

Baltic Salt Print Masterclass with Gintautas Trimakas

Saturday 16th November (10am - 5pm)

Street Level Photoworks, Trongate 103



Street Level Photoworks is pleased to welcome Gintautas Trimakas to deliver a specialist Baltic Salt Print Materclass, offering a unique opportunity to learn from Lithuania's leading practioner of alternative photographic processes. Gintautas Trimakas was born in Vilnius, Lithuania in 1958. He started taking photographs in the 1980s. He taught photography at the Vilnius Academy of Arts and is now considered as one of the most important Lithuanian conceptual photographers.

In 1993 Trimakas undertook a residency at Street Level and was part of the exhibition 'Borderlands: Contemporary Photography from the Baltic States', the first major exhibition in Britain of work from the Baltic nations, organised by Street Level and Peeter Linnap (Estonia), with assistance from Valts Kleins (Riga) and Trimakas (Vilnius). Work by Trimakas was also included in 'Poetic Documents' during Street Level's Season of Lithuanian Photography in 2013, marking 20 years since that first show and also coinciding with Lithuania's Presidency of the Council of the European Union that year. This event is part of a series which highlights key projects celebrating Street Level's 30th Anniversary.

The masterclass is free but spaces are limited to six participants and geared towards practicing photographers. As such spaces will be allocated upon application - we will notify successful applicants on Tuesday 12th, if you have not heard from us by that time then you have not been selected. We expect the interest will far outstrip the places available and unfortunately we are unable to enter into any correspondence on your submission. In order to apply for the Baltic Sea Print Masterclass **please send a 100 word statement outlining your reasons for wishing to attend, alongside a link to your website in order to view your work.** Please send your applicaiton to exhibitions@streetlevelphotoworks.org by **5pm Monday 11th November.**