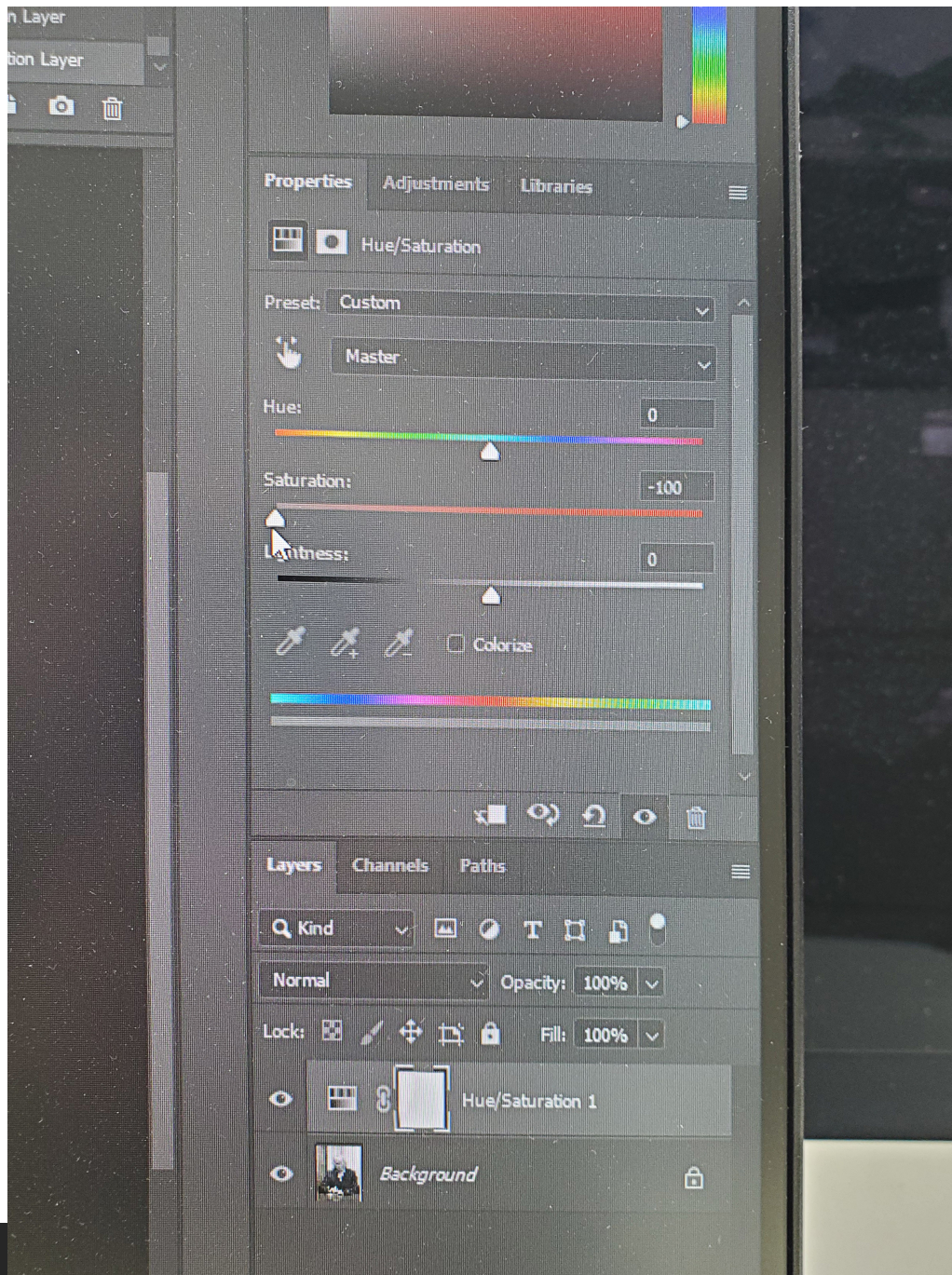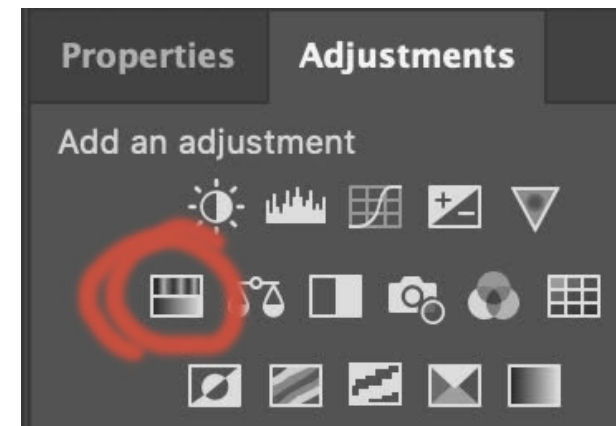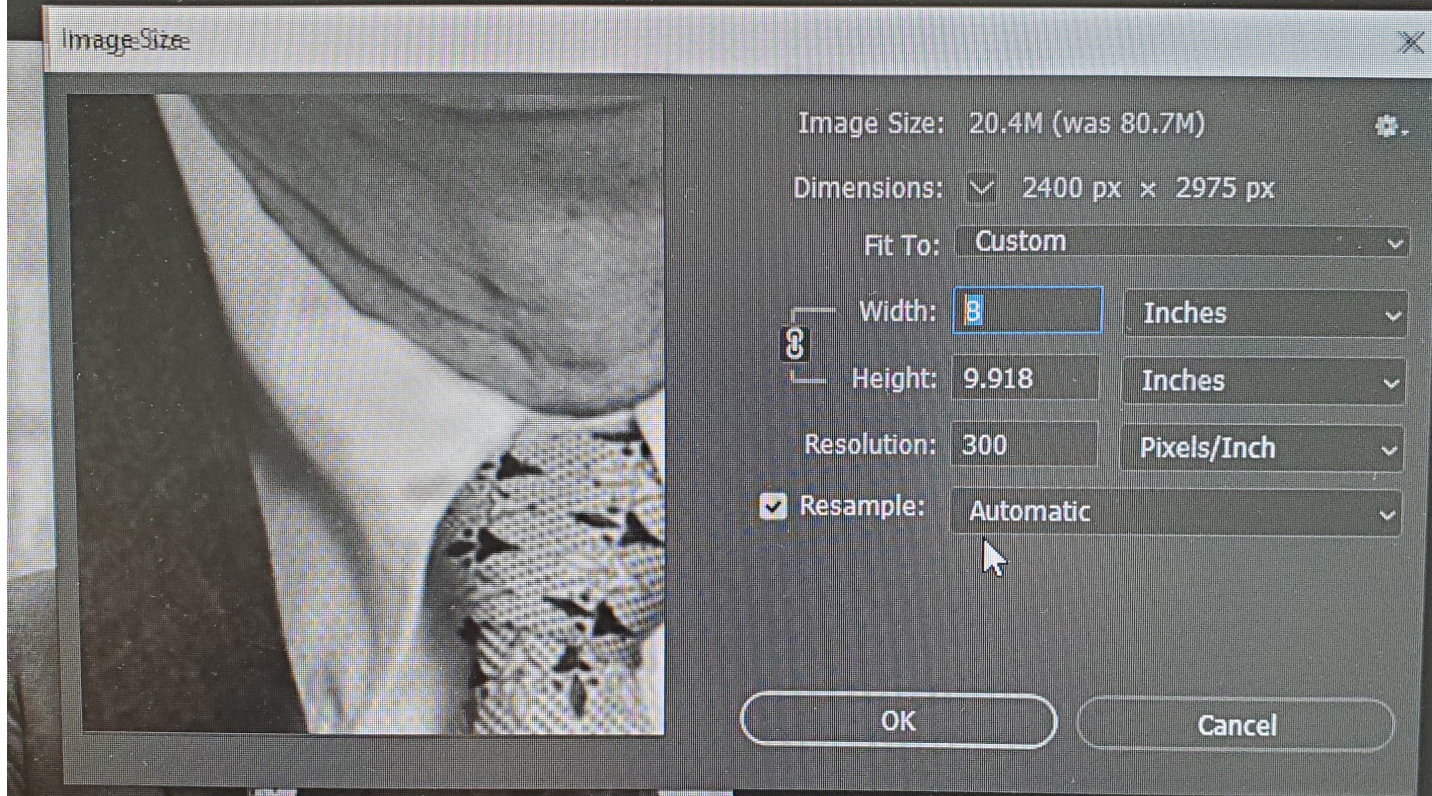
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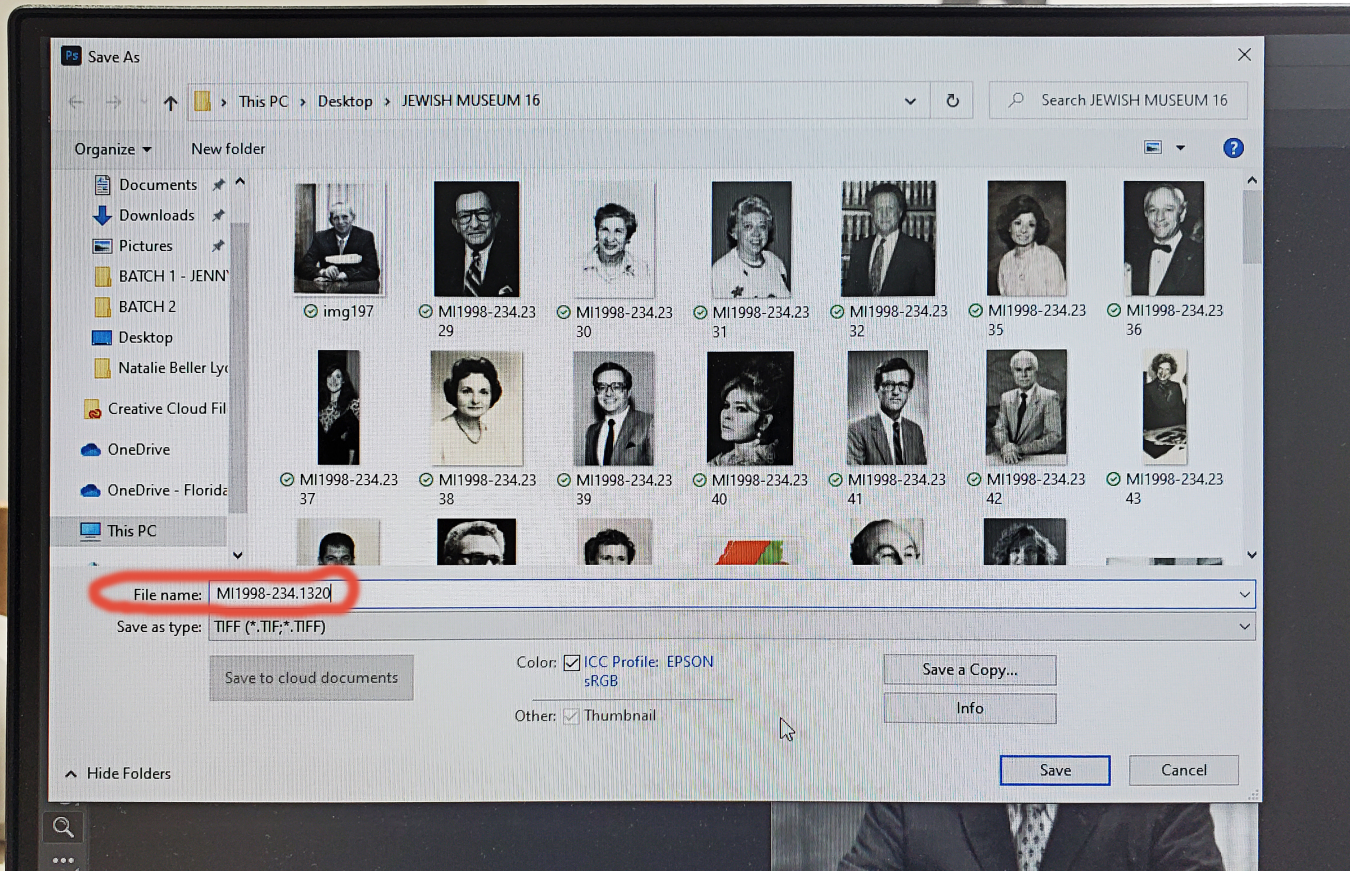Resize

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