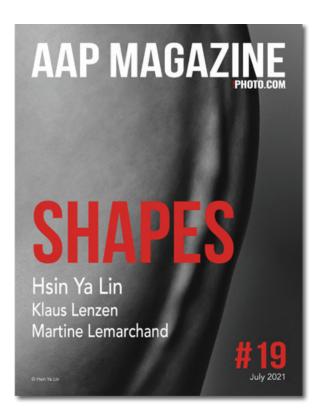
All About Photo Announces Winners of the AAP Magazine #19 Shapes

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We're delighted to reveal the names of the 25 talented photographers who won "AAP Magazine #19: Shapes"

For this 19th edition of AAP Magazine, we were looking for submissions of works of art that explore composition and form as a fundamental aspect of the photographic aesthetic, be it pure visual formalism or in support of a thematic objective.

In the end we chose twenty-five photographers (from 13 different countries) for their different approach to the theme.

Understanding shape and form is one of the pillars of photography composition, and it can make even the most mundane objects become an object of art in its own right. Geometric, organic, positive or negative, shapes influence the degree of aesthetic beauty perceived when we first look at a photograph.

Long regarded as a simple means of duplicating reality, photography, now offer unlimited possibilities to reject traditional modes of representation and in this new edition of Shapes we received a record number of submissions created by new technologies.

The Winner of AAP Magazine 19 Shapes is Hsin Ya Lin (Taiwan) with his series "Sand Dunes".



Featured Image: Sand Dunes © Hsin Ya Lin http://www.hsinyalin.com/

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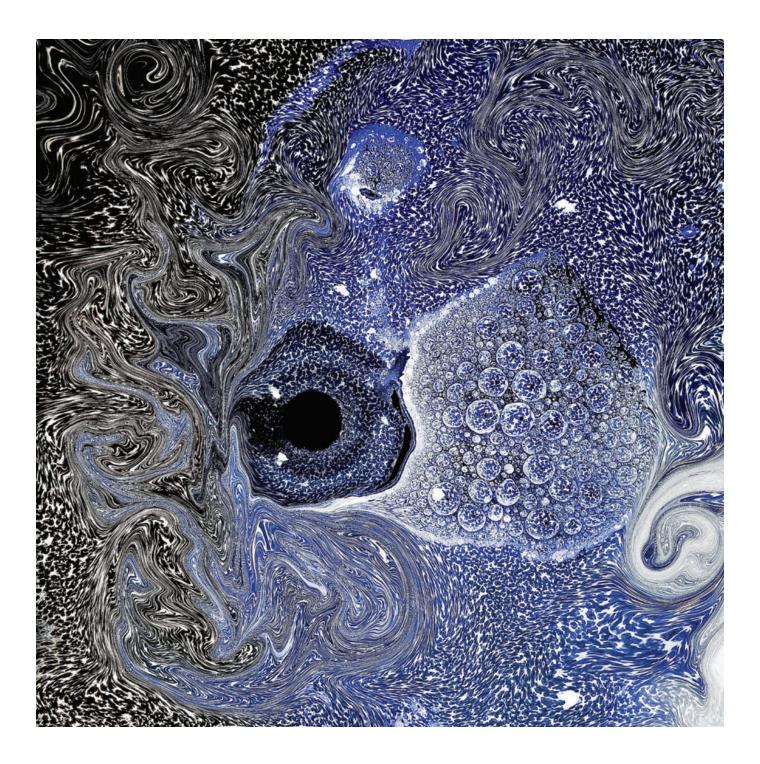
The Second Place Winner is Klaus Lenzen (Germany) with his series "Car ParK".



Featured Image: Car ParK © Klaus Lenzen https://www.klauslenzenphotographie.com/

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The Third Place Winner is Martine Lemarchand (France) with her series "A Close Distant".



Featured image: A Close Distant © Martine Lemarchand https://www.martinelemarchand.fr/

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© Sharon Tribelsky - Merit Award

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The other winners featured in the Merit Award's Gallery are:

Camilla Gorini (Italy), Marlou Pulles (Netherlands), Jacqueline Walters (United States), Roland Blum (Liechtenstein), Ragnar B. Varga (Norway), Annette LeMay Burke (United States), Sharon Tribelsky (Israel), Elio Ruscetta (United Kingdom), Anna Försterling (Germany), Matt Gold (United States), Hyeonmin Cho (Korea), Dale Odell (United States), Zoltan Gerliczki (United States), Dede Pickering (United States), Suzanne Engelberg (United States), Colin Page (United Kingdom), Maja Strgar Kurecic (Croatia), Attila Ataner (Canada), Lauren Murphy (United Kingdom), Jacqui Turner (United States) and Dean Forbes (United States).

The top 3 winners will be awarded \$1,000.

All winners will have their work showcased on All About Photo Winners Gallery, and published in the printed issue of **AAP Magazine #19 Shapes**.



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About AAP Magazine

All About Photo invites dedicated and passionate photographers from all around the world to share their work in its printed edition. Each issue is central to a specific theme and provides a gallery of inspiring imagery, focusing on each artist with their own experience to share.

We are honored to be a part of the process of jurying work from such an amazing call for entry and to be able to design such a beautiful, hand-curated publication of the best contemporary photography. We showcase exclusively the winners of AAP Magazine's call of entries organized by All About Photo all year long.

With an eye towards beauty, quality and novelty, we strive to promote portfolios which stand out for their unique visual signature style and character. Our goal is to help photographers get the exposure we think they deserve and to inspire the others with ideas, projects and goals to help develop their own photography.

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