

L. PARKER STEPHENSON
PHOTOGRAPHS

JOHN DAVIES (b. 1949)

CHRONOLOGY

- 1949 Born County Durham, England
- 1974 Graduated from Trent Polytechnic, Nottingham
- 1976 First toured and photographed the west of Ireland
- 1978-1998 Lecturer at Blackpool College of Art & West Surrey College of Art
- 1980-present Completed over 30 commissions in Austria, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland and the UK. Each concluded in the form of exhibition and/or publication
- 1981 Senior Research Fellow – Sheffield School of Art
- 1986 First book published; *Mist Mountain Water Wind*
- 1991 Moved to Cardiff, Wales from Stockport, England
- 1993 BBC Wales Arts Award in Visual Arts
- 1996 Senior Research Fellow - University of Wales Institute Cardiff
- 2001 Moved to Liverpool, England
- 2008 Shortlisted for the Deutsche Börse Photography Prize
- 2001 Began working in color
- Present Continues photographing and printing while also actively advocating for the preservation of public green space in Liverpool and beyond.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2017-2018 *The British Landscape*
L. Parker Stephenson Photographs, New York
- 2016 *Visions of La Mancha – Landscape and Wetlands*
Museo de Santa Cruz, Toledo, Spain
- Shadow – terrils d'Europe du nord*
Labanque, Béthune, France
- 2013 *France England*
Les Rencontres d'Arles, France
- Highways*
Museum of London, UK
- Hidden River*
City of Clermont-Ferrand, France
- 2010 *L'Anse de Paulillies and Fuji City, Japan*
Galerie Vu, Paris, France

- 2009 *House*
Michael Hoppen Gallery, London, UK
- 2008 *Kajobrazy Miejskie / Urban Landscapes*
Galeria Fotografii pf, Poznan, Poland
- European Eyes on Japan*
Tokyo, Japan
- 2006 *The British Landscape*
Photo España, Madrid, Spain
- 2003 *Metropolis: Manchester*
Manchester Art Gallery & Urbis, Manchester, UK
- 2002 *Metropoli (London)*
Zelda Cheatle Gallery, London, UK
- Seine Valley*
Gallery Photo, Rouen, France
- 2001 *L'Anse de Paulilles*
Hotel Scribe, Paris, France
- 1999 *Sguardi Gardesani*
Museo Civico Riva del Garda, Italy
- 1997 *Through Fire & Water: the River Taff*
National Museum Cardiff, Wales, UK
- 1996 *The River and the City - München*
Barbara Gross Gallerie, Munich, Germany
- The River and the City - Florence*
Zelda Cheatle Gallery, London, UK
- 1994 *Fos-Sur-Mer and the Industrial Zone*
Commune Fos-sur-Mer, France
- 1992 *Vigovisions*
IV Foto Bienal, Vigo, Spain
- 1991 *Italian Landscapes*
Gualtieri Library, Reggio Emilia, Italy
- 1987 *A Green and Pleasant Land*
The Photographers' Gallery, London, UK
- 1985 *On the Edge of White Peak*
Buxton Museum, UK
- 1984 *The Valleys Project*
Ffotogallery, Cardiff, Wales, UK
- 1983 *Durham Coalfield*
Side Gallery, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
- 1982 *Above and Beyond*
Untitled Gallery, Sheffield, UK
- 1977 *John Davies - Photographs*
Institute of Contemporary Arts, London, UK

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *Coal + Ice*
Fort Mason Center for Arts and Culture, San Francisco, CA
- About the North: Imagined Dialogues*
Side Gallery, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
- Great Exhibition of the North*
Baltic Centre of Art, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
- PGH Photo Fair*
Carnegie Museum, Pittsburgh, PA
- The Photography Show (AIPAD)*
Pier 94, New York, NY
- Classic Photographs Los Angeles (CPLA)*
Bergamot Station, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017-2018 *Into The Woods: Trees in Photography*
V & A Museum, London, UK
- French Landscapes – A Photographic Experience (1984-2017)*
Bibliothèque Nationale de France, Paris, France
- A Green and Pleasant Land – British Landscape and the Imagination: 1970s to Now*
Towner Art Gallery, Eastbourne, UK
- 2015 *For Ever Amber*
Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
- 2013-2014 *All That Is Solid Melts Into Air* (curated by Jeremy Deller)
Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
Mead Gallery, Warwick Arts Centre, Warwick, UK
Nottingham Castle Museum and Art Gallery, Nottingham, UK
Manchester Art Gallery, Manchester, UK
- 2013 *Landmarks: The Fields of Photography*
Somerset House, London, UK
- 2010 *Facts of Life: British Documentary Photography, 1974-1997*
National Museum in Krakow, Poland
- 2007 *Atlante Italiano 007 Rischiopaesaggio*
MAXXI Museo nazionale delle arti del XXI secolo, Rome, Italy
- How We Are – Photographing Britain*
Tate Britain, London, UK
- 2006 *Making History: Art and Documentary in Britain from 1929 to Now*
Tate Liverpool, UK
- A Tale of Two Cities*
National Museum of Film, Photography and Television, Bradford, UK
- Atlante Italiano 007 Rischio Paesaggio*
MAXXI National Museum of XXI Century Art, Rome, Italy

- Monuments & Paysages*
L'Agence Régionale du Patrimoine de Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur,
France.
- Trans Emilia*
Fotomuseum, Winterthur, Switzerland
- 2005 *Land of Promise: Land van Belofte*
Noorderlicht Festival, Groningen, The Netherlands
- 2004 *Shrinking Cities*
KW – Institute for Contemporary Art, Berlin, Germany
- 2002 *Reviving Monuments*
Suomenlinna Fortress, Finland
- 2001 *Questions of Landscape*
Victoria & Albert Museum, London, UK
- 2000 *Luoghi come Paesaggio*
Uffizi Museum, Florence, Italy
- Le Temps Vite*
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
- 1999 *Under Construction*
Milwaukee Art Museum, WI, USA
- Milano Senzaconfini*
Museo di Fotografia Contemporanea, Spazio Oberdan, Milan
- 1997 *La Photographie Contemporaine en France*
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris France
- 1997 *Venezia Marghera: Photography and Transformation*
Comune di Venezia, Italy
- 1996 *Une Aventure Contemporaine 1955-1995*
Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris, France
- 1995 *Power to Change*
RIBA Architectural Centre, London, UK
National Museum, Cardiff, Wales, UK
- 1994 *La Nievre Photographie*
Commune Neivre, France
- 1993 *Iron River*
Bilbao Metropolitan Museum, Spain
- 1992 *Vigovisions*
IV Fotobienal, Vigo, Spain
- 1991 *British Photography from the Thatcher Years*
Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA
- 1989 *Through the Looking Glass*
Barbican Art Gallery, London, UK
- Ausbeute*
Ruhrlandmuseum, Essen, Germany

- Autoroute A26, Calais – Reims* (two person with Michel Kempf)
Mission Photographique Transmanche, Douchy, France
- 1984 *Britain in 1984*
The Photographers' Gallery, London, UK
National Museum of Photography, Film and Television, Bradford, UK
- Creation: Modern Art and Nature*
National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK
- 1983 *Personal Views*
Victoria & Albert Museum, London, UK

MONOGRAPHS

- 2016 *Shadow: Slag Heaps of Northern Europe*. Paris, France: Editions Loco
- 2014 *Turning Green to Brown*. Self published with Blurb
- 2013 *Hidden River*. Paris, France: Editions Loco
- 2008 *Urban Landscapes / Krajobrazy Miejskie*. Poznan, Poland: Galeria Fotografii pf
- 2006 *The British Landscape*. London, UK: Chris Boot Ltd.
- 2002 *Seine Valley* (exhibition catalog) Cherbourg-en-Cotentin, France: Le Point du Jour
- 2001 *Littoral / Le Retour de la Nature*. Trézélan: Les éditions Filigranes
- 2000 *Temps et Paysage*. Saint-Benoît-du-Sault: Les éditions Tarabuste
- 1997 *Through Fire and Water: River Taff*. Cardiff: National Museum and Galleries of Wales
- 1993 *Skylines*. Valencia: Valencia University
- Cross Currents*. Manchester: Cornerhouse
- 1991 *Phase 11*. London: The Photographer's Gallery
- Italian Landscapes* (exhibition catalog). Regio Emilia: Linea di Confine della Provincia di Reggio Emilia
- 1989 *Autoroute A 26. Calais – Reims*. Nord-Pas-de-Calais: Centre Regionale de la Photographie
- 1987 *A Green and Pleasant Land*. Manchester: Cornerhouse
- 1986 *Mist Mountain Water Wind*. London: Traveling Light

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Arts Council of England, UK
British Council: Athens, Leipzig, London
Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris, France
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
City of Clermont-Ferrand, France
Commune Fos-sur-Mer, France
Conservatoires du Littoral, Paris, France

Deutsche Börse Art Collection, Frankfurt
Encontros de Fotografia, Coimbra, Portugal
FNAC (Fonds National d'Art Contemporain), Paris, France
Granit-CAC, Belfort, France
Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris, France
Manchester City Art Gallery, Manchester, UK
MAXXI Museo nazionale delle arti del XXI secolo, Rome, Italy
Ministère de L' Environnement, Paris, France
Musée de la Photographie, Charleroi, Belgium
Museo Civico Riva del Garda, Italy
Museo di Fotografia Contemporanea, Milan, Italy
Museo de Santa Cruz, Toledo, Spain
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
Museum voor Fotografie, Antwerp, Belgium
National Library of Wales, UK
National Gallery, Washington, DC
National Museum of Photography, Film & Television /
National Media Museum, Bradford, UK
National Museum and Galleries of Wales, UK
Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO
Ruhrlandmuseum, Essen, Germany
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA
Side Gallery, Newcastle, UK
V & A Museum, London, UK