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## **LUCIEN HERVE AND RODOLF HERVE PRIZE 2014 – Photography**

Within the context of the *Mois de la Photo* 2014 [Photo Month] in Paris, the sixth Lucien Hervé and Rodolf Hervé Prize for Photography— based on the theme "Nature revisited"—was awarded to Ildikó Péter for her work entitled "Temporaire [Temporary]." Anne-Lise Seusse received special mention from the jury for his serial photographs "La dame du lac [The lady of the lake]."

Based on the recommendations of qualified experts: Béatrice Andrieux, Szabolcs Barakonyi, Virág Böröczfy, Armelle Canitrot, Claire Chevrier, Akos Czigány, György Gáti, Patrick Le Bescont, Hervé Le Goff, Ibolya Plank, Attila Pőcze —a pre-selected number of candidates' dossiers were presented to the jury.

On September 15, 2014, the jury members— agnès b., Olivier Beer, Didier Brousse, Elodie Cazes, Judith Hervé, Françoise Morin, Françoise Reynaud, Laura Serani et Leïla Colin-Navaï (representing the Ecole Spéciale d'Architecture de Paris)—deliberated on the finalists' work at the ESA.

Initiated by Judith and Lucien Hervé, in memory of their son Rodolf, in partnership with the Ecole Spéciale d'Architecture, this prize for photography, attributed every two years, recompenses the work of a young professional, aged 25–43, by enabling his or her artistic work to be better known. The competition is open to all candidates residing in France or Hungary for at least three years, regardless of their nationality.

The prize of 6,000€ will be awarded to the winner, and one photograph by Lucien Hervé or Rodolf Hervé presented to the recipient of the Special Mention of the Jury. A booklet will be distributed to the premiated photographers as well to the public.

The awards ceremony and exhibition opening of the winning photographs will take place on Thursday, November 13, 2014 at 18h00 within the gallery of the Ecole Spéciale d'Architecture, 254 boulevard Raspail, Paris 75014.

The show continues through Friday, December 19, 2014.