Jacques-Jean Tiziou

"a photographer of profound talent and commitment."
- Spiral Q Artist-Activist Award

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Education

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. BA in Fine Arts, concentration in Photography. 2002

Washington International School, Washington, DC. International Baccalaureate, Chem, Bio & Math Higher. 1997

Artists U career development program selected as a member of class of 2010

The Eddie Adams Photojournalism Workshop selected as member of class XIV, 2001

Selected Projects

Mercy Ships

Served as ship's photographer onboard hospital ship in Lomé, Togo.

How Philly Moves

Celebration of Philadelphians through dance has resulted in three major public displays: An 85,000 sq ft mural commissioned by the City of Philadelphia Mural Arts Program spanning a half-mile stretch of parking garages at PHL International Airport, a month-long projection installation on the facades of the Kimmel Center for the Philadelphia International Festival of the Arts, and a permanent exhibit of 162 photographs in the Airport's baggage claim. For more info, please visit www.HowPhillyMoves.org

Live Arts / Fringe

Nine years of chronicling Philadelphia's dance and theater festival. This has led to many further collaborations with area dancers and choreographers.

Community Radio

Projects in Florida, Illinois, Oregon, Kenya & Honduras.

Medical Missions

Documented clinics and surgeries in Dominican Republic and Honduras.

Spiritual Activism

Documented activists and community leaders from around the country.

Farmworker Justice

Documented marches in Louisville, Los Angeles, Miami, Chicago & Tampa.

Selected Honors & Publications

How Philly Moves mural named as one of the 50 best public art projects by the 2012 Public Art Network Year in Review by Americans for the Arts

Recognized as one of city's 76 "Creative Connectors" by Leadership Philadelphia

"How Philly Moves: New possibilities in community-based public art" Published in Philadelphia Social Innovations Journal

Recipient of Spiral Q Artist-Activist Award

http://www.jjtiziou.net/about/publications

Teaching, Workshops & Artist Visits

The University of Pennsylvania The University of The Arts Temple University Drexel University Hussian School of Art The Art Institute of Philadelphia Moravian College Illinois Institute of Art University of Wisconsin Maseno University El Centro de Estudiantes St. Thomas Day School

The Brentwood School Greater Philadelphia Cultural Alliance Norris Square Neighborhood Project The University City Arts League Cape Cod Conservatory "Some photographers have the gift of capturing a subject's spirit in a single frame.

Others have the ability to reveal beauty in the unconventional.

A rare breed finds a way to serve their neighborhood while reaching out to the world with their talent.

Jacques-Jean "JJ" Tiziou ... does it all."

- Andrea Hammer, Philadelphia Bulletin

"We are proud to recognize JJ Tiziou, a photographer of profound talent and commitment.

Over the years, JJ has worked persistently to advance media justice,

communities' right to self-determination, and equitable labor practices"

- Spiral-Q Puppet Theater, Artist-Activist Award

"the Philadelphia arts community's favorite photographer" - BroadwayWorld

"It was as if he had trained with the dancers, just so he'd be ready to shoot the show."

- Ellery Biddle, Philadelphia Live Arts Festival & Philly Fringe Blog

"... a first-call freelance photographer and avid community activist"

– Martin Brown, UWISHUNU Artist Profile

"The man approaches his subjects with comfort and zeal..."

- John Vettese, Philadelphia City Paper

"... you shouldn't miss photographer Jacques-Jean Tiziou, known for his brilliant photos of the Fringe Festival" - Matt Blanchard, Philadelphia Inquirer,

"He's the go-to photo credit for every arts-related shot in this town" – Patrick Rapa, Philadelphia City Paper Choice Awards,

"...he firmly believes you can take an attractive portrait of anyone."

– Deni Kasrel, Philadelphia City Paper

"Fearless but unintrusive..."

- Lori Hill, Philadelphia City Paper