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Photogrphy Grant 2016 Honors Photographer Javier Fergo

London (8 October, 2016) - Photographer Javier Fergo was Awarded: Nominee Award in People for the winning entry Immigratio in the 2016 Photogrphy Grant.

The 2016 Photogrphy Grant received 3132 submissions from which 244 were awarded with Nominee Award.

Winning series were selected by panel of international judges, including: Hugh Merrell, Jon Feinstein, Michael Pritchard, David Bram, Sarah Krueger, Aram Kim, Fosi Vegue, Barry W Hughes, Emanuele Cucuzza, Robyn Lange, Jurriaan Van Kranendonk, Christina Force, Gianpaolo Arena, John Kenney, Niccolò Fano, Daria Bonera, Steve Bisson, Rohit Vohra, Jorrit R Dijkstra, Alison Zavos and Martin Stavars.

About Winner

My name is Javier Fernandez, but byline for my photo-work as Javier Fergo. Born in Jerez, southern Spain in 1980, soon started to be keen on film and photography. When I was 20 years old, moved to the United Kingdom where studied a Higher National Diploma in Photography, finishing on 2005 with excellent academic results. Soon after moved back to Spain where started working for newspapers and publications. For over nine years have worked and lived off photography, from photojournalism to corporate and commercial.

Have worked in several european countries and have exhibited my work in Spain, France an the United Kingdom.

Nowadays I am committed to documentary photography, specially on themes that concern injustice, social discrimination and humanitarian issues.

About Awards

Photogrphy Grant awards \$1000 annually to the applicant with the most inspirational photographic idea to support his visual project.

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