

How to apply a CC licence on Flickr

In this document we describe how to select and apply the licensing options provided by Flickr for images uploaded to its service.

Creative Commons Licences on Flickr

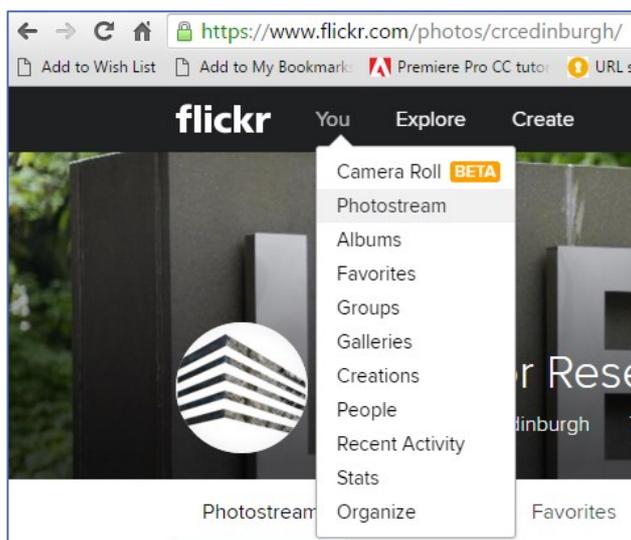
Flickr offers the full set of Creative Commons licences for users to select between and apply to images uploaded to the site.

You can explore Flickr by the Creative Commons licence applied to images on <https://www.flickr.com/creativecommons>.

Option A - Applying a Creative Commons Licence to an image already on Flickr

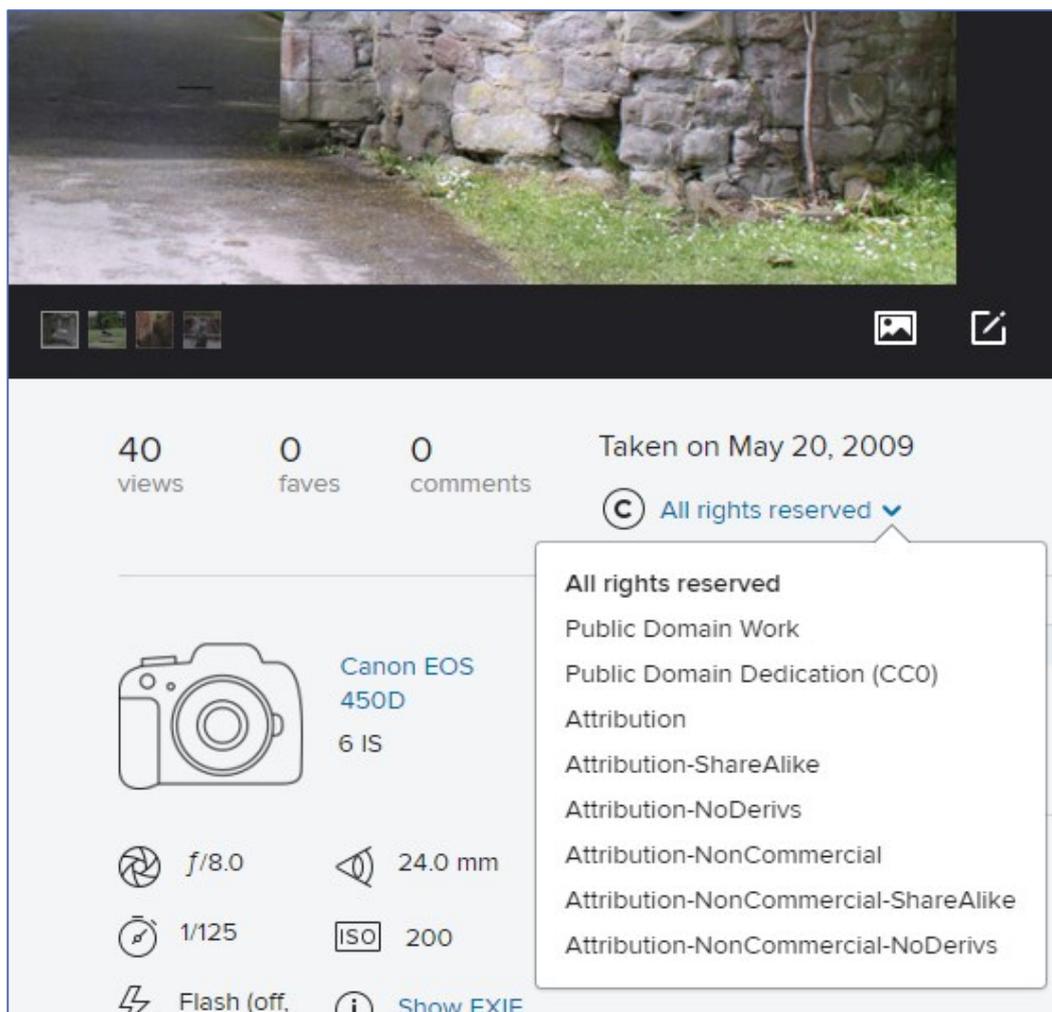
If you already have an image uploaded to Flickr you can go in and change or update the licence on it at any point.

- Go to Flickr.com and make sure you are logged in.
- Find the image you want to update. You can navigate to your images by clicking on 'You' at the top of the Flickr page and selecting to view your Photostream, Albums, etc.



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- Double click on the specific image you want to update. This will take you to the large view of the image and its details.
- To the bottom right of the image will be the date the image was uploaded and the current license details. Click on the blue arrow pointing down. This will display the CC licence options.



- Select the licence you want to apply to this image. We suggest the 'Attribution' licence. But select whichever licence will best work for your image.
- That's it, you're all done. The licence for this image will now have been updated.



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Option B - Applying a Licence when uploading an image to Flickr

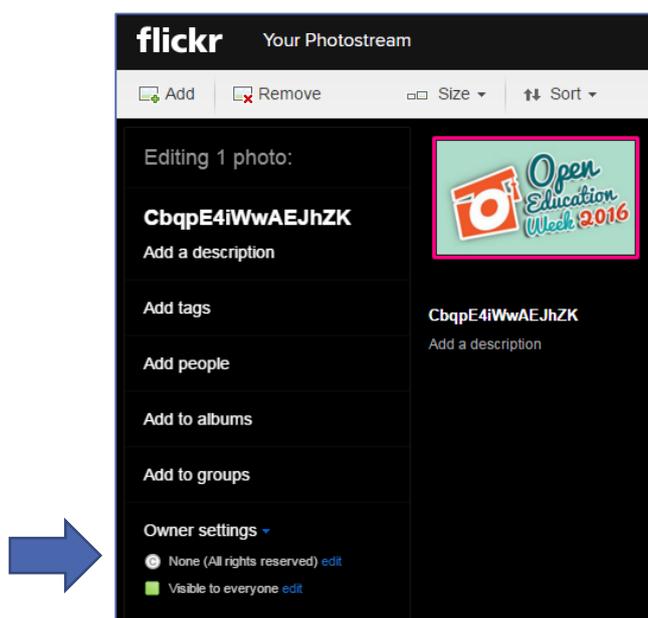
When uploading images to Flickr you can quickly assign a Creative Commons licence of your choice to each of your images.

To upload an image:

- Make sure you are logged in to Flickr.
- Click on the Cloud image with the arrow pointing up. This is the Upload button.

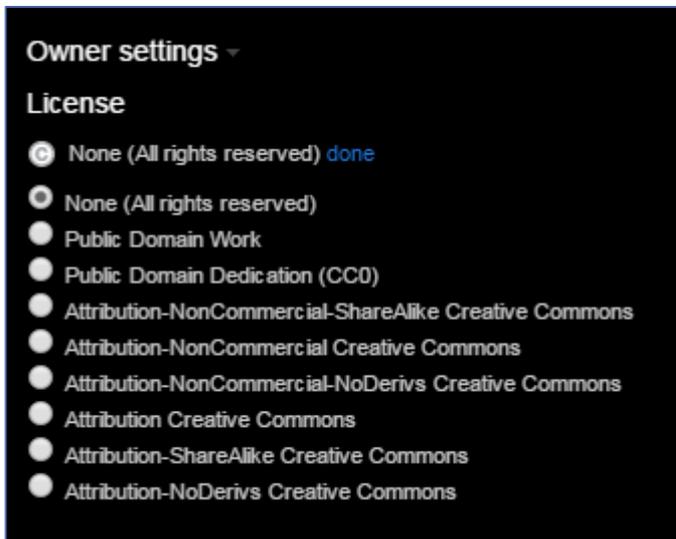


- Drag and drop or click on the 'Choose photos and videos' button to browse your files and select an image to upload.
- The image will upload and be displayed in an 'Editing' screen.
- To the left of this screen are a number of options to add information about your image. At the very bottom of these are the 'Owner settings'.



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- Under the Owner settings next to the Creative Commons symbol (likely set to 'None – All rights reserved') click on the blue 'edit' button. The full list of Creative Commons licence options will appear.



- Select the Creative Commons licence you would like to apply to your image. We recommend the 'Attribution Creative Commons' licence, but choose whichever licence will work best for your image.
- Click the blue 'done' text.
- Click on the blue 'Upload 1 photo' button at the top far right of the page.
- You have now uploaded your image and applied a Creative Commons licence.

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