

# paul rider

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## Education

MFA in Photography - Savannah College of Art & Design, Savannah, GA. - recipient of Presidential Scholarship  
BFA in Photography - Philadelphia College of Art, "University of the Arts", Philadelphia, PA.

## Fellowships

2008-2010 - CFEVA - Center for the Emerging Visual Artist - Philadelphia, PA.

## Teaching experience

2022 - 2024, Uarts, Philadelphia PA., Adjunct Professor, Digital Photography, Studio Lighting  
2013 - **present**, Penn State University, Abington PA., Adjunct Professor  
Basic, Intermediate, Advanced Art Photography - Digital and Film, DSLR, 35mm, medium format and view camera  
Chronology of Photography - History of Photography  
Instrumental in creating Photography Concentration within Art Department  
2011 - **present**, PCAD, Lancaster PA., Adjunct Professor  
History of Photography, Alternative Processes, Documentary: Objectivity and Influence Traditional, Digital Photo  
Montage, Fundamental & Advanced Lighting, Fashion and Product Advertising Photography, Pure Seduction - The  
Advertising Image, Senior Thesis Committees, Portfolio Reviews.  
2011 - 2012, Tyler School of Art, Temple University - Art and Art Education, Philadelphia, PA., Adjunct Professor  
Art Photography - Digital  
2010 - Tyler School of Art, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA., Adjunct Professor  
Advanced B&W and Hybrid Photo Workshop (portfolio development) & View Camera, Independent Studies  
2010 - Tyler School of Art, Temple University - Art and Art Education, Philadelphia, PA., Adjunct Professor  
Advanced and Intermediate Darkroom Photography  
2008 - 2009, Marywood University, Art Department, Scranton, PA., Adjunct Professor  
Basic Darkroom Photography & Advertising and Illustrative Photography I and II  
2004 - 2004, Delaware College of Art & Design, Wilmington, DE., Adjunct Professor  
Color Photography, Advanced Black & White Craft, and Studio Lighting.  
2003 - 2004, Bucks County Community College, Newtown, PA., Adjunct Professor  
Basic Darkroom Photography

## Workshop teaching experience

2020 - 2021, PPAC, Philadelphia, PA. *Various Digital Photography classes*  
2015 - Summer session, Overlook Field Studies, Waverly, PA. - University of Oregon, Department of Landscape Architecture  
Lecture and workshop on Landscape Photography  
1996 - Spring & Fall Horizons Elder Hostels, Saunderland, MA., Workshop instructor  
Basic and Intermediate Darkroom Photography.

## Gallery Curatorial experience

1988 - 1992, Level 3 Gallery, Philadelphia, PA., Founding Partner & Exhibition Curator  
Cooperative photography gallery. Acted as artist liaison, solicited artist's work, scheduled and installed exhibits.

## Photography experience

1986 - **present**, Freelance Photographer  
Creative advertising and assignment photography for editorial, product, still life, interiors and portraiture.  
2008 - 2009, TC Studios, Advertising Photographer, Lancaster, PA.  
Large interior set and product photography.  
2004 - 2006, The Shadowlight Group, Advertising Photographer, Lancaster, PA.  
Large interior set and product photography.  
2001 - 2004, Sky Visual Communications, Partner, Photographer, Philadelphia, PA.  
Design team combining Graphic Design, Photography and Creative Art Direction.  
1996 - 2002, The Franklin Mint Corporation, Senior Advertising Photographer, Franklin Center, PA.  
High end creative advertising studio photography.  
1995 - 1996, 1988 - 1992, Clover/Strawbridge & Clothier, Senior Photographer, Philadelphia, PA.

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## Selected Exhibitions

- 2024 - Group show, *Energy in Flux*, MMFA, Portland, ME
- 2023 - Group show, *Spiritual Ecology*, MMFA, Portland, ME
- *Forever*, Adams State University, Alamosa, CO
  - *Forever*, Viewpoint Photographic Arts Center, Sacramento, CA
- Group show, *Decoding the Domestic*, MMFA, Portland, ME
- 2021 - Finalist, *Fresh Annual* - Klompching Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- Group show, *Work Behind the Work* - The Demuth Museum, Lancaster, PA
- 2020 - *Chance* - Sonesta, Philadelphia, PA
- 2019 - *The Dignity of Trees* - Dedee Shattuck Gallery, Westtown, Ma.
- 2018 - 2018 Pingyao International Photography Festival, Pingyao, China
- 2018 - *The 77th Woodmere Annual* - Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 - *Art & Oppression* - Center, Santa Fe, NM.
- 2017 - *photosynthesis: from wood to paper* - Harrisburg Art Association, Harrisburg, PA
- 2015 - *89th Annual International Competition* - Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
- 2014 - *The Woodmere Annual* - Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2012 - *Drawn to the Light* - LGTripp Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2011 - *Organic Lines* - Abington Art Center, Abington, PA.
- *Chance* - Crane Arts Building, Philadelphia, PA.
  - *Dark on Light* - Viewpoint Photographic Art Center, Sacramento, CA., with Larry Blackwood
  - *Group Show of Work by New Artists* - Gallerie BMG, Woodstock, NY.
  - *Focus 4*, 4th Annual Abstract Photography Exhibition - LGTripp Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2009 - *The Exchange* - Pittsburgh Filmmakers/Pittsburgh Center of the Arts (PF/PCA), Pittsburgh, PA.
- *In Conversation with the Oracle* - CFEVA, Philadelphia, PA.
  - *Art of the State* - Pennsylvania 2009, Harrisburg, PA.
- 2008 - *InLiquid at Urban Outfitters* - Gallery at 543, Philadelphia, PA.
- *Perspectives* - Ice Box Project Space, Crane Art Building - Philadelphia, PA.
  - *Philadelphia Selections* - Pittsburgh Filmmakers/Pittsburgh Center of the Arts (PF/PCA), Pittsburgh, PA.
  - *82nd Annual International Competition, Photography* - The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA.
  - *Art of the State* - Pennsylvania 2008, Harrisburg, PA.
  - *Introductions '08* - the Galleries at Moore College of Art, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2007 - *Lines* - Photo 612, Haddon Heights, NJ.
- *From The Studio IV* - The Center for Emerging Visual Artists, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2000 - *Art of the State* - Pennsylvania 2000, Harrisburg, PA.
- 1997 - *Savannah Still Life* - Melwood Photography Gallery - Pittsburgh Filmmakers, Pittsburgh, PA.
- *Savannah Still Life* - Connecticut Photographics, Danbury CT.
  - *Savannah Still Life* - Southern Light Gallery, Amarillo College, Amarillo TX.
  - *Savannah Still Life* - Level 3 Gallery, Sam Houston State U., Huntsville TX., with Howard Steinberg
- 1996 - *Crossings* - Institute for Art & Photographic Resources, Peekskill, NY., with Jeffrey E. Warmouth
- 1995 - *Les Rencontres d'Arles* - Arles France
- 1989 - *Self* - Level 3 Photo Gallery, Philadelphia, PA., with Connie Imboden

## Collections

- The Print and Picture Collection, Free Library of Philadelphia, PA
- Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA.
- PNC Financial Services Group, Pittsburgh, PA.
- David H. Koch Center for Cancer Care at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY

## Publications

- *Lensculture*, Summer 2022 feature on 'Forever'
- *The Eye of Photography*, 11/08/2012 'Strange but Beautiful', 11/11/17 'Penance', 08/14/21 'Forever'
- *Context*, *The Journal of AIA Philadelphia* - "Philadelphia through the Lens" Spring 2008