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“JASON HAILEY: THE SELECTIVE EYE – PHOTOGRAPHY AS ABSTRACTION”

IPHF’s Most Dramatic Exhibition Yet

August 16th – November 4th, 2017

St. Louis, MO, August 2, 2017 – *The International Photography Hall of Fame and Museum* proudly presents:

“Jason Hailey: The Selective Eye – Photography as Abstraction” showing August 16th – November 4, 2017. This exhibition is sponsored by Collins & Hermann Infrastructure Solutions, Emerson Electric Company, Steward Family Foundation, the Regional Arts Council, and Volunteer Lawyers and Accountants for the Arts.

Jason Hailey’s passion to increase visual awareness and heighten sensitivity to aesthetic values flow from his abstract interpretations of commonplace products and discarded debris. The dramatic transformations are pioneering works of abstract color photography, aggrandizing the world of fine art photography. With inspiration from our changing environment and society, Hailey’s style of photographing his raw realities will stimulate, shock, and spark our imaginations for new ideas, change and progress.

“Photography, like other art forms, is designing...it is the shaping of vision. A photographer must work with the eye...the ‘selective eye.’ Every square inch of the picture must work. It requires careful attention and time. Time is not a measure of creative work...we must be patient for the right moment.”

-Jason Hailey

In 1952, Jason Hailey established an advertising photography studio in Los Angeles, California. His unique career in advertising and fine art photography gained him many awards and honors for his distinguished work and professional contributions. Hailey’s



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work has appeared in *Life*, *Vogue*, *Time*, *Look*, and *Newsweek* magazines along with billboards, annual reports, and television commercials.

The International Photography Hall of Fame and Museum is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to celebrate the achievements of the inventors, pioneers, and pivotal artists throughout the history of photography

Museum Hours: Wednesday – Saturday, 11am – 5pm **Cost:** \$5 Adults, \$3 Seniors and Students, Free to Members and Children.

For more information about this exhibit, please contact Patty Wente at patty.wente@iphf.org.