

## Roger Ballen Biography

### BOOKS

- ***Boarding House***. Introduction by David Travis. Phaidon Press, London 2009
- ***Shadow Chamber***. Introduction by Robert A Sobieszek. Phaidon Press, London 2005
- ***Outland***. Introduction by Peter Weiermair. Phaidon Press, London 2001
- ***Cette Afrique là***. Introduction by Lionel Murcott. Photo Pouche series, Editions Nathan Paris 1997.
- ***Platteland, Images of a Rural South Africa***. Introduction by Roger Ballen. William Waterman Publications 1994, Quartet Books, London 1994, St Martins Press, New York 1996.
- ***Dorps, Small Towns of South Africa***. Introduction by Roger Ballen. Clifton Publications, South Africa. 1986.
- ***Boyhood***. Introduction by Roger Ballen. Chelsea House Publishers, New York-London 1979.

### CATALOGUES

- Double Vie, Double Vue, Fondation Cartier pour l'art contemporain, 1997
- Lumo '98, *Shadows*, Finland, 1998
- South African National Gallery, *Contemporary South African Photography*, 1998
- National Museum of Photography of Film & Television, United Kingdom, *New Natural History*, 1999
- Introduction to that Africa, Lionel Murcott, *Mesiac Fotografie*, November 1999
- Africa Inside, Noorderlicht, *The Netherlands*, 2000
- *A Thousand Hounds*, Raymond Merritt & Miles Barth, 2000
- *La Natura Della Natura Morta – Fotografia*, Galleria d'Arte Moderna, Bologna Italy, 2002
- Dislocación – Imagen & Identidad. Sudafrica, Spain, 2002
- National Portrait Gallery, John Kobal, Photographic Portrait Award 2002 Ten years: a celebration 1993 – 2002
- Lateral Thinking, Art of the 1990's, Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego
- Galleria Carla Sozzani, Milano, Italy January 2003
- Fact & Fiction, Galerie Kamel Mennour, Paris France, March 2003
- Photographers' Gallery Press no. 2, Japan
- Das Geheimnis Der Photographie, Germany, 2003
- The Third Body, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Germany 2004
- The Photograph as Contemporary Art, UK 2004
- Brutal, Tender, Human, Animal, National Library of Australia, November 2008
- The sorrow of death, BWA Katowice, Poland, November, 2008
- Darkroom, Photography and new media in South Africa since 1950, VMFA, 2009
- Roger Ballen; 1982 – 2009, La Triennale di Milano, November 2009
- Le Dictateur, Issue # 3
- Massimo Minini, Sentences, 2010
- Roger Ballen retrospective, Centro de Arte La Regenta, March – April 2010
- Skotia Gallery, First Biennial Photography Invitational, May – June 2010
- Roger Ballen Stories, Museo Riva del Garda, June – August 2010

- Roger Ballen Fotografien 1969 – 2010, Munchner Stadtmuseum

## FILMS

- “Memento Mori” Saskia Vredevelde The Netherlands Film Fund, 2005
- Netherlands Broadcasting Cooperation “Selfportrait, Roger Ballen” 2002
- ITV Television. “Platteland, Images from Rural South Africa” *South Bank Show*, London. 1995.
- South African Broadcasting Corporation. “Dorps, Small Towns of South Africa”. Film documentary on Roger Ballen’s book. 1986.

## AWARDS

- Lucie Award, Finalist for Solo Exhibition of the year, George Eastman House, 2010
- PhotoEspaña 2009, Madrid Spain, Honourable mention - Best Photographic Book of the Year for *Boarding House*
- Top 10 Exhibition 2004, Matthew Higgs, Artforum, December 2004
- Honourable Mention, UNICEF Photo of the Year 2004
- Top 10 Exhibition 2002, Vince Aletti, Artforum, December 2002
- Photographer of the Year 2002, Rencontres d’Arles, July 2002
- Photo-eye, Best Documentary Title, Best Photography Books of 2001
- Special mention : UNICEF Photo of the Year 2001
- PhotoEspaña 2001, Madrid Spain, Best Photographic Book of the Year
- Sani Festival, Thessaloniki Greece, Best Solo Exhibition, February 2000

## MUSEUM COLLECTIONS

- Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth, Australia
- Berkeley Art Museum, California
- Biblioteque Nationale, Paris
- Brooklyn Museum, New York, USA
- Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
- Durban Art Gallery, Durban, South Africa
- Fotomuseum, Munchen, Germany
- Hasselblad, Goteborg, Sweden
- High Museum of Art, Atlanta, USA
- Johannesburg Art Museum, South Africa
- Los Angeles County Museum of Art, USA
- Louisiana Museum, Denmark
- Maison Europeene de la Photographie, Paris
- Musée de la Photographie á Charleroi, Belguim
- Museet for Fotokunst, Denmark
- Museo nazionale Della Fotografia, Brescia, Italy
- Museum Folkwang, Essen, Germany
- Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego, USA
- Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, USA
- Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA

- National Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
- National Museum of Film and Photography, Bradford UK
- Spencer Art Museum, Kansas, USA
- Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam
- State Museum of Russia, Moscow, Russia
- Tate Britain, London, UK
- Victoria and Albert Museum, London, UK
- Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, USA

## **ONE MAN EXHIBITIONS**

### **•2012•**

- Manchester Art Museum, United Kingdom
- Museum of Modern Art, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel

### **•2011•**

- Montreal Month of Photography, Canada
- Museum Het Domein Sittard, Netherlands

### **•2010•**

- Bozar, Brussels
- Centro de Arte La Regenta, Las Palmas, Spain
- Comune di Arco/Galleria Civica, Italy
- Festival of Photography of Savignano, Italy
- Fondazione Terre Medicee, Italy
- Galeria Max Estrella, Spain
- Galeria Senda, Barcelona, Spain
- Galerie Kamel Mennour, Paris, France
- Galerie Sabine Knust, Munich, Germany
- Gallery Photographer RU, Moscow, Russia
- George Eastman House, Rochester, USA
- Iziko South African National Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
- Jackson Fine Art, Atlanta, USA
- Lismore Regional Gallery, Australia
- Photonet Galerie, Wiesbaden, Germany
- Rooke Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa
- Sammlungsleiter Fotomuseum, Munich, Germany
- Stenersen Museum, Oslo
- Sydney Biennale, Australia
- Ubuntu, Berlin, Germany
- Ubuntu, Salzburg, Austria
- University of the Orange Free State, South Africa

### **•2009•**

- Auckland University of Technology, New Zealand
- Aura Gallery, Shanghai
- City Museum of Ljubljana, Slovenia
- Gagosian Gallery, New York, USA
- Galerie Wolfsen, Denmark
- Galerija Fotografija, Ljubljana, Slovenia

- Hamiltons, London, United Kingdom
- Massimo Minini, Brescia, Italy
- Johnen Gallery, Berlin, Germany
- National Library of Australia, Canberra
- Ontario College of Art and Design, Toronto, Canada
- Triennale, Milan, Italy
- University of Johannesburg, South Africa
- University of Pretoria, South Africa
- 2008•
- AEREA / Christian Larsen, Stockholm, Sweden
- BWA Gallery, Katowice, Poland
- Galeria vanGuardia, Bilbao, Spain
- Hertzelia Artists Host Centre, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Omaggio a Federico Vender at Palazzo dei Panni of Arco Trento
- Su Palatu, Sardinia
- 2007•
- Aura Gallery, Hong Kong
- Art Gallery of Western Australia
- Clint Roenisch Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- Deichtorhallen, Hamburg
- Galerie Photonet, Wiesbaden. Germany
- Jackson Fine Art, Atlanta, USA
- Johannesburg Art Gallery, Johannesburg
- Robert Klein Gallery, Boston
- Trafo Gallery, Oslo, Norway
- YOURS Gallery, Warsaw, Poland
- 2006•
- Atlanta College of Arts, USA
- Berlin Biennial, Berlin
- Biblioteque Nationale, Paris
- Deichtorhallen, Hamburg
- Everard Read, Johannesburg, South Africa
- Galerie Johnen + Schöttle, Cologne
- Galerie Kamel Mennour, Paris
- Guido Costa Projects, Torino
- Jackson Fine Art, Atlanta, USA
- Museum voor Fotografie, Antwerp
- Oliewenhuis Art Museum, Bloemfontein, South Africa
- Photographer's Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
- Sasol Art Museum, Stellenbosch, South Africa
- Sheppard Fine Arts Gallery, Reno, USA
- Stills Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2005•
- Aura Gallery, Shanghai
- Durban Art Gallery, South Africa
- Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem, Netherlands
- Gagosian Gallery, New York
- Reflex New Art Gallery, Amsterdam

•2004•

- Berkeley Art Museum, California
- Dieci Comme ltd, Tokyo
- Le Chateau d'eau à Toulouse France
- State Museum of Russia, St Petersburg

•2003•

- Galleria Carla Sozzani, Italy
- Galerie Kamel Mennour, Paris

•2002•

- Centro Cultural de Maia, O'Porto, Spain
- Gagosian Gallery, Los Angeles
- Gagosian Gallery, New York
- Galleria D'arte Moderna Bologna, Italy
- Gallery of Photography, Dublin Ireland
- Musee Nicephore Niepce, Chalon-sur-Saone France
- Museet for Fotokunst, Odense Denmark
- Museo Nazionale Italy, Brescia Italy
- Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego
- Nuku Gallery, Oulu Finland
- Sala Rekalde, Bilbao, Spain

•2001•

- Association for Visual Arts, Cape Town
- Encontros da imagem, Braga Portugal
- Fotoforum, Frankfurt
- Goodman Gallery, Johannesburg
- Hasselblad Center, Sweden
- International Photo Festival Herten, Germany
- Kicken Gallery, Berlin
- Krefelder Kunstmuseen, Krefeld, Germany
- Mateo Inurria, Cordoba, Spain
- PhotoEspana, Madrid Spain
- Printemps de Septembre a Toulouse, France
- Rupertinum, Salzburg
- Shine Gallery, London
- Wurttembergischer Kunstverein, Stuttgart

•2000•

- Month of Photography, Thessaloniki
- Museum of Photography, Athens, Greece
- Noordlicht, Amsterdam
- Royal Theatre of Namur, Belgium
- Sani Festival, Greece

•1999•

- Fait & Cause, Paris
- Melkweg, Amsterdam
- Month of Photography, Bratislava
- Month of Photography, Cape Town

•1998•

- Kunstal Museum, Rotterdam

- Kunsthaus, Zürich
- Lumo '98, Finland
- Previous •
- Afrikaner Museum, Johannesburg, South Africa
- Arles Photographic Festival, Arles, France
- Colorado Centre for Photography, Denver, Colorado
- Eindhoven Photographic Festival, Holland
- Goodman Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa
- Market Theatre, Johannesburg, South Africa
- Michaelis Collection, Cape Town, South Africa
- Pretoria Art Museum, Pretoria, South Africa
- Royal Festival Hall/Hayward Gallery, London, England
- Shell Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa
- Tarranto Gallery, New York City

#### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- *Out of control*, BIP 2010, 7<sup>th</sup> International Biennial of Photography and Visual Arts, Liege 2010
- 7<sup>th</sup> Lane, Ellen-K Fine Art Photography, Norway, 2010
- Skotia Gallery First Biennial Photography Invitational, Santa Fe, USA, 2010
- Zacheta National Gallery, Warsaw, Poland
- *Untitled (Vicarious)*, Gagosian Gallery, New York, USA, 2008
- *After Nature*, New Museum, New York USA, 2008
- New York Photo Festival, New York USA, 2008
- *Cautionary Tales*, Albuquerque USA, 2008
- *Snaps*, Goodman Gallery, Johannesburg South Africa, 2005
- *Making Faces*, Musée de l'Elysée, 2004
- Citigroup Photography Prize, London, 2002
- Sala Rekalde, Bilbao 2002 "Dislocation"
- Centro Cultural de Maia O'Porto, 2002 "Dislocation"
- Victoria and Albert Museum, London, 2002 "New documentary photography" 2002
- National Portrait Gallery, London, 2002
- Museet for Fotokunst, Odense C Denmark, *Hall of Mirrors*, 2001
- Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam Holland, *Recent Acquisitions*, 2001
- La Natura Della Natura Morta, Italy, 2001/02
- Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, *Portraits of Africa*, 2000
- National Museum of Photography of Film & Television, Bradford, United Kingdom, *New Natural History*, 1999
- National Portrait Gallery, London, 1999
- Comment Jouer Enfermement, Maison Européene de la Photographie, Paris, France, 1998
- South African National Gallery, Cape Town, South Africa, 1997.
- Double Vie, Double Vue, Fondation Cartier pour l'art Contemporain, Paris France, 1997