## CHICAGO STEREO CAMERA CLUB 76<sup>th</sup> Lighthouse International Exhibition of Stereo Photography 2024

Lighthouse Show 2024 Award Winners and Accepted Images



Sponsored by The Chicago Stereo Camera Club In March, 1952 - when stereo photography was on everyone's mind - the Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind sponsored a "Snow Ball", an annual fund-raising event. A feature of the intermission was an invitational exhibition of 3-D photography. Well-known personalities, including actor Harold Lloyd and the drugstore chain's Myrtle Walgreen, were invited to exhibit. Many members of the Jackson Park Camera Club's 3- D section also exhibited.

The "Snow Ball" became the foundation stone of the Chicago Stereo Camera Club. A group of stereographers under the guidance of Robert L. McIntyre, Camera Editor of the Chicago Tribune, organized the club with hosting the Chicago Lighthouse International Exhibition of Stereo Photography as one of its primary purposes. The club joined the Photographic Society of America with the result that shows had to be conformed to meet PSA's rigid exhibition standards. Workshop parties were held often and club members attended not only to participate but to support, serve and cheer those who were doing the work. At public presentations, ladies of the club wore gowns and the gentlemen dressed accordingly, a sign of the lofty position the club held in Chicago society.

Today, the Chicago Lighthouse International Exhibition of Stereo Photography is proud to be listed as one of the longest continuing contributors to the Chicago Lighthouse.

Since 1906, The Chicago Lighthouse, Servicing the Blind, Visually Impaired, Disabled and Veteran Communities has been creating opportunities to enable these people to have equal access to education and employment.

Housed under its roof at 1850 W. Roosevelt Rd. in Chicago are the nation's oldest and most prominent Low Vision Clinic; a clock manufacturing facility in which visually impaired workers produce clocks that are distributed around the world; a nationally acclaimed school for children with multi-disabilities; an innovative Legal Clinic to assist people who are blind in combating discrimination; a store carrying over 350 items designed to assist people who are blind or visually impaired with daily living; a radio station broadcasting the latest in news and a variety of other programs to a global audience of people who are blind; a library providing blind or visually impaired students with Braille and large print textbooks.

The sponsors of this International Exhibition of Photography have been awarded Recognition by the Photographic Society of America (PSA), the world's largest patron of international photographic exhibitions. PSA, although it has provided recognition, is neither a sponsor nor directly involved in the operation of this exhibition.

Valid acceptances received by PSA Members in recognized sections of this exhibition are eligible for PSA Star Ratings, listing in the world-wide PSA *Who's Who of Photography* and credited towards the PSA Distinctions of QPSA, PPSA, EPSA, MPSA, MPSA2, GMPSA, GMPSA/B, GMPSA/S, GMPSA/G and GMPSA/P.

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# 2024 Lighthouse Committee

Chairman: Robert Curtis 1422 W Stephenson St, Freeport IL 61032

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Eugene Mitofsky, APSA, PPSA, M1 Arizona, USA Elizabeth Mitofsky\*\*\* Arizona, USA experienced stereographers Bob Davidson, Arizona, USA Featured photographer on the "Carnival Nights" U.S.stamp series

BEST OF SHOW AWARD Geoff Peters Virginia, USA "Balloon Flowers"

### Conferences

2025 National Stereoscopic Association Convention, 3D-Con Hilton Minneapolis/St Paul Airport in Bloomington, Minnesota August 3 -- August 11, 2025 free shuttle from airport 1.5 mile from Mall of America Details to be Announced http://www.3D-Con.com

> 2025 ISU Congress Wageningen International Congress Center Wageningen, Netherlands August 18 -- August 25, 2025 http://www.ISU3D.org/congress

The Lighthouse has a comprehensive facility outside of its main location in downtown Chicago: Lighthouse North, at 222 Waukegan Road in Glenview. This facility provides the same world-class services in its Vision Rehabilitation Center including examinations, occupational therapy, and psychological counseling. Additionally, it offers a wide array of programming for children, youth, and senior adults, as well as free legal counseling. The Tools for Living retail store showcases the latest assistive devices and adaptive technology.



Entry fees and donations received at public showings of this salon have supplied some of the funds required for non-grant items essential to the operation of The Chicago Lighthouse. The Chicago Stereo Camera Club is proud to be the sponsor and contributor for the seventy-sixth consecutive year. A voluntary contribution, in addition to your entry fee, will help continue the good work. We thank you for your support. Please take a virtual tour of The Lighthouse at www.chicagolighthouse.org.

Locations: 1850 West Roosevelt Road, Chicago, IL 60608, (312) 666-1331 222 Waukegan Road, Glenview, Illinois 60025 847-510-6200.

STATISTICS			
	DIGITALS		
	entered	accepted	honors
Alabama	4	1	0
Arkansas	4	0	0
California	20	8	2
Georgia	8	5	0
Illinois	24	5	2
Kansas	4	2	0
Michigan	4	3	1
Minnesota	4	1	0
Ohio	4	3	1
Oklahoma	4	2	0
Oregon	8	5	0
South Carolina	4	4	1
Virginia	8	1	1
Washington	12	7	2
Wisconsin	4	1	0
Australia	20	9	2
China	4	3	1
England	16	9	0
Germany	4	2	0
India	4	2	0
Netherlands	8	2	1
Norway	4	1	0
Spain	4	3	0
Totals	180	79	14

Allen, David W, Master 7, EPSA Oregon, USA Pink Orchid 7 White flowers 3

Barbera, Josep,\*\*\*\* Alicante, Spain Babieca Six Months Old Supergirl

Bergman, Mat,\* California, USA Upper Sentinel Skylight

**Bloomberg, Robert,** Master 15 *California, USA* Chicago Underground Cyrus

**Braun, Bruno**, M18, MPSA, EFIAP *Germany* Locomotive Painted Mountains

**Brennan, Mark** *NSW, Australia* Blue Waterholes, **Honorable Mention** Floating Trams The Otways Rainforest

**Cosentino, Michael**,\*\*\*\* *Minnesota, USA* Red Bloom

**Davis, Brian**,\*\*\*\* *Derbys, England* Supporting the Building

**Emmerich, Signe**, EPSA, HonPSA *Wisconsin, USA* Sturgeon Bay Lighthouse

**Ewen, Jeff**,\*\* *Washington, Australia* Waterfall Beach 1

**Green, Dennis**, M5, APSA, PPSA *Michigan, USA* Abandoned Swings Welcome Station 13, **Honorable Mention** 

**Green, Melinda** *California, USA* Jerry Sam

Harvey, Kevin Kent, England Miniature Steamer The Modelmaker Epic Tintagel

**Hjellen, Greg**,\*\*\*\* *Washington, USA* Berries Developing Blackberry Droopy Vaseful

Hughes, Steve\*\*\*\* Georgia, USA Banjul Traffic Kyoto Kinkakuji Temple Zimbabwe-Victoria Falls

Hughes, Suzanne\*\*\*\* APSA Georgia, USA Mount Rushmore Tadaji Temple Prayer Hall Jablonski, Andrzej Leicestershire, England Spotted Longhorn Beetles Mating Ladybird Pollen Laden Honey Bee

Kaufman, Lawrence, Master 1, PPSA *California, USA* Infinty, Best Creative

**Kovar, Ken** *Illinois, USA* Forest Path in Autumn Pour in Progress, **Honorable Mention** Autumn Stairway

**Levine, Michael** *Victoria, Australia* Trulli

**Medhurst, Derek** *Kent, England* Power restored Swansea remembers

Metcalfe, Jim NSW, Australia The Neighbours Wattle Camouflaged Gecko Freshly Fallen

**Muzatko, Jack**\*\*\*\* *California, USA* Lehman Caves Mountain Clouds, **Honorable Mention** 

Nair, VGM\*\*\*\* APSA, QPSA *Kerala, India* Lanzia Saura Tribal Women Soya Fermenting

**Perez, Greg\*\*** *Kansas, USA* Amaryllis Cannas

**Peters, Geoff**, M-7, EPSA *Virginia, USA* Balloon Flowers, **Best of Show** 

**Philosophos, George** *Illinois, USA* Contemplating Wildlife, **Best Image by a CSCC Member** Typewriter Eraser

**Pratt, Lee**, Master 12, Hon PSA *Alabama, USA* Painting the Cars

**Price, Bob** *NSW, Australia* Wing Through The Window, **Honorable Mention** 

**Reynolds, Chris**, M8, MPSA South Carolina, USA Three Witches At Rollright Getting Ready To Sip Jocassee Overlook Fall In Blue Valley, **Honorable Mention** 

**Schalekamp, Ronald** *OV, Netherlands* Dahlia, **Honorable Mention** Busy bee

Synnevaag, Roald\*\*\* GMPSA GPSA APSA Norway Setesdal **Taylor, Charles**, APSA *Oklahoma, USA* Flying Low Olympic Kayak Trials 01

**Themelis, George**, M4, APSA *Ohio, USA* Natures Pattern Pima Air and Space Museum, **Lighthouse Certificate** Surprise Visit

**Turley, Stewart** *Washington, USA* Hoya Closeup Last of the Seeds, **Best Macro** 

#### AWARDS

Venezia, Bob\*\*\*\*\*

Washington, USA

Certificate

Wessing, Steve

Rainbow In A Bottle

**Recursive Reality** 

Zhou, Fenghua

Oregon, USA

Sunny Bee

China Lotus1

Lotus4

Hula Dancer No. 8

Tornado Bubble No. 8, Lighthouse

Lotus3, Lighthouse Certificate

**Lighthouse Trophy for Best of Show** "Balloon Flowers" by **Geoff Peters**, M-7, EPSA

**Gold Medal for Best Creative Image** "Infinity" by **Lawrence Kaufman**, Master 1, PPSA

> Award for Best Macro "Last of the Seeds" by Stewart Turley

**Best Image by a CSCC Member** "Contemplating Wildlife" by **George Philosophos** 

Lighthouse Certificates "Pima Air and Space Museum," by George Themelis, M4, APSA "Tornado Bubble No. 8" by Bob Venezia "Lotus 3" by Fenghua Zhou

Honorable Mentions "Blue Waterholes," by Mark Brennan "Station 13" by Dennis Green, M5, APSA, PPSA "Pour in Progress" by Ken Kovar "Mountain Clouds" by Jack Muzatko\*\*\*\* "Wing Through The Window" by Bob Price "Fall In Blue Valley" by Chris Reynolds, M8, MPSA "Dahlia" by Ronald Schalekamp

#### Star requirements are:

STAR - at least 18 acceptances with at least 6 titles.
STARS - at least 36 acceptances with at least 12 titles.
STARS - at least 72 acceptances with at least 24 titles.
STARS - at least 144 acceptances with at least 48 titles.
STARS - at least 288 acceptances with at least 96 titles.

Master Awards: After achieving the 5 Star Rating, 75 acceptances from 25 different and new 3D images are required for each master level. The Recognition of Photography Awards are the Distinctions offered for members who have extensive exhibition records and excel to Star levels. PSA Distinctions: PPSA - Proficiency, EPSA – Excellence, MPSA - Master, and GMPSA – Grand Master.

PSA recognizes individuals and clubs for their exceptional service with PSA Service Awards. PSA Honors: APSA - Associate, FPSA - Fellow, Hon. PSA – Honorary Membership, Hon. FPSA – Honorary Fellow

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