

# TRIA GIOVAN

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1961 Born in Chicago, Illinois; Raised in St. Thomas, U.S.V.I.

## **Selected Solo Exhibitions**

2014 *Momentary*, 511 Gallery, New York, New York

2012 *Sand Sea Sky*, Clic Gallery, East Hampton, New York

1998 *Cuba-The Elusive Island*, Condeso/Lawler Gallery-New York, New York

1996 *Cuba-The Elusive Island*, Carla Stellweg Gallery-New York, New York

1994 *Cuba 1990-1994*, Condeso/Lawler Gallery-New York, New York

1992 *Lower East Side Interiors*, Grand Central Terminal, New York, New York

1990 *Lower East Side Interiors*, Henry Street Settlement-New York, New York

## **Selected Group Exhibitions**

2017/2018 *Cuba Is*, Annenberg Space for Photography, Los Angeles, California

2016 *Power and Politics*, Filter Space, Chicago, Illinois

2015 *Land Sea Sky*, The Parrish Art Museum, Water Mill, New York

2014 *Going Out*, 511 Gallery, New York, New York

2013 *From the Collection*, The Parrish Art Museum-Water Mill, NY

2013 *Vacate*, Midwest Center for Photography, Wichita, Kansas

2010 *Projection Night*, FotoWeek DC, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC

2009 *Massachusetts Review*, University Gallery Fine Arts-Amherst, Massachusetts

2007 *Viajeros*, Miami Dade College-Wolfson Campus, Miami, Florida

2005 *Viajeros*, Lehigh University Zoellner Gallery-Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

2002 *Cuban-American Art 2000*, U.S. Interest Section-Arts In Embassies, Havana, Cuba

1999 *We Meet Beyond the Sea*, Nicos Vernikos Musuem-Pireaus, Greece

1994 *Summer Salon*, Bonnie Benrubi Gallery, New York, New York

## **Collections**

The Museum of Modern Art, New York, New York

The Brooklyn Museum of Art, Brooklyn, New York

The New York Public Library, New York, New York

The Jewish Museum, New York, New York

The Parrish Art Museum, Water Mill, New York

Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Massachusetts

### **Speaking Appearances and Selected Mediagraphy**

IRIS Lecture series, Annenberg Center for Photography, Los Angeles, CA;  
*Cuba Is: Photographers Working in Cuba*, documentary

AIPAD, New York, NY; PS1 MOMA, New York, NY; Books and Books, Miami, FL;  
Barnes and Noble, New York,

### **Press**

Photographer's FORUM - The Cuba Archive: Tria Giovan, Spring 2018  
The Guardian- A country teetering on the precipice: Castro's Cuba in pictures, September 20 2017  
ANGELUS - The compelling images of 'Cuba Is', January 17 2018  
La Tercera – “El Período Especial” de Cuba en imágenes, December 16 2017  
Agencia EFE - Regresa la Cuba del "Período Especial" December 4 2017  
Marti Noticias - Fotógrafa de EEUU captó con su cámara la Cuba del "Período Especial", December 4 2017  
Hyperallergic- In New Photo Books, A strong Sense of Place, November 18 2017  
Sag Harbor Express- Giovan Captures Cuba As It Slips Into A New Age, November 7 2017  
luxedaily - Tria Giovan's Photos Present Cuba Like Never Before, October 18 2017  
Architectural Digest - Life in Cuba Like You've Never Seen It Before, October 9 2017  
Amuse - Documenting the Colours and Complexities of '90s Cuba, November 2 2017  
Yatzer - A Unique Beauty and Fighting Spirit Depicted by Tria Giovan in The Cuba Archive Book by Damiani, September 23 2017  
Diario Las Americas - Cuba enseña sus rincones ocultos en una muestra fotográfica en Los Angeles, September 6 2017  
The Farber Foundation Cuban Art News - Cuba Is, An Uncomfortable Show, September 4 2017  
La Opinión - La Nacion Cuba en fotografías: mucho más que Fidel Castro y el Che Guevara, August 29 2017  
artnetnews - Fall Art Preview: 30 of the Most Important Museum Exhibitions to See Around the Globe This Season, August 23 2017  
DailyMail - Unseen Cuba: Daily life in the island nation as it neared economic collapse in the early 1990s is shown in stunning photographic archive, July 5 2017  
LENNY - The Photographer Who Captured Cuba in the '90s, June 22 2016  
NUBI - Discover the Unseen World of 90s Cuba, June 2 2016  
COOL HUNTING - The Cuba Archive by Tria Giovan, December 16 2015

KENZO Paris - Book Corner #3: Sand Sea Sky, Tria Giovan, March 28 2014  
DART Design Arts Daily – Labor Day Blues, August 27 2013  
DART Design Arts Daily - Sand Sea Sky, August 30 2012  
DART Design Arts Daily - Sand Sea Sky, June 26 2012  
Clic Event ARTBOOK\_COM and DAP Distributed Art Publishers, June 25 2012  
The East Hampton Star - Beach Show-Stoppers for All Seasons, June 19 2012  
KDHamptons - Tria Giovan's Sand Sea Sky, April 5 2012  
Photographer's Forum - Noted: Sand Sea Sky, May 12, 2012  
Traditional Home - Photographer Dreamy New Book, March 15 2012  
New England Home - Midwinter Meditations, December 27 2011  
1stDibs - Tria Giovan - Thru the Lens, July 2011  
Harper's Magazine-Cuba The Elusive Island, April 1997  
Sun Sentinel-Pride Goes On In Cuba, November 10 1996  
Photographers Forum - Tria Giovan Interview Cuba, February 1995  
The Village Voice - Voice Choices, 1995

### **Grants/Awards**

International Photography Awards: *Sand Sea Sky: The Beaches of Sagaponack*  
Mid-Atlantic Arts Foundation Finalist-Baltimore, Maryland  
Arts in Embassies Exhibition Award-Washington, DC  
Artist Space-Exhibition Funding Grant-New York, New York  
Arts For Transit-Exhibition Grant-New York, NY

### **Affiliations**

Rebekah Jacobs/Vedado Gallery-Charleston, South Carolina  
Clic Gallery-New York City, East Hampton, New York  
Photo Eye Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico  
Corbis-New York, New York  
Red Cover-London, United Kingdom  
Soho Myriad, Atlanta, London, Los Angeles

### **Monographs**

*The Cuba Archive: Photographs 1990-1996*- Damiani-Italy 2017  
*Sand Sea Sky: The Beaches of Sagaponack*- Damiani-Italy 2012  
*Cuba-The Elusive Island*- Harry N. Abrams-New York 1996

### **Selected Bibliography**

*The Oxford American*-Oxford, Mississippi-Summer 2018

*Domestic Art-Curated Interiors*-Assouline-New York 2008

*Smithsonian Guides to Natural America*-Smithsonian Institution,  
Washington, DC 1996

*Aperture 141, Cuba: Image and Imagination*-New York 1996

*Graphis Fine Art Photography*- Graphis-Switzerland

*American Photography Thirteen*- Amilus Inc-New York 1995

*American Photography Ten* -Amilus Inc-New York 1993

*American Photography Seven*- Watson Guptil-New York 1991

### **Education**

Hampshire College, Amherst, Massachusetts,

B.A. Photography-1983

Study with Jerome Liebling, Abraham Ravett, Elaine Mayes