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### Education

MA Photography, London College of Communication, UK BA (Hons) Photography, University of Westminster, UK BA (Hons) Business Studies, Thames Polytechnic, UK

# Some Recent Experiences and Exhibitions

**Another Country** - British Documentary Photography Since 1945, by Gerry Badger, forward by Martin Parr Thames & Hudson (London, UK), 2022

#### Valley Ffocws

**South Wales Photography Collective**, 2020 · Present

#### University of East London School of Art and Architecture, 2007-2018

#### **Doomed Gallery**

'The City and Erotic Body Politic' - Stacey Clare, Julie Cook, Paul Davies 'E.L.S.C. FILES '- Julie Cook Ridley Road, London Curated by Kenneth Flaherty, 2018

#### **APHE Summer Conference**

Association for Photography in Higher Education 'Documentary at a Distance: Archive, Technology, Fiction'
University of South Wales, 2018

#### **Photographers Gallery Bookshop**

E.L.S.C. FILES - Julie Cook 16-18 Ramillies St, Soho, London, 2018

#### Casa des Artes

'The Book Dispersed' Porto, Portugal Curated by Media Instáveis/ Unstable Media, 2017

#### **Galerie Frank Elbaz**

'PARIS TEXAS' - Francis Alÿs, Davide Balula, Julie Cook, Robert Rauschenberg, Ed Ruscha, Blair Thurman Glass St, Texas, USA Curated by Paul Galvez, 2017

#### **UH Galleries**

'Sightlines: Public and Private (Lives) - Julie Cook College Lane, Hatfield Curated by Matthew Shaul

#### Speakers

Gerry Badger, Lara Clifton, Julie Cook, Paul Davies, Blanche Dubois, Dr Nerys Mathias College Lane, Hatfield, 2015/16

#### Contributor

Work from OM Ltd

#### **Founder**

Lead Artist, collective project
The Former Lady Windsor Colliery Site/ THE FIELD

#### BA Senior Lecturer/MA Programme Leader

BA (Hons) Photography/MA Photography

# Public Lecture Series Facilitator, Speaker and Exhibitor

Facilitator and speaker bringing together members of the collective and architecture historian for a lecture series that preceded the 'E.L.S.C. FILES' an exhibition and collaborative book project with the East London Strippers Collective

#### Speaker

'E.L.S.C. FILES' presentation and discussion on the photographic archive with Daniel Blaufuks, Charles Fox, Alex Ajin and Isaac Blease ICVisual

#### **Facilitator and Speaker**

E.L.S.C. Photographers Gallery Instagram takeover and bookshop talk with Stacey Clare and Edie Lamort, members of the collective

#### **Exhibitor**

Group exhibition of diverse methods found in books produced by artists

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Group exhibition based on the film Paris, Texas (1984) by German avant-garde filmmaker Wim Wenders and explores the modernist fascination with things like deserts, concrete overpasses, drive-in banks, bill-boards and strip clubs and modern transport as a mode of displacement and estrangement

#### **Exhibitor**

Solo exhibition. 20 years of Julie Cook's photographic work; evidencing representations of the body, sexuality, voveurism.

#### **Symposium Facilitator and Exhibitor**

Symposium event bringing together cross disciplinary photographers, filmmakers, writers, architects and dance specialists on issues raised by the exhibition and around the body, performance and the city.

### **Publications**

'Another Country' - British Documentary Photography Since 1945, by Gerry Badger, forward by Martin Parr, in close collaboration with the Martin Parr Foundation, 2022

'E.L.S.C. FILES', artists' book, Back in Black Publishing, 2018

'SOME LAS VEGAS STRIP CLUBS', artists' book, second edition, Back in Black Publishing, 2017

'Olympia Moments Ltd', limited edition artists' book with Paul Davies, Back in Black Publishing, 2014

'VARIOUS SMALL BOOKS: Referencing Various Small Books by Ed Ruscha', contributor, The MIT Press, 2013

'DRESSED, artists' book, Back in Black Publishing, series with ABC Artists' Book Cooperative, 2012

'BEAUTIES OF TODAY', artists' book, Back in Black Publishing, 2011

'Reno', limited edition artists' book, limited edition with Paul Davies, Back in Black Publishing, book, 2010

'SOME LAS VEGAS STRIP CLUBS', artists' book, first edition, Back in Black Publishing, 2008

**'Las Vegas Diaries'** limited edition artists' book with Paul Davies, edited by Mark Rappolt, Back in Black Publishing, 2005

'The Architects Guide to Fame: A Collection of Essays on why they got famous and you didn't', by Paul Davies and Torsten Schmiedeknecht, 43 photographs by Julie Cook, Architectural Press, 2005

**'Zeropolis'** by Bruce Begout, 28 colour photographs by Julie Cook, Reaktion, 2004 Paul Davies, Reaktion

### **Awards**

London Photographic Awards, Gold, 2012 London Photographic Awards, Finalist, 2008 Arts Council Production Grant, Four Corners, 2007/8 Erotic Awards, Book Winner, Baby Oil and Ice, 2002

# Biog

Julie Cook (b.St Albans, Herts, UK) was based in London and now lives and works in Ynysybwl in South Wales. An artist whose work is photography based, Julie Cook has engaged with issues of voyeurism within personal and public spaces of the city. Much of the work is collaborative in the making and also often in its outcomes. Julie Cook has focused on artists' book as part of the process of work. This includes the award winning Baby Oil and Ice, Striptease in East London, the Las Vegas Diaries, Some Las Vegas Strip Clubs, Beauties of Today and Olympia Moments Ltd and The E.L.S.C. FILES. The work has been exhibited internationally and is part of private and public collections including the V&A. It was included in a group show, Paris Texas, with Ed Ruscha and Robert Rauschenberg in Dallas and included in a new publication - Another Country: British Documentary Photography Since 1945 by Gerry Badger, in collaboration with the Martin Parr Foundation, Thames & Hudson (London, UK, 2022).