ALEC VON BARGEN - CV

STUDIES

- -Universidad Iberoamericana Mexico City, Mexico
- -Centro de Educacion Artistica Mexico City, Mexico

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2015

- -September 2015 'Alec Von Bargen 'Solo Exhibition' Leo Gallery Hong Kong, PRC
- -May 2015 **56th Venice Biennale** Arsenale Tesa 100 SWATCH Faces and Traces Venice, Italy
- -February 2015 'Hybrid Memories' BAC Bogota Contemporary Art Center Bogota, Colombia
- -January 2015 Finalist at the 2015 Kontinent Awards Istanbul, Turkey
- -January 2015 Small is Beautiful Leo Gallery Shanghai, China

2014

- November December 2014 Photography Open Salon A retrospective Collectors Edition The Royal Docks London, UK
- October 2014 January 2015 FACES & TRACES a tribute to freedom, creativity and vision The Swatch Art Peace Hotel Shanghai, China Book
- September 2014 *Photo as Video, Video as Photo* Center for Creative industries FABRIKA Moscow, Russia
- June July 2014 Portraits In Contemporary Photography: Selections From a Series Drift Gallery New Hampshire, USA
- May June 2014 'Confessions From The Still' Galleria RezArte ContemporariaFestival Fotografia Europea Reggio Emilia, Italy
- May 2014 Veritas Feminae Solo Exhibition Ex Filanda Meroni Museum Soncino, Italy Catalogue
- May 2014 'Less is More' The Mitchell Gallery Maryland, USA Catalogue
- May 2014 "Between the image and personality # 2" National Centre for Contemporary Art and Gallery Victoria Samara, Russia
- April 2014 'Now & After '14' The State Museum of Gulag Moscow, Russia Catalogue
- April 2014 Art Monaco Irreversible Art Projects Monte Carlo, Monaco
- April 2014 Aesthetica's 2014 top 100 Contemporary Artists Exhibition York St. Mary's York, UK Catalogue
- January 2014 Art Palm Beach Irreversible Projects Palm Beach, USA

2013

- December 2013 PULSE Art Fair Miami Art Basel Week Miami, USA Represented by Nuova Galleria Morone Milan, Italy Catalogue
- December 2013 ART MIAMI Art Fair Miami Art Basel Week Miami, USA Represented by Irreversible Magazine Miami, USA Featured and cover artist
- October 2013 Book presentation Nuova Galleria Morone Milan Italy Book
- September 2013 *Veritas Feminae* Solo exhibition and book presentation OCAT Contemporary Art Terminal Museum Shanghai, China *Book*

- September 2013 Guest speaker / lecturer K11 Art Center Shanghai, China
- August 2013 VII Soncino Biennale Soncino, Italy Catalogue
- August 2013 Pink Lady for Lady Day Solo exhibition Little Victories Gallery Shanghai, China
- July 2013 Shortlisted for the 2013 Dubai International Emerging Artist Award Dubai, UAE Catalogue
- July 2013 Les Rencontres Des Arles Work present in two award-winning publications Arles, France Books
- July 2013 Guest Speaker The River South Center Shanghai, China
- May 2013 *Alec Von Bargen* Solo exhibition MIAF Milan Image Art Fair Milan, Italy Represented by Nuova Galleria Morone Milan, Italy *Catalogue*
- April 2013 MACO Art Fair Mexico City, Mexico Represented by Ramis Barquet Gallery New York City, USA Catalogue
- April October 2013 Selected and invited by Francois Henri Pinault and the SWATCH Group as Guest Artist at the SWATCH Art Peace Hotel Shanghai, China
- March 2013 *An Eye for an Ear* The Photography Open Salon The China House Penang, Malaysia *Catalogue*
- March 2013 *Veritas Feminae* Installation The College of Fine Arts of The University of New South Wales Sydney, Australia
- February 2013 The Biggs Museum of American Art Delaware, USA
- January March 2013 Guest artist at COFA The University of New South Wales Sydney, Australia

2012

- December 2012 PULSE Art Fair Miami Art Basel Art Week Miami, USA Represented by Nuova Galleria Morone Milan, Italy *Catalogue*
- December 2012 The End Miami Beach Regional Library Miami Beach, USA Catalogue
- December 2012 Guest Lecturer IRREVERSIBLE Miami Art Basel launch Art Wynwood Miami, USA
- October 2012 Padova Art Fair Padova, Italy
- September 2012 The Long Walk Home Solo exhibition Nuova Galleria Morone Milan, Italy
- Catalogue
- July 2012 Les Recontres des Arles *An Eye for an Ear* Photography Open Salon Galerie Huit Arles, France *Catalogue*
- March May 2012 The Cross Shown Nuova Galleria Morone Milan, Italy Catalogue
- February 2012 *Transience* The Photography Open Salon Galerie Huit Penang, Malaysia *Catalogue*
- February 2012 OCCCA Orange County Center for Contemporary Arts Los Angeles, USA

2011

- June November 2011 The 54th Venice Biennale Official Selection Stupore Costa Rica Pavilion Venice, Italy Official Biennale book and exhibition catalogue
- July 2011 Transience The Photography Open Salon Galerie Huit Les Recontres des Arles Arles, France Catalogue
- July 2011 VI Soncino Biennale Soncino, Italy Catalogue
- June 2011 Center Forward The Denver International Airport Denver, USA
- May 2011 The Freedom to Create Prize Exhibition The National Gallery of Zimbabwe Harare, Zimbabwe Catalogue
- March 2011 Human + Being The Center for Fine art Photography Ft. Collins, USA
- March 2011 The Renaissance Photography Prize Exhibition The Mall Galleries London, UK
- Catalogue

- January 2011 - Blue - Juror's winner and Director's Honorabe Mention - The Center for Fine Art Photography - Ft. Collins, USA

2010

- November 2010 The Freedom to Create Prize Exhibition The Victoria and Albert Museum London, UK Catalogue
- June 2010 Guest Artist Basel Hot Art Fair Basel, Switzerland Catalogue
- October 2010 Gallerie Forma D'Arte Venice, Italy
- September 2010 Arte Forte Art Fair Forte dei Marmi, Italy
- July 2010 Art Verona Art Fair Verona, Italy
- May 2010 Winner Chelsea Art Competition Agora Gallery New York City, USA Catalogue
- May 2010 Art Leagues Museum California, USA
- March 2010 Arte Padova Art Fair Padova Italy
- February 2010 The Freedom to Create Exhibition The Queen's Complex in Bagh-e-Bagur Kabul, Afghanistan *Catalogue*

2009

- November 2009 Finalist Celeste Exhibition Alte AEG Fabrik Berlin, Germany Catalogue
- October 2009 Space 4 Rent Solo exhibition NYArts Space Beijing, China
- September 2009 The Freedom to Create Exhibition Ana Tzarev Gallery New York City, USA
- Catalogue
- July 2009 Art Prize Grand Rapids USA
- June 2009 The top 40 Digital Artists LACDA Los Angeles Center for Digital Arts USA
- March 2009 The San Diego Art Fair Sand Diego, USA
- February 2009 Collaboration Nes Gallery Skagastrond, Iceland
- January 2009 Self-Portraits The Brooklyn Public Library Brooklyn, USA Catalogue

RECENTS AWARDS

- -2015 Kontinent Awards Finalist Istanbul, Turkey
- -2014 Aesthetica Art Prize Top 100 Artists Finalist York, UK
- -2014 Higly Commended Winner London Photographic Association's Portraiture Award London, UK
- -2012 2013 Shortlisted Dubai Emerging Artist Award Dubai, UAE
- -3rd Place Nature Category International Photography Awards Los Angeles, USA
- -2013 Aesthetica Art Prize Longlisted York, UK
- -2013 Grand Prix de la Decouverte Honorable Mention Paris, France -2012 1st Place Winner August Edition Pollux Awards York, UK
- -2012 Finalist Terry O'Neill Awards London, UK
- -Shortlist 2011 International Celeste Prize New York, USA
- -Shortlist 2011 London International Creative Competition- London, UK
- -5 People's Choice Awards PX3 Official Prix de la Photographie Paris, France
- -Honorable Mention 2011 International Photography Awards USA -Finalist Galerie Huit Open Salon Arles, France
- -Finalist 2011 Renaissance Photography Awards London, UK
- -Jury Selection Winner and Director's Honorable Mention 'Blue' Center for Fine Art Photography Ft. Collins, USA
- -Bronze Medal Winner The International Aperture Award Melbourne, Australia
- -Commended Winner London Photographic Association's 'Urbanscape 3' London, UK

- -Winner The 2010 LACDA Top 40 Visual Artists Los Angeles, USA -Winner The 2010 Chelsea International Art Competition New York City, USA
- -Finalist at the 2009 International Celeste Prize Berlin, Germany
- -Finalist at the 2009 Freedom to Create Prize London, UK

RECENT CATALOGUES / PUBLICATIONS

- -SWATCH Faces and Traces Exhibition Book Biel, Switzerland
- -April 2014 Aesthetica Magazine Top 100 Contemporary Artists Special Edition London, UK
- Rivista Arte Nuova Meta 'Alec Von Bargen' Critic Claudio Cerritelli Milan, Italy
- 8X8 Magazine 'Confessions from the Still' Text by Marcello Grassi Reggio Emilia, Italy
- Art Photo Mag Special Edition March 2014 'Alec Von Bargen Photography' Prague, Czech Republic
- 2013 Alec Von Bargen Veritas Feminae Edizioni NeuDesign Book ISBN-978-0-578-12860-3
- Irreversible Magazine Cover and featured artist Art Basel Special Edition Miami, USA
- DOMUS Magazine Little Victories August 2013 Edition Italy
- Dodho Photography Magazine Alec Von Bargen Barcelona, Spain
- Shanghai Daily A Welcome Mat for Artists July Shanghai, China
- An Eye for an Ear Book publication Photography Open Salon Editions Arles, France
- Aesthetica Magazine Top 100 Contemporary Artists Special Edition London, UK
- 2012 Irreversible Magazine Art Basel Miami Special Edition Alec Von Bargen Miami, USA
- Intenational Photography Awards Annual Los Angeles, USA
- Transience Exhibition Book Photography Open Salon Editions London, UK
- 2011 International Celeste Prize Book ZEL Edizioni Milan, Italy
- Official 54th Venice Biennale Book National Archives Marsilio Edizioni Venice, Italy
- PX3 Book Paris, France
- London International Contemporary Photography Book London, UK
- Art Fairs International Von Bargen's Long Walk Home May Issue Hong Kong
- Rooms Art Uncovered March Issue Alec Von Bargen London, UK
- 2010 Hot Art Fair Catalogue Basel Switzerland
- The Silent March Exhibition Catalogue Basel, Switzerland
- Chelsea International Art Competition Catalogue Agaora Gallery New York, USA
- Remedy Magazine Alec Von Bargen's Horizontal Conversations Issue 7 June 2010 London, UK

RESIDENCIES / FELLOWSHIPS

- Selected by Francois-Henri Pinault and the SWATCH group as guest artist at the SWATCH Art Peace Hotel April October 2013 Shanghai, China
- Invited as guest artist to the College of Fine arts COFA at The University of New South Wales January March 2013 Sydney, Australia
- Fellowship at the NYArts Magazine's NYArts Space October November 2010 Beijing, China
- NES Residency September 2009 Skagastrond, Iceland

Alec's work is included in private and public collections worldwide.