Richard Kolker

Born 1969, United Kingdom. Currently lives and works in London.

Graduated with an MA Photography (Distinction) from the London College of Communication, University of the Arts London in July 2009, and won the Photofusion Award at his final show.

Was selected by the Musee de l'Elysee, Lausanne for reGeneration2: Tomorrow's Photographers Today. The accompanying Thames and Hudson book was launched in June 2010 and the associated exhibition is currently touring Europe, South Africa, the Far East and North America.

Selected for "Voies Off" in Arles 2009 and is a member of the Latitude Photographers collective and has exhibited widely.

He also teaches on the BA (Hons) Digital Animation and Interactive Design course at Bucks New University, High Wycombe, UK, and A level photography at Mander, Portman, Woodward in London.

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RECENT AND FORTHCOMING EXHIBITIONS:

2011

30th January - 17th March "reGeneration2" Preus Nuseum Horten Norway

20th January - 17th March "reGeneration2" Aperture Foundation Gallery New York

January – February "Facing Forward" Forward Thinking Museum, curated by William E. Ewing and Nathalie Herschdorfer

4th March – 3rd April, "Right Here, Right Now, Exposures from the Public Realm" Format11, Int'l Photography Festival, Derby

6th April - 22nd May "reGeneration2" Galerie Azzedine Alaia, Paris

23rd April - 1st May "reGeneration2" Caochangdi Photospring Festival, Beijing

1st May - 12th June "reGeneration2" Rencontres Internationales de la Photo, Fez

7th July - 25th September "reGeneration2" Ludwig Museum - Museum of Contemporary Art Budapest

2010

6th November - 10th January "reGeneration2" Galleria Carla Sozzani Milan Italy

11th November - 18th December "reGeneration2" Centre Gallery Miami Dade College Miami

28th October - 7th November "Reduction" London Photomonth10 NO:ID Gallery London

6th - 10th October "reGeneration2" Flash Forward Festival Toronto

19th - 26th September "reGeneration2" Pingyao International Photography Festival Pingyao China

27th July - 3rd September "reGeneration2" Michaelis School of Fine Art Cape Town South Africa

3rd July - 19th September "reGeneration" Arles France

22nd June Host Gallery Group Show London

18th June - 26th September "reGeneration2: Tomorrow's Photographers Today Musee de l'Elysee Lausanne Switzerland

9th April - 22nd May "Sight, Unseen" Photofusion Gallery London

2009

2nd - 31st December "Oplulence" Photomonth09 Photospace Gallery London

2nd - 31st October "Out of Time" Photomonth09 Photospace Gallery London

6th - 12th July "Voies Off", Arles, France.

5th - 8th March "I Always Knew You'd Come Back" Latitude Group Show, Photo-Festivals, Format 09 Int'l Photography Festival, Derby.

13th - 22nd February "Love and Hope" Oblong Gallery, London N1.

2008

25th November - 2nd December 2008 MA Photography Final Show London College of Communication, University of the Arts London

10th October - 20th October 2008 "Spectre" Brighton Biennial Photo Fringe, Friese Green Gallery, Middle Street, Brighton.

18th September - 1st November 2008 "Circles of Latitude" Four Corners Gallery, 121 Roman Road London E2 0QN.

AWARDS

Shortlisted for the Lucie Foundation Scholarship 2011
Selected for regeneration2: Tomorrow's Photographers Today
Selected for "Voies Off 2009" Arles, France
Winner Photofusion Award 2008
Finalist National Portrait Gallery Photographic Portrait Prize 2006
Finalist Schweppes Portrait Prize 2003, 2004
Association of Photographer's Awards 2002, 2003, 2004
British Journal of Photography Magazine interview July 2010

COLLECTIONS

Musee de l'Elysee, Lausanne, Switzerland. Michaelis School of Fine Art, Cape Town, South Africa. Museum of Old and New Art, Tasmania.