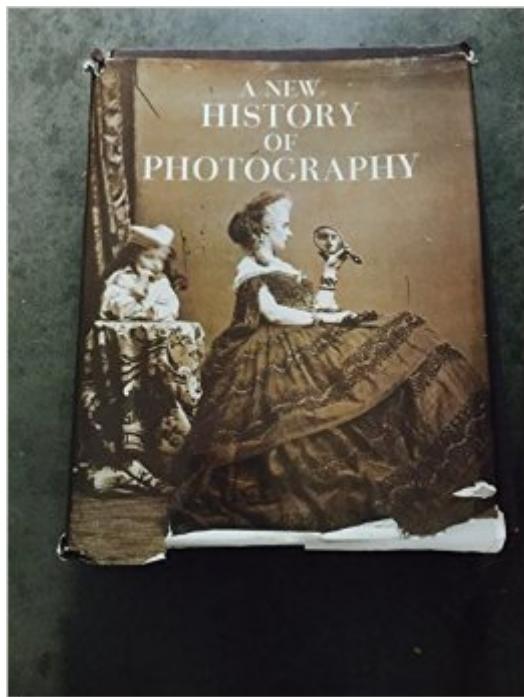


The book was found

A New History Of Photography



Synopsis

One can only imagine the amazement felt by L.J.M. Daguerre, when, in the summer of 1839, he gazed upon the first photograph ever made. An image of the view from his Paris apartment of the bustling Boulevard du Temple, it was remarkably detailed yet mysteriously vacant, save for a single man in the distance who appeared to be having his boots polished; the rest of the passersby evaded capture due to the necessarily long exposure. And thus began the world-shaking practice of photography. A New History of Photography was created after the French Ministry of Culture observed that there were no books produced in France that addressed the history of the art form. Rather than present the standard chronological survey, this book's creators chose to produce a volume that would encompass photography's historical evolution as well as its role in society. Editor Michel Frizot writes a substantial portion of the text, along with 29 additional authors who offer a plethora of analytical information and a wide variety of points of view. Periods, social practice, contextual analysis, historical questions, influential innovations, and aesthetic turning points are explored around themes ranging from chemistry to the snapshot, ethnography to color printing, evidence to advertising, and much, much more. This ambitious book includes many images not familiar to an American audience, offering a fascinating visual smorgasbord that demonstrates the breadth of applications and interpretations that photography has seen from its very inception. Put simply, it is a book about why people take photographs and what photographs can do. At a whopping 776 pages, this weighty volume has something for everyone. --A.C. Smith

Book Information

Hardcover: 775 pages

Publisher: Konemann; First Edition edition (January 1999)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 3829013280

ISBN-13: 978-3829013284

Product Dimensions: 12.2 x 9.7 x 2.3 inches

Shipping Weight: 8.7 pounds

Average Customer Review: 4.9 out of 5 stars See all reviews (10 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #134,910 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #39 in Books > Arts & Photography > Photography & Video > Criticism & Essays #116 in Books > Arts & Photography > Photography & Video > History

Customer Reviews

This is a lot of book. A lot, a lot of book. Its essays are well written to be easily accessible, clearly showing that the contributors understand and are passionate about photography. Clever thematic content allows you to browse at topics that interest you rather than get lost in a strictly chronological rendition of photography's development. The essays deftly weave together the various influences on the medium as it mutated over time. But best of all are the hundreds of photos, many that neither I nor other professional photographers I know have ever seen published elsewhere. Serious photographers are interested in the development of photographic representation. This book is the ideal place to begin to get to grips with that whole fascinating topic. Highly recommended.

The New History of Photography is just that as it breaches the subjects of the commercialization of photography, not as a demeaning factor, but as an evolutionary factor showing that even those in the pantheon of photography / artists contributed to this evolution. The other thing is that it shows a larger world view of photography and features great essays on Czech and Japanese photographers while also mentioning large and small movements or groups from western Europe, Russia and the United States of America. This book is a treasure trove of images printed in good quality that are hard to find. This is a must buy for any scholar of photography history and any student of photography that wants to understand how photography has reached where it is and how one is part of a very diverse form of art.

Yes, we all love Avedon, Bourke-White, Capa, Doisneau, etc. But do we all understand how photography evolved from gelatine and silver plates, to Man Ray and then Newton? If you want to have a general perspective of the history of photography, and access to wonderful pictures not previously divulged to the general public, I would recommend this comprehensive and well organized book

This is the most complete, impartial and accurate book on History of Photography. It tells everything about almost every area of photography. It's a great learning tool. Ideal for those who are making photography courses simply curious

Maybe the most important history of photography book I have come across. It re-invents the history genre and is a constant source of ideas for me. Chapters Titles Like: The Urban Machine, The Dream of Beauty, Forms of Looking and Automated Drawing tell you this book is not your typical college text book. It should be required reading by all students of any artistic medium since

photography has influenced pretty much everything since the Camera Obscura.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

PHOTOGRAPHY: Photography Business - 20 Crucial Tips to Kickstart a Successful Photography Business (Photography, Photoshop, Photography Books, Photography ... Photography Business, Digital Photography) PHOTOGRAPHY: Fashion Photography - 8 Practical Fashion Photography Tips For Your Models to Shine (Photography, Photoshop, Digital Photography, Photography Books, Photography Magazines) DSLR: DSLR Photography: Learn How to Master the Art of DSLR Photography the Quick and Simple Way: DSLR Photography: DSLR Photography for Beginners: DSLR ... Photography, History of Photography) Photography: DSLR Photography Secrets and Tips to Taking Beautiful Digital Pictures (Photography, DSLR, cameras, digital photography, digital pictures, portrait photography, landscape photography) Photography: Photography Lighting Hacks: 7 Must Know Lighting Tips For Dramatically Stunning Photos..Every Time (photography lighting, portrait photography, ... photography, creativity, dslr photography) Photography Business: Sell That Photo!: 10 Simple Ways To Make Big Bucks Selling Your Photography Online (how to sell photography, freelance photography, ... to start on online photography business) Photography: The Ultimate Editing Guide To Enhance And Create Stunning Digital Photos (Photography, Digital Photography, DSLR, Photoshop, Photography Books, ... Photography For Beginners, Photo Editing) Photography Business Box Set: Master the Art of Wedding Photography and Start Your Own Business (business photography, business photography, starting photography business) Photography: The Complete Beginners Guide to Taking BRILLIANT Photographs that Capture Your Amazingly Beautiful World (Photography for Beginners - Digital Photography, Photography Books) Photoshop: Photography for Beginners & Photoshop Box Set: Master The Art of Photography and Photoshop in 24h or Less!!! (Photography, Digital Photography, ... Digital, Portrait, Landscape, Photoshop) Photography: DSLR Photography Made Easy: Simple Tips on How You Can Get Visually Stunning Images Using Your DSLR (Photography, Digital Photography, Creativity, ... Digital, Portrait, Landscape, Photoshop) Photography for Beginners & Photoshop Lightroom Box Set: Master Photography & Photoshop Lightroom Tips in 24 Hours or Less! (Photography Tips - Wedding ... - Adobe Photoshop - Digital Photography) Photography: Complete Guide to Taking Stunning,Beautiful Digital Pictures (photography, stunning digital, great pictures, digital photography, portrait ... landscape photography, good pictures) Photography & Photoshop Box Set: Includes Photography for Beginners, Stupid. Simple. Photoshop, Photoshop, Portrait Photography & Photography Business Photography: Portrait Photography: 9 Tips Your Camera Manual Never Told You About Portrait Photography Photography: Photography Lighting: Top 10 Must-Know

Photography Lighting Facts to Shoot Like a Pro in Your Home Studio Quadcopters and Drones: How to Bring Your Photography or Videography to the Next Level (Drone Photography - Aerial Drone Photography - Quadcopter book - Aerial Drone Videography) Photography: The Photoshop Guide to Photography - How to Master Your Photoshop Skills And Create Stunning Images Easy (Photography Photoshop Handbook Series) Photography: Landscape Photography: 10 Essential Tips to Take Your Landscape Photography to The Next Level DSLR PHOTOGRAPHY:(Box Set 2 in 1): The Beginners Guide to Master DSLR CAMERA & Improve Your DSLR PHOTOGRAPHY Skills in 24 Hours or Less! (Step by Step ... Beginners, Digital SLR Photography Skills)

[Dmca](#)