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Arbeiten aus den Fotografie Studiengängen der Fachhochschule Dortmund



Press release

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The platform for photographic works at Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts

Dortmund, den 05.08.2020: *photographicstudies.net*, the website for the photography degree courses of the Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts, is now online. The repository presents works and projects by students and graduates as well as publications and exhibitions of photography degree courses. Future students but also agencies and photo editors now get a comprehensive insight into the photographic spectrum of the BA and MA degree programmes at the Department of Design.

Exposure is of paramount importance for creative work. Therefore, *photographicstudies.net* has set itself the task of providing young photographic talents with a platform that provides focused information not only about their works but also enables a contact with these authors. The site is an intermediary between students, agencies and editorial departments as well as a good point of first contact for prospective students.

"We would like to give the students a permanent space to present their work", says Prof. Susanne Brügger, initiator of the site and lecturer at Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts. "At the same time, the site also explicitly sees itself as an interface to the market and research on photographic matters and social issues."

Interested students of the Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts can upload their work on the website at any time; the team behind *photographicstudies.net* is also happy to provide advice at projektarchiv@fh-dortmund.de.

Photography at the Department of Design at Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts

Since the 1960s, there has been a major focus on photography at the Design Department of Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts. Initially in the diploma degree courses and then from 2007 onwards in the BA Photography courses and since 2012, in the master programmes MA Photographic Studies. Cooperations with the other degree courses at the department (BA Communication Design, Spatial and Object Design, Film & Sound and the MA degree courses Scenography, Editorial, Film, Sound) are carried out in the specific fields of application.

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