

## ABOUT

Steffen Schrägler was born in Germany in 1973 and discovered his passion for photography while living in Ireland. For more than 20 years he has worked internationally as a professional photographer where his work has been commissioned by global agencies, brands and architects. His personal work has been exhibited in various European cities, U.S.A. and U.K. He has received numerous prestigious awards including Architecture Photographer of the Year by the International Photography Award (IPA). By capturing reality—injustices and imbalances, as well as joy and beauty, his images reflect both the grace and neglect in our surroundings, how we treat ourselves and each other, where we come from and where we are going. He lives in Germany and Spain but is happiest when traveling by bike with camera in hand.



Accredited member of the [AOP – Association of Photographers in London/UK](#)  
Professional photographer in the honorable [BFF \(The Professional Association of Freelance Photographers and Film Creators\)](#)

## AWARDS

### 2020

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Honorable Mentions: Architecture, Landscape and Nature

**Fine Art Photo Awards**--Honorable Mentions: Cityscape, Landscape and People

### 2019

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Honorable Mentions: Architecture: Industrial and People: Children

### 2018

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Honorable Mentions: Advertising: Automotive and Architecture: Industrial

**Moscow International Foto Award (MIFA)**--Honorable Mention: Nature: 'Landscapes' El Golfo series

**Tokyo International Foto Award (TIFA)**--Honorable Mention: Advertising

### 2017

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Architecture Photographer of Year, Honorable Mention Awards: 'Fine Art: Landscape', 'Advertising: Automotive', and 'Sports: Other'

**Moscow International Foto Award (MIFA)**--Honorable Mention: Industrial Architecture

## **2016**

**Prix de la Photographie (Px3), Paris**--Honorable Mention: 'Cars in Formation' series

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Honorable Mention: 4 Awards in 'Nature', 'Sports', and 'Digitally Enhanced' categories

**Moscow International Foto Award (MIFA)**--Honorable Mention: 5 Awards including 'Buildings' and 'Landscape' series

## **2015**

**AOP Photography Award**--finalist 'Non-Commissioned Life-Series'

**Luerzer's Archive** '200 Best Ad Photographers Worldwide 2015/16'

**Blickfang/Germany**--'Best Photographers 2015/16'

## **2014**

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--Honorable Mention: 'Architecture,' 'Nature,' and 'Lifestyle'

**Moscow International Foto Awards (MIFA)**--'Architecture,' 'Nature,' 'Landscapes,' and 'Advertising'

**GoSee Award/Germany**--'Architecture'

## **2013**

**AOP Photography Award**--'Environment Series'

## **2012**

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--'Advertising Automotive'

**Luerzer's Archive** '200 Best Ad Photographers Worldwide'

## **2010**

**International Photography Award (IPA)**--'Architecture--Bridges' and 'Architecture--Buildings'

**AOP Photography Award**--'Non-Commissioned Object'

**American Photography Award**--'Landscape'

**Communication Arts Photography Annual 51 Award**--'Areal Photography Series'

**PDN Award/New York**--'Best Websites'

## **2009**

**Luerzer's Archive** '200 Best Ad Photographers Worldwide' in 3 categories

## **2008**

**Gruner + Jahr** (German Publisher) Photo Award---1st place 'Architecture'

## **2007**

**International Kodak Calendar Competition/Stuttgart**--3rd place 'Orphans in Cairo'

## **EXHIBITIONS**

**2019** 'The Streets,' Praxis Photo Arts Center, Minneapolis, USA  
**2018** 'Travelers,' Blank Wall Gallery, Athens, Greece  
**2017** 'Sicht Weise'-Photoweeks/BFF, Haus der Wirtschaft, Stuttgart, Germany  
**2014** 'Off the Clock' (APA Awards), PhotoLA, Los Angeles, USA  
**2010-11** AOP Red Dot Awards, Traveling exhibition in the UK  
**2007** 'I live here-Encounter with Muslim Orphans in Cairo,' Stuttgart, Germany  
**2002/04** 'Las Mujeres de Afghanistan,' Traveling exhibition in London and Spain  
**2000** 'Los Desplazados,' Traveling exhibition in Spain and Los Angeles, CA

## **SOCIAL PROJECTS**

**2019** Kampala Cycling Club, Uganda  
**2014** "Democracy in Egypt after the Revolution" with several photographic exhibitions in Cairo and Germany  
**2011-14** Calendar project with Kinderheim Rodt Orphanage--Lossburg, Germany  
**2009** Calendar Project for the Spanish agency Señora Rushmore, the Atlético Madrid football club, and the Isabel Gemio Association  
**2007** Reportage about orphans in Cairo, Egypt  
**2002/2004** Reportage about refugees in Kabul, Afghanistan  
**1999** Reportage about displaced Colombians

## **CLIENTS INCLUDE:**

**Audi / Far Ride Journal / Fed Ex / GQ Magazine / The Economist / Homag /  
Hyundai / Mitsubishi / Nissan / Porsche / Renault / Schmelzle & Partner  
Architects / Seat / Singletrack Magazine / Solid Bikes /  
Stihl / Subaru / Toyota / VW Magazine / w : architekten**