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The light of the sun is the basis not only of life on earth, but also of the medium of photography. A photographic image, in the original sense, is a reproduction of reflected sunlight. The photographs that make up the project presented here, *1h*, depict the light of the sun directly, without this being immediately evident. By registering the apparent course of the sun they also depict the passing of time, without this being immediately comprehensible. These images show a reality which can only be perceived by the classical means of photography, which in turn raises one of the essential questions of that medium, namely, that of the depictability of reality.

## What inspires you?

Traveling around with open eyes

## What does Facebook mean to you?

Nothing

## What are your preferred publication media?

Exhibition, book

## Do you live from your art?

Yes

## Which contemporary artist do you admire the most?

Robert Adams

## What website would you like to recommend?

www.clui.org

## What is currently your favorite photo book?

Joe Deal: West and West

## Any advice you'd like to give to young photographers?

Stay analog

## What is your favorite photography event?

I don't like events

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1/09/2008, 4:38 pm–5:38 pm, N 21°48.913' E 006°30.297'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



4/12/2009, 4:11 pm–5:11 pm, S 21°47.094' E 015°39.829'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



7/11/2007, 5:27 pm–6:27 pm, N 69°45.199' E 020°29.497'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



9/17/2006, 8:45 am–9:45 am, N 78°13.370' E 015°40.024'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



7/14/2007–7/15/2007, 11:28 pm–0:28 am, N 69° 37.661' E 018°13.470'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



9/14/2007, 9:05 am–10:05 am, N 78°12.965' E 015°42.657'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



2/26/2010, 7:54 am–8:54 am, S 36°49.622' E 175°47.340'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



4/15/2009, 7:02 am–8:02 am, S 21°50.398' E 015°11.352'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



7/27/2008, 7:07 am–8:07 am, N 38°38.269' E 034°49.963'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm



2/21/2010, 7:00 pm–8:00 pm, S 38°49.042' E 174°34.976'  
Gelatin silver print, 183 x 220 cm