

# Chad Stuart Owsley

Photographer Educator Traveler

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## Professional Profile

Photographer specializing in documentary photography, destination/travel photography and multi-media production. Educator experienced in second language instruction, photography, and digital photographic workflow.

## Professional Experience (Details on p.2)

Photographer. Independent. Ongoing  
English Foreign Language Instructor. Guangdong Baiyun University. Sept, 2010 - present  
English language instructor. Jiujiang University. Sept, 2007 - July, 2010  
Graduate Assistant. Boston University. Sept, 2006 - May 2007  
Academic Tutor. The Art Institute of Colorado. August, 2004 - October, 2005  
Teva Mountain Games adventure photographer. 2004 - 2006  
Sunsations End-of-the-Season event photographer. April 2005  
Vail Daily Newspaper. Photography internship. Oct - Dec 2005  
Cheyenne Frontier Days event photographer. July 2004

## Education (Details on p.2)

Master of Science, Journalism. College of Communication, Boston University. Boston, MA. 2010  
Bachelor of Arts, Photography. The Art Institute of Colorado. Denver, CO. 2006  
Associate of Fine Arts w/honors, Photography. St. Louis Community College, Meramec. St. Louis, MO. 2003

## Academic Awards and Scholarships

NAPP Photoshop World Conference Scholarship. Spring 2007.  
Deans List, Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO. 2003-2006  
Presidents List, Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO. 2004, 2006  
John Jelico Award. Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO. 2004  
Deans List, STLCC Meramec, St. Louis, MO. 2000-2003

## Exhibitions ( \*Awarded) (Details on p.3)

Untitled 12. Co-artist private exhibit. Doja Art lounge. Denver, Colorado. July, 2006  
Art Institute of Colorado Spring Photo Exhibit. Juried exhibit. John Jelico Gallery. Denver, Colorado. 2006  
Teva Mountain Games Photography Exhibit. Juried exhibit. Demott Gallery. Vail, Colorado. 2006. \*Awarded.  
Art Institute of Colorado Spring Photo Exhibit. Juried exhibit. John Jelico Gallery. Denver, Colorado. 2005  
Teva Mountain Games Photography Exhibit. Juried exhibit. Demott Gallery. Vail, Colorado. 2005. \*Awarded.  
STLCC Spring Art Exhibit. Juried exhibit. STLCC, Meramec Art Gallery. St. Louis, Missouri. 2003. \*Awarded.  
Open Photography Exhibit. Juried exhibit. St. Louis Art Coop. St. Louis, Missouri. 2003  
Photography 2000. Juried exhibit. St. Louis Artists' Guild Gallery. St. Louis, Missouri. 2000

## Books & Publications (Details on p.3)

Jiujiang, Nine Rivers	Comment Magazine
Demotix.com	Boston Globe
Lens.com	St. Louis Post Dispatch
the515.com	Vail Daily news
Comtalk magazine	Urban Climber magazine

## Professional Memberships/Academic Societies

National Association of Photoshop Professionals. Since 2005  
Alpha Beta Kappa, Delta of Colorado. Honors Society. Since 2006

## Photography Skill set

Documentary	Advertising
Photojournalism	Architecture
Editorial	DSLR
Destination	35 mm
Travel	Medium format
Studio Portraiture	Large format
Environmental Portraiture	Studio lighting
Product	Continuous lighting
Fashion	Location lighting

## Digital Publication Skill Set

Image capture and work-flow	InDesign
Color correction/ calibration	Dreamweaver
Image re-touch	Premier Pro
Web site design	Soundbooth
Audio-visual production	Adobe Lightroom
Image editing hardware profiling	X Rite Monaco profiling
Post-production output	hardware/ software
optimization: RGB	Epson Professional Print
& CMYK print flow	Systems
Photoshop	

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Focus: Photojournalism. Targeted digital media publication methods including multimedia production and digital outlet alternatives to traditional print media via internet publications.

Thesis: Jiujiang, Nine Rivers. Self-published. Book length documentary photography project on contemporary lifestyle and culture in inner China from the perspective of mid-level urban living. Advisors: Professor Peter Southwick and Professor Peter Smith.

Bachelor of Arts, Photography. The Art Institute of Colorado. Denver, CO. 2006

Focus: commercial photography. Special interest: Documentary and Destination photography. Final Project: Community. Book length Photo documentary. Portraits of the Denver community. Visitor. Landscape photography book featuring New England, the American Southwest, and Midwest America. Advisors: Frank Varney; Department Chair, Terry Ownby; Instructor, and Angie Buckley; Instructor.

Associate of Fine Art w/honors, Photography. St. Louis Community College, Meramec. St. Louis, MO. 2003

## Professional Experience

Photographer. Independent, freelance, and assignment based photography. Ongoing.

Assignment photographer with Penta Press photo agency. International stock photography agency specializing in editorial and documentary photography.

Citizen journalist with Demotix Newswire service. International newswire specializing in photojournalism.

English language instructor: classroom instructor. Guangdong Baiyun University. Sept, 2010- present

Advanced Oral English for English Majors. Instruct first and second year English majors in general oral communication skills. Emphasized practical application, critical thinking skills, and standard English pronunciation.

Oral English for English Majors. Instruct second year English majors in general oral communication skills with emphasis on American English pronunciation and stress based language speaking skills.

English language instructor: classroom instructor. Jiujiang University. Sept, 2007- July, 2010

Advanced Oral English for English Majors. Instruct first and third year English majors in general oral communication skills. Emphasized practical application, critical thinking skills, and standard English pronunciation.

Introduction Foundation Year English course; a part of the NCC Education accrediting program. Instruct first year university students in a comprehensive English as a second language program.

Oral English - Advanced seminar for English majors. Instruct first, second, and third year English majors in general oral communication skills. Emphasized practical application, critical thinking skills, and standard English pronunciation.

English language instructor: classroom instructor. Jiujiang Vocational College. January 2008- July 2008.

Oral English for English Majors. Instruct first through third year English majors in general oral communication skills with emphasis on American English pronunciation and stress based language speaking skills.

Graduate Assistant: assistant to Professor Peter Smith, Associate Professor of Photojournalism. Boston University. Sept, 2006 - May 2007

Assisted in the instruction of JO537; Digital Fundamentals, under the supervision of Professor Peter Smith.

News Group organization and development.

Instructed tutorials and classroom sessions under the advice and supervision of Professor Peter Smith: supplemental to JO410; Advanced Photography for Non-majors.

Introduction to Digital Photography

Introduction to Digital workflow

Introduction to web site design and concepts for visual media

Academic Tutor. The Art Institute of Colorado. August, 2004 - October, 2005

Staff tutor for the AIC learning center.

Specialized assistance in digitally based photography and image processing computer programs: Adobe Design and Macromedia (now Adobe Creative Suite)

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## Professional Experience (continued)

General assistance to students with general computing needs in office and academic related software applications.

Teva Mountain Games adventure photographer. 2004-2006

Event and Sports photographer at Vail, Colo. Photographing extreme outdoor sports competition. Photographed as speculation for publication.

Sunsations Event photographer. Copper Mountain Ski Resort. 2006

Event and Entertainment photographer at Copper Mountain Ski resort. Photographed as speculation for publication.

Vail Daily Newspaper. Photography internship. Oct - Dec 2005

Staff photographer under the advise and supervision of Bret Hartman, Photo Editor.

Cheyenne Frontier Days event photographer. Cheyenne, WY. 2004

Event and Sports photographer hosted by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) and the city of Cheyenne, WY . Photographed as speculation for publication.

## Exhibitions

*Untitled 12*. Co-produced private photography exhibit hosted with Susan McCash. Doja Art Lounge. Denver, CO. June 2006

*Teva Mountain Games, Photo Exhibition*. Juried exhibit. Demott Gallery. Vail, CO. 2006

*Spring Exhibit*. Faculty juried exhibit. John Jelico Gallery. Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO. 2006

*Teva Mountain Games, Photo Exhibition*. Juried exhibit. Demott Gallery. Vail, CO. 2005

*Spring Exhibit*. Faculty juried exhibit. John Jelico Gallery. Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO. 2005

*Spring 2003 Exhibit*. Faculty juried exhibit. Meramec Art Gallery. St. Louis, MO. 2003

*Photogrammar*. Artist assembled photography exhibition. St. Louis Art Coop. St. Louis, MO. 2003

*Photography 2000*. Photo exhibition. Juried exhibit. St. Louis Artists' Guild's Gallery. Saint Louis, MO. 2000

## Awards

Category division winner: Landscape. Teva Mountain Games, Photography competition. 2006

Sprint® Peoples Choice Award. Teva Mountain Games, Photography competition. 2005

Honorable Mention. Spring 2003 Exhibit. Photography competition. St. Louis Community College, Meramec. 2003

## Books and Publications

Jiujiang, Nine Rivers. Photo-documentary. Book length introduction to Chinese society, lifestyle, and culture in a prefecture level city. 141 pages. Self-published. Print on demand by Blurb Inc..

Demotix.com. Nov 7, 2009. Caught in the rain on a cloudless day. News Widget. UK news wire service focused on global citizen journalism. Online.

Comtalk. Fall 2008. Teenagers break dancing in Thailand. Parting Shot. Inside back cover. Spotlight. Magazine.

Comtalk. Fall 2007. Iron Guild Raising the Dead metallurgy show. Front Cover.

Jacques Cabaret. Pictures Worth More than Ever. Written by: Patrick Kennedy. Article. Magazine

the Comment magazine. 2007. Child and Mother. Front Cover. Zoroastrianism. Written by: Abby Jordan. Article. Magazine.

Lens.com. Traffic. Multimedia news story.

Bridging the Gap. Multimedia news story. Published by the College of Communication at Boston University. Internet Web site.

Boston Globe. In Corsets and fishnets, 'Rocky' fans party on. Dec 3, 2006. Written by: Heather Schultz. Newspaper.

Vail Daily. Daily news, sports, and feature photojournalism. October- December 2005.

Urban Climber. December/January 2005. Brian Gallant back flip dismount. Finish Hold #2. Addicted to Competition. Written by: Brian Gallant. Inside back cover. Magazine.

St. Louis Post Dispatch. 2003. Spot news photojournalism. Newspaper.