

# KAUNAS PHOTO 2007



## **Mysteries – Secrets – Illusions**

*Attention! Events described on this page have already taken place*

In 2007, **KAUNAS PHOTO DAYS** gets a shorter version of the name – **KAUNAS PHOTO '07** enjoying the secure support of the Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Lithuania and suggesting largest artistic program ever – over 100 photographers from around the world in private and group exhibitions, workshops and presentations and slide-shows. Another novelty – a competition for **KAUNAS PHOTO** Grand Prix. Thirdly, **KAUNAS PHOTO** produced a spring edition by placing three photo exhibitions of the Guest county – Georgia, with seven distinctive photographers of the new emerging Post-Soviet country. The Fourth important step in **KAUNAS PHOTO** development is its membership in the organization of Festivals of Light. Moreover, **KAUNAS PHOTO** ended up in late autumn with a big self-produced exhibition “Mysteries-Secrets-Illusions”, summarizing the theme of the **KAUNAS PHOTO 07** at the National M.K.Čiurlionis Museum, Kaunas Picture Gallery. The exhibition included 70 artist from numerous countries.

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KETVIRTASIS FOTOGRAFIJOS FESTIVALIS

Finalinė  
paroda

*Mįslės,  
paslaptys  
ir iliuzijos*



2007-10-18 - 11-18

Kauno paveikslų galerija  
Nacionalinis M.K.Čiurlionio muziejus  
K.Donelaičio g. 16, Kaunas

Festivalio prezidentas  
Aleksandras Macijauskas

Festivalio direktorius  
Mindaugas Kavaliauskas

Organizatoriai  
Lietuvos fotomenininkų sąjungos Kauno skyrius  
Vėj Šviesos raštas

Remėjai ir partneriai:

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The opening of the main edition of **KAUNAS PHOTO 07** in September featured presentations of three laureates of Kaunas Photo'07 – Austrian Grand Prix winner **Reiner Riedler** with his “Fake Holidays”, Italian **Marco Ambrosi & Monica Dengo** and Australian **Graham Miller** with his “Suburban Melancholy”. Simultaneous presence of **KAUNAS PHOTO 07** award winners from Austria and Australia produced an Austro-Australian Night of Photography at Vytautas Magnus University night club. The Introductory series of exhibitions complemented by works of artists to have received special mentions of **KAUNAS PHOTO** Jury: Serbian **Katarina Radovic**, Canadian **Jean-François Bérubé** and a rising star of Lithuanian photography **Vidas Biveinis**.

**KAUNAS PHOTO 07** also honored celebrities of the international photographic scene. **Paweł Zak** (Poland), presented his famous series “My Close Acquaintance”. **Alnis Stakle** (Latvia) exhibited his new work – “Living Space Daugavpils” at “F gallery” and **Toshiki Ozawa** (Japan) disclosed his long-term project about Lithuania at “Fujifilm gallery”.

Aside from the exhibitions there are workshops held by visiting guests. The traditional highlight events – Nights of Photography – reminded viewers that photography was alive not only in daylight, but also in trendy city pubs, illuminated by music and the colours of the night. There will also be portfolio reviews and an exhibition of the students and graduates from the visiting schools of photography – **Ostkreuzschule** (Berlin, Germany) and **Studio Marangoni** (Florence, Italy).



“SBA Ideas For Home”, 2007

Another initiative for this event is the “SBA Ideas For Home”, where over 300 photos will be exhibited. Every year **KAUNAS PHOTO** has been introducing a new means of dialogue between photography and the audience. This time the festival places photographic pictures as main accents of interior. Art photographs will become not only as an essential interior elements, but objects to purchase for collectors and those willing to top their home interiors by adding a point of

originality.



“Secrets, Mysteries and Illusions”, Kaunas Picture Gallery, National M. K. Čiurlionis Museum, 2007

The decisive **KAUNAS PHOTO 07** exhibition “Secrets, Mysteries and Illusions” will open on 18 October in Kaunas Picture Gallery, National M. K. Čiurlionis Museum. The works of over 70 artists will give viewers the chance to discover the mysterious, colorful, decorative and social world of the 21st century.

**Spring edition**

 **Ketvirtasis tarptautinis fotografijos meno festivalis**  
Meno vadovas Mindaugas Kavaliauskas

**KAUNAS PHOTO 07**

Fotografijos paroda  
2007-05-15 - 06-12

**Gruzijos paslaptys**

Levan Kherkheulidze  
Vaikystės draugės. Tbilisė, 2003

Fotografijos paroda  
2007-05-18 - 08-31

**Kaunas - šviesos miestas**

André Wagner. Šviesos miestas. Kaunas, 2007

F Galerija  
Žaliakalnio funikulierius  
Aušros g. 6, Kaunas

Povilo Stulgos lietuvių tautinės  
muzikos instrumentų muziejus  
L. Zamenhofo g. 8, Kaunas

Kauno įvairių tautų  
kultūrų centras  
Šv. Gertrūdos g. 58

Parodos  
**Gruzijos paslaptys**  
kuratorė  
Natia Tsulukidze

Kauno pils  
Pilies g. 17, Kaunas

Levan Kherkheulidze  
Sophio Medoidze

Natela Grigalashvili  
Ira Kurmaeva  
Guram Tsibikhashvili

Irina Abjandadze  
Yuri Mechitov

André Wagner (Vokietija)  
Mindaugas Kavaliauskas

Rėmėjai ir partneriai:

        

Festivalio **Kaunas Photo 07** organizatoriai:

VšĮ Šviesos raštas  
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Guest country – Georgian Photography, collective exhibition:  
**Levan Kherkheulidze, Sophio Medoidze, Natela Grigalashvili,  
Ira Kurmaeva, Guram Tsibikhashvili, Irina Abjandadze, Yuri  
Mechitov (Curators: Natia Tsulukidze, Mindaugas Kavaliauskas)**

Personal exhibition:  
**André Siegfried Wagner (Germany)**

**Autumn edition**



Photo festival union meeting, 2007

Personal exhibitions:

**Reiner Riedler** (KP 07 Grand Prix Winner, Austria), **Graham Miller** (KP 07 Grand Prix Special Award, Australia), **Marco Ambrosi** and **Monica Dengo** (KP 07 Grand Prix Special Award, Italy), **Vidas Biveinis** (KP 07 Grand Prix Special Mention, Lithuania), **Katarina Radovic** (KP 07 Grand Prix Special Mention, Serbia), **Jean-François Bérubé** (Canada), **Pawel Zak** (Poland), **Andrei Liankevich** (Belarus), **Toshiki Ozawa** (Japan), **Alnis Stakle** (Latvia), **Laimonas Jazukevičius** (Lithuania).

Guest Schools of Photography – collective exhibitions:

Ostkreuzschule (Berlin, Germany, curator: **Ute Mahler**)

Fondazione Studio Marangoni (Florence, Italy, curator: **Alessandra Capodacqua**)

Late autumn edition – Collective exhibition:

**Alfredas Simonavičius**, **Algis Griškevičius**, **Alnis Stakle**, **André Wagner**, **Andrei Liankevich**, **Ane Lan**, **Angela Svoronou**, **Anja Bohnhof**, **Anke Van Iersel**, **Astrid Elisabeth Bang**, **Beverley**

Carruthers, Bjorn Sterri, Brad Temkin, Brigitte Tast, Charlotte Lybeer, Christoph Burtscher, Claudio Gobbi, Daniel Challe, Dara Mc'grath, Darius Jurevičius, Darius Kuzmickas, Dave Anderson, Ekaterina Bubnova, Eva Mayer, Filippo Del Vita, Francesco Gnot, Fred Lebain, Gerlinde Miesenböck, Graham Miller, Greg Daville, Harri Pälviranta, Ines D'orey, Irena Tamulynienė, Isabel Tallos, István Virágvölgyi, Iveta Vaivode, Jan Drik Van Der Burg, Jean-François Bérubé, Joaquin Pedrero, Katarina Radovič, Katerina Kaloudi, Laimonas Jazukevičius, Laura Berg, Leonora Bisagno, Marc Berghaus, Marco Ambrosi, Maria Arnell & Marianna Moerkoere, Maria Laura Garcia Serventi, Marla Sweeney, Matthew Sleeth, Nina Finnerud, Olga Bersan, Oliver, Paula Muhr, Paweł Żak, Regina Šulskytė, Reiner Riedler, Riccardo Mazzoni, Rita Soromenho Simoes, Rokas Pralgauskas, Schüler, Sungpil Han, Stéphane Fugier, Thomas Zika, Vidas Biveinis, Vytautas Stanionis.

## Catalog



Have a look to **KAUNAS PHOTO** festival 2007 catalog of the main program [here >>](#)

Web site of **KAUNAS PHOTO 2007** [here >>](#)

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