

## Project #3: Inspired by...

"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'll do some research on them as well as their work in order to make photographs that have a signature look, mood that is specific to them, and also contribute your ideas.

### Guidelines:

1. Start with the list on the back of this page, 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. If you choose someone not on the list, email me confirm your choice.
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.
3. Write a 2 page research paper on your chosen photographer. Be sure to include basic information such as when and where 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. Be sure you can 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. It is important that you speak about why you are drawn to the artist and what it is about these pictures that really excite you. Also include one or two samples of their work especially if you refer to them in your paper. Please be as specific, and **cite your sources**.
4. Now prepare everything you'll need to make photographs in the style of your chosen artist. **Shoot this project entirely as RAW Files.** Be sure you stay on pace with shooting 100 RAW photos per week and print your contact sheets each week.
5. On critique day, present your final prints along with printed samples of your photographer's work, and all your contact sheets. Be ready to discuss your photographer in detail and speak about their work as it relates to you and your process.

### Technical Requirements:

Type your name, date, and "Project 3: Inspired by..." at the top of a Letter sized page. Write research paper on two pages and discuss the points mentioned above in step #3.

Over the course of this project you will shoot 100 RAW files each week, then make digital contact sheets for all. You will then select your best shots and scan the film in order to make 8 final digital prints in color. Do not manipulate the image other than with color/tonal corrections retouching and sharpness.

### Deliverables:

- Research paper on your photographer.
- A minimum of 100 RAW photographs & contact scan sheets per week.
- 8 high-quality Final prints from your scanned negatives, to be presented in class on critique day
- See the syllabus for pacing and due dates

## 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

Henry Peach-Robinson  
Parke & Harrison  
Gordon Parks  
Martin Parr  
Irving Penn  
Jack Pierson  
Matthew Pillsbury  
John Pfahl  
Laura Plagueman  
Richard Prince  
Man Ray  
Richard Renaldi  
Eugene Richards  
Doug Rickard  
Aleksander Rodchenko  
Thomas Roma  
Judith Joy Ross  
Ed Ruscha  
Thomas Ruff  
Sebastian Salgado  
Lucas Samaras  
August Sander  
Alessandra Sanguinetti  
John Schott  
Bryan Schutmaat  
Paul Shambroom  
Stephen Shames  
Charles Sheeler  
Cindy Sherman  
Collier Shorr  
Stephen Shore  
Laurie Simmons  
Lorna Simpson  
Sandy Skogland  
Taryn Simon  
Aaron Siskind  
W. Eugene Smith  
Sage Sohler  
Frederick Sommer  
Alec Soth  
Jem Southam  
Doug and Mike Starn  
Edward Steichen  
Amy Stein  
Joel Sternfeld  
Alfred Stieglitz  
Paul Strand  
Thomas Struth  
Jock Sturges  
Josef Sudek  
Larry Sultan  
Hiroshi Sugimoto  
Henry Fox Talbot  
Maggie Taylor  
Juergen Teller  
Joyce Tenneson  
Guy Tillim  
Wolfgang Tillmans  
Jonathan Torgovnik  
Larry Towell

Jerry Uelsmann  
Penelope Umbrico  
Helen Van Meene  
Massimo Vitali  
Jeff Wall  
Catherine Wagner  
Hiroshi Watanabe  
Gillian Wearing  
Alex Webb  
Weegee  
Carrie Mae Weems  
Shen Wei  
James Welling  
Henry Wessel  
Edward Weston  
Minor White  
Garry Winogrand  
Joel-Peter Witkin  
Francesca Woodman  
Erwin Wurm