
Martin Parr

1952 Epsom, Surrey, UK

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2015

MMM, Le Rencontres d'Arles, Arles, France

A Taste for Mulhouse, La Filature, Mulhouse, France

Only in England (The Non-Conformists) with Tony Ray-Jones, Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool, United Kingdom

2014

The Amalfi Coast, Studio Trisorio, Napoli, Italy

Kamel Mennour, Paris, France

We Love Britain, Sprengel Museum, Hannover, Germany

Blindspot Gallery, Hong Kong

Black Country Stories, New Art Gallery Walsall, United Kingdom

Life's a Beach and Machu Picchu, Lima Photo Biennial, Lima, Peru

Martin Parr's Paris, MEP, Paris, France

2013

Only in England (The Non-Conformists) with Tony Ray-Jones, The Media Space, London, United Kingdom

Martin Parr / Retrospective, Galerie Paris-Beijing, Brussels, 2013

2012

Luxury and Beaches, Pékin Fine Arts, Beijing

No Worries, part of Fotofreo, Western Australian Maritime Museum, Fremantle, Australia

Life's a Beach, Bibliothèque municipale de Lyon, France

Souvenir, CCCB, Barcelona, Spain

2009

Planète Parr, Jeu De Paumme, Paris, France

2008

ParrWorld, Haus der Kunst, Munich, Germany

2005

Life along the A8 Corridor, The Lighthouse, Glasgow, United Kingdom

2002

Retrospective, Martin Parr Photoworks 1971 - 2000, Barbican Art Gallery

The Phone Show, Rocket Gallery, London, United Kingdom

1999

Common Sense, Rocket Gallery, London, United Kingdom

1998

Ooh La La, National Museum of Photography, Film and Television, Bradford, United Kingdom

1995

Home and Abroad, International Photography Meeting, Plovdiv, Bulgaria

Small World, The Photographer's Gallery, London, United Kingdom

1994

From A to B, 27 Welcome Break service stations, United Kingdom

1993

Home and Abroad, Watershed Gallery, Bristol, United Kingdom and tour

Bored Couples, Gallery du Jour, Paris, France and subsequent tour

A Year in the Life of Chew Stoke, Chew Stoke Village Hall, United Kingdom

1986

The Last Resort, Serpentine Gallery, London, United Kingdom

1984

A Fair Day, Orchard Gallery, Derry, Ireland and tour

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A Fair Day, Orchard Gallery, Derry, Ireland and tour

1982

Bad Weather, Photographer's Gallery, London, United Kingdom and tour

1981

The Non-Conformists, Camerawork, London, United Kingdom

1978

This is Your Life, South Pennine Information Centre, Hebden Bridge, United Kingdom

1976

Beauty Spots, Impressions Gallery, York, United Kingdom and tour

1974

Home Sweet Home, Impressions Gallery, York, United Kingdom

Selected Group Exhibitions

2015

Work, Rest and Play, OCT Loft, Shenzhen, China

2014

The Gothic, British Library, London, United Kingdom

Postcards from America, Milwaukee Art Museum, USA

Playgrounds, Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia, Madrid, Spain

Open For Business, National Media Museum, Bradford, United Kingdom

2012

Glam! The Performance of Style, Tate Liverpool, United Kingdom

2009

Georgian Spring, Uferallen, Berlin, Germany

2008

No Such Thing As Society: Photography in Britain 1968-1987, Leeds City Art Gallery, Leeds, United Kingdom

No Such Thing As Society: Photography in Britain 1968-1987, Tullie House, Carlisle, United Kingdom

Street & Studio, Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom

2006

Click Double Click, Haus der Kunst, Munich, Germany

2003

Cruel & Tender, Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom

1996

Who's Looking at the Family?, Barbican, London, United Kingdom

1991

British Photography from the Thatcher Years, MOMA, New York, USA

1989

The Art of Photography, Royal Academy, London, United Kingdom

Through the Looking Glass, British photography 1945-1989, Barbican Centre, London, United Kingdom

1986

British Contemporary Photography, Houston Foto Festival, USA

1978

Art for Society, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, United Kingdom

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1973

Serpentine 73, Serpentine Gallery, London, United Kingdom

1972

Butlins by the Sea (with Daniel Meadows), Impressions Gallery, York, United Kingdom

1971

Students of Manchester Polytechnic, Kendal Milne department store, Manchester, United Kingdom

Collections

Arts Council of Great Britain
Union Bank of Finland, Helsinki
Museum for Fotokunst, Odense, Denmark
The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, United Kingdom
George Eastman House, Rochester, USA
Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris, France
Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA
Philadelphia Museum of Art, USA
Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
Calderdale Council, Halifax, United Kingdom
Getty Museum, Malibu, USA
Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool, United Kingdom
Kodak, France
Museum Folkwang, Essen, Germany
Seagrams Collection, New York, USA
Museum of Modern Art, Tampere, Finland
British Council, London, United Kingdom
Irish Arts Council, Ireland
Australian National Gallery, Australia
Paris Audiovisual, France
Sprengel Museum, Hannover, Germany
Yokohama Museum of Art, Tokyo, Japan
Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, Japan
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, USA
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom
National Centre for Contemporary Arts, Moscow
National Museum of Fine Arts, Buenos Aires
Archive of Modern Conflict, London, United Kingdom
The Public, West Bromwich, United Kingdom
Gemeentemuseum, Helmond, The Netherlands
Irish Museum of Modern Art, Ireland
Santa Barbara Museum of Art, USA
High Museum of Art, Atlanta, USA
Minneapolis Institute of Arts, USA
Guernsey Museums, The Channel Islands

Prizes and Awards

3rd Prize European Photography Awards.
Wilkins Photography Prize.
Photo Espana book prize for "Martin Parr, by Val Williams."
Honorary FRPS, Royal Photographic Society.
Eric Solomon Award for Photojournalism, Photokina.
Moscow House of Photography, International photography prize.
Honorary Masters degree, University of Creative Arts, Farnham.
Krasna Kraus book prize for "Photobook, A History, Vol 1&2" with Gerry Badger.
Photo Espana Award for Photographic achievement.
Japanese Photographic Society, International Award for contribution towards promoting Japanese photographic book publishing.
Centenary Award, Royal Photographic Society.
Honorary Degree, Manchester Metropolitan University.
Photo Espana lifetime achievement prize
Exceptional Achievement in Photography, Amateur Photographer
Lucie Award, Achievement in Documentary Photography