

## Project #3: Inspired by... - Description

**Critique Date - 11/7/17 (Tue)**

"The world is filled to suffocating. Man has placed his token on every stone. Every word, every image, is leased and mortgaged. We know that a picture is but a space in which a variety of images, none of them original, blend and clash."

– Sherrie Levine

### **Conceptual Requirements:**

In this project, you will do your best to interpret the style of a particular photographer who interests you. You will research them as well as their work in order to make photographs that have a signature aesthetic or approach that is specific to them, and also contribute your ideas.

### **Technical Requirements:**

1. Start with the list on the back of this page (the Project Description sheet), and start web searches for these photographers. All the ones listed are masters in their own right and a good starting point for you to begin your search. **Select one and confirm your choice with me by the due date (see the syllabus).**
2. After choosing a photographer, go on the web and to the library to check out books on them, read interviews, and look at every image you can that is made by them. **Learn as much as you can and take notes on your sources.**
3. **Type your name, date, and "Project 3: Inspired by..." at the top of a Letter sized page.** Then write a 2 page research paper on your chosen photographer. Be sure to include information such as **where and when they were born, where it is that they did their work**, what kind of **camera and film formats** they used, their own **personal history**, etc. Also talk about the **relevance of their work in the sphere of photography** as well as **formal and technical strategies** they employed when making their images. Most importantly, speak about **why you are drawn to the artist** and what it is about these pictures that really excites you. Also include at least two **samples of their work** especially since you will refer to them in your paper. Please be specific, and **cite your sources.**
4. During the weeks of shooting, photograph in the style of your chosen artist. Be sure you stay on pace with shooting 100 RAW photos per week and print your contact sheets each week. **Shoot this project entirely as RAW Files and process the images in color. The approach to printing should consider your artist's methods and ideas.**
5. On critique day, **present your final prints along with a 4-up printed sample of your photographer's work, and all your contact sheets.** Also **bring a book or other published material** for the body of work you are focusing on. Be ready to discuss your photographer and their life in detail as well as their work as it relates to yours.

<b>Deliverables leading up to Critique #3 (See syllabus for pacing and due dates)</b>	<b>Possible</b>
Research Paper on your chosen photographer (see step #3)	9
Contact sheets for all photographs shot.	8
300 RAW Photographs	3
8 Excellent Color Prints on the critique day.	8
Project Quality & Presentation (including 4up sample & book)	4
<b>Total Score for Deliverables</b>	<b>32</b>

### **Course Attendance Policy (as per syllabus):**

<b>TARDIES, etc.</b>	<b>COUNT AS:</b>
1 Tardy	½ of an Absence
1 Early Class Departure	½ of an Absence
Coming to Class Unprepared	½ of an Absence

<b>ABSENCES</b>	<b>COUNT AS:</b>
1 Absence	Course Grade not affected
2 Absences *	Course Grade is no greater than B+
3 Absences *	Automatic F (Course Failure)

## A few Photographers to choose from:

Berenice Abbott	Linda Connor	Lauren Greenfield	Sze Tsung Leong
Ansel Adams	Diane Cook	Timothy Greenfield-	Laura Letinsky
Robert Adams	John Coplans	Sanders	David Levinthal
Shelby Lee Adams	Sharon Core	Cynthia Greig	Helen Levitt
AES+F	Gregory Crewdson	Jan Groover	O. Winston Link
Manuel Alvarez Bravo	Rebecca Cummins	Alexander Gronsky	Sharon Lockhart
Nobuyoshi Araki	Bill Cunningham	Andreas Gursky	Jessamyn Lovell
Diane Arbus	Imogen Cunningham	Beate Gutshow	Danny Lyon
David Armstrong	Edward S. Curtis	Gregory Halpern	Vera Lutter
Eugene Atget	Louis Daguerre	Philippe Halsman	Joshua Lutz
Richard Avedon	Binh Danh	Jitka Hanslova	Loretta Lux
Jessica Backhaus	Bruce Davidson	Chauncey Hare	Sally Mann
Edouard Baldus	Jen Davis	Naoya Hatekeyama	Vivian Maier
Roger Ballen	Tim Davis	Robert Heinecken	David Maisel
Lewis Baltz	Joe Deal	Keld Helmer-Petersen	Constantine Manos
Olivio Barbieri	Cedric Delsaux	Todd Hido	Robert Mapplethorpe
Richard Barnes	Thomas Demand	David Octavius Hill	Malerie Marder
Tina Barney	Susan Derges	David Hilliard	Étienne-Jules Marey
Uta Barth	Phillip-Lorca diCorcia	Lewis Hine	Mary Ellen Mark
Adam Bartos	Robert Doisneau	Hannah Höch	Sarah Martin
Lillian Bassman	Rineke Dijkstra	David Hockney	Rania Matar
Dawoud Bey	Mike Disfarmer	Candida Hofer	Martin & Muñoz
Bernd and Hilla Becher	John Divola	Roni Horn	Don McCullen
E.J. Bellocq	Anita Douthat	Henry Hornstein	Steve McCurry
Richard Benson	Doug DuBois	David Hughes	Ryan McGinley
Paul Berger	Harold Edgerton	Pieter Hugo	Laura McPhee
Robert Bergman	William Eggleston	Yasuhiro Ishimoto	Ralph Eugene Meatyard
Zeke Berman	Dan Eldon	Kenro Izu	Susan Meiselas
Peter Bialobrzeski	Mitch Epstein	Magdalena Jetalova	Joel Meyerowitz
Richard Billingham	Elliot Erwitt	Len Jenschel	Duane Michals
Julie Blackmon	Roe Ethridge	Stella Johnson	Lee Miller
Karl Blossfeldt	Walker Evans	Yeondoo Jung	Arno Rafael Minkkinen
Barbara Bosworth	Bernard Faucon	Nadav Kander	Richard Misrach
Margaret Bourke-White	Roger Fenton	Gertrude Käsebier	Lisette Model
Matthew Brady	Larry Fink	Rinko Kawauchi	Andrea Modica
Bill Brandt	Robert Flick	Michael Kenna	Tina Modotti
Brassai	Joan Fontcuberta	György Kepes	Laszlo Moholy-Nagy
Joachim Brohm	Fran Forman	Andre Kertesz	Julie Monaco
Bill Burke	Robert Frank	Chris Killip	Sarah Moon
Edward Burtynsky	Lee Friedlander	William Klein	Abelardo Morell
Andrew Bush	Glen E. Friedman	Mark Klett	Daido Moriyama
Harry Callahan	Jason Fulford	Josef Koudelka	Vik Muniz
Sophie Calle	Hamish Fulton	Antonin Kratochvil	Eadweard Muybridge
Julia Margaret Cameron	Paul Fusco	Shai Kremer	Nadar
Henri Cartier-Bresson	Adam Fuss	Mona Kuhn	Laurel Nakadate
Elinor Carucci	Alexander Gardner	Ellen Kuras	James Nachtwey
James Casebere	Anna Gaskell	Justine Kurland	Shirin Neshat
Pelle Cass	Ralph Gibson	David LaChapelle	Helmut Newton
Robert Capa	Frank Gohlke	Dorthea Lange	Lori Nix
Paul Cava	Anthony Goicolea	Jacques Henri Lartigue	Nicholas Nixon
Catherine Chalmers	David Goldblatt	An-My Le	Simon Norfolk
Chan Chao	Jim Goldberg	Daniel Lee	Rebecca Norris Webb
William Christenberry	Nan Goldin	Nikki S. Lee	Catherine Opie
Larry Clark	Carol Golemboski	Russel Lee	Gabriel Orozco
Chuck Close	John Gossage	John Lehr	Timothy O'Sullivan
Alvin Langdon Coburn	Emmet Gowin	Gustave Le Gray	Bill Owens
Mark Cohen	Bryan Graf	Annie Leibovits	Sarah Palmer
Kelli Connell	Paul Graham	Saul Leiter	Trevor Paglen
Lois Conner	Katy Granan	Michael Light	Tod Papageorge

## A few Photographers to choose from (continued):

Henry Peach-Robinson	Laurie Simmons	Helen Van Meene	Shen Wei
Parke & Harrison	Lorna Simpson	Massimo Vitali	James Welling
Gordon Parks	Sandy Skogland	Jeff Wall	Henry Wessel
Martin Parr	Taryn Simon	Catherine Wagner	Edward Weston
Irving Penn	Aaron Siskind	Hiroshi Watanabe	Minor White
Jack Pierson	W. Eugene Smith	Gillian Wearing	Garry Winogrand
Matthew Pillsbury	Sage Sohier	Alex Webb	Joel-Peter Witkin
John Pfahl	Frederick Sommer	Weegee	Francesca Woodman
Laura Plagueman	Alec Soth	Carrie Mae Weems	Erwin Wurm
Richard Prince	Jem Southam	Shen Wei	Jonathan Torgovnik
Man Ray	Doug and Mike Starn	James Welling	Larry Towell
Richard Renaldi	Edward Steichen	Henry Wessel	Jerry Uelsmann
Eugene Richards	Amy Stein	Edward Weston	Penelope Umbrico
Doug Rickard	Joel Sternfeld	Minor White	Helen Van Meene
Aleksander Rodchenko	Alfred Stieglitz	Garry Winogrand	Massimo Vitali
Thomas Roma	Paul Strand	Joel-Peter Witkin	Jeff Wall
Judith Joy Ross	Thomas Struth	Francesca Woodman	Catherine Wagner
Ed Ruscha	Jock Sturges	Erwin Wurm Jonathan	Hiroshi Watanabe
Thomas Ruff	Josef Sudek	Torgovnik	Gillian Wearing
Sebastian Salgado	Larry Sultan	Larry Towell	Alex Webb
Lucas Samaras	Hiroshi Sugimoto	Jerry Uelsmann	Weegee
August Sander	Henry Fox Talbot	Penelope Umbrico	Carrie Mae Weems
Alessandra Sanguinetti	Maggie Taylor	Helen Van Meene	Shen Wei
John Schott	Juergen Teller	Massimo Vitali	James Welling
Bryan Schutmaat	Joyce Tenneson	Jeff Wall	Henry Wessel
Paul Shambroom	Guy Tillim	Catherine Wagner	Edward Weston
Stephen Shames	Wolfgang Tillmans	Hiroshi Watanabe	Minor White
Charles Sheeler	Jonathan Torgovnik	Gillian Wearing	Garry Winogrand
Cindy Sherman	Larry Towell	Alex Webb	Joel-Peter Witkin
Collier Shorr	Jerry Uelsmann	Weegee	Francesca Woodman
Stephen Shore	Penelope Umbrico	Carrie Mae Weems	Erwin Wurm