

## **History of Art and Visual Studies**

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#### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley

## Overview

My current research investigates how photography became an art that deals with philosophical problems. The book project, The Photographic World Picture, shows how four artists--one early modern and three contemporary--took pictures that reflected prevalent philosophical views of their time. It describes how Newtonian mechanics shaped Canaletto's cityscapes, how structuralism favored Bernd and Hilla Bechers' industrial typologies, and how Andreas

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#### **GRADUATE FIELDS**

• History of Art, Archaeology and Visual Studies

## Research

History and theory of photography, moving image media, photographic practice, digital media, modern image culture, affect theory, philosophy of mind, value, and aesthetics

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