Lightroom

Sharpening

- Go to Detail Panel

- If using Raw – need to zoom into 100%

- If viewing people – look at their eyes

- Sharpening is Contrast to the edges
  - Contrast Control – move to 70-80
  - Radius – move to 1.3 and leave
  - Detail – finds more things to sharpen
  - Masking – hides sharpening from all the black areas
    - Press ALT Key
    - Will show a White Screen
    - Can move the bar
      - As it increases, it hides the sharpening or hides the black areas, but keeps the sharpening on the white areas

- If you only want to sharpen a small portion of the photo
  - Get the Adjustment Bush – on Detail Panel
    - Last icon on the right
    - Double click on the icon and another panel will appear
    - Then with the brush, go to the specific area you want to sharpen more and sharpen

- Sharpening for Printing
  - From the Print Panel (right)
    - Turn off Sharpening for Print
    - Sharpen for Computer (web)
    - Then go to Snapshot (Left Panel)
      - Click to Create
      - Call it Web
    - Then go back to Develop Panel
      - Turn on Sharpening
      - Go back to Snapshot
        - Create New
        - Save to Print