

# LES FILLES DU CALVAIRE

## LAIA ABRIL

Née en 1986, Barcelone, Espagne  
Vit et travaille à Barcelona, Espagne

### EXPOSITIONS PERSONELLES

- 2024** *On Abortion*, FotoArsenal Wien, Autriche  
*On Mass Hysteria*, Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, Finlande  
*On Rape C/O Berlin*, Allemagne  
*On Mass Hysteria*, Le Bal, Paris, France
- 2023** *On Mass Hysteria*, Musée de l'Elysée, Switzerland & The Finnish Museum of photography, Helsinki, Finlande  
*On Rape*, Neimenster, Luxembourg  
*Menstruation Myths*, L'Appartement – Espace Images Vevey, Suisse  
*Sade Freedom or evil Ft. On Rape at CCCB*, Barcelone, Espagne
- 2021** *On Abortion*, MoCP, Chicago, USA  
*On Rape*, Musée des Beaux Arts, Le Locle, Suisse
- 2020** *On Rape*, Foam Museum, Amsterdam, Amsterdam  
*On Rape*, BIP, Biennale de l'Image Possible, Liège, Belgique  
*On Rape*, Galerie Les filles du calvaire, Paris, France
- 2019** *On Abortion*, Fondation Foto Colectania, Barcelone, Espagne
- 2018** *On Abortion*, Maison des Metalos, Paris, France  
*Suyay*, Centre de la Photographie, Genève, Suisse  
*On Abortion*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Zagreb, Croatie
- 2017** *On Abortion*, City of Women, Ljubljana, Slovénie  
*Lobismuller*, Museo Municipal de Ourense, Ourense, Espagne  
*Menstruation Myths Festival PhotoReporter*, Saint Briec, France  
*Lobismuller*, Fotoleggendo, Rome, Italie
- 2016** *On Abortion*, Photo Istanbul, Turquie  
*On Abortion*, Les Rencontres d'Arles, France  
*Lobismuller Images Festival*, Vevey, Suisse  
*The Asexuals Project*, Galerie im Taxispalais, Vienne, Autriche
- 2015** *On Eating Disorders*, Docfield Festival, Barcelone, Espagne  
*Tediousphilia*, Musée de l'Elysée, Lausanne, Suisse  
*The Epilogue*, 001 Gallery, Rome, Italie
- 2013** *Thinspiration*, Contraluz Gallery, Pampelune, Espagne
- 2010** *Femme Love*, Studio la Città Gallery, Vérone, Italie

### EXPOSITIONS COLLECTIVES

- 2023** *Corps à Corps* displaying *On Abortion* Centre Pompidou, Paris, France
- 2021** *Les Résistantes Ft. Menstruation Myths*, L'Onde, Paris, France  
*In Progress Ft. Menstruation Myths*, RPS, Bristol, Angleterre

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*Reproductive: Health, Fertility, Agency Ft. On Abortion*, MoCP, Chicago, Etats-Unis  
*Dear Truth Ft. On Abortion*, Hasselblad Foundation, Göteborg, Danemark

- 2019** Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation Prize 2019, The Photographer's Gallery, Londres, Angleterre  
Festival Potentiality, Kaapeli Museum, Helsinki, Finlande
- 2018** *Vigilance, Struggle, Pride*, Umetnostna galerija Maribor, Slovénie  
*Losbimuller*, galerie Les Filles du Calvaire, Paris, France  
*Menstruation Myths*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Zagreb, Croatie
- 2017** *Swing State*, Rojas + Rubenstein Gallery, Miami, Etats-unis  
*The Epilogue*, Setba Gallery, Barcelone, Espagne  
*Las17 part of Fotopress*, CaixaForum, Barcelone, Espagne  
*Las17 part of Fotopress*, CaixaForum, Madrid, Espagne  
*Photobook Phenomenon*, CCCB, Barcelone, Espagne  
*Up to now*, Fotografia Europea, ReggioEmilia, Italie
- 2016** *Situations #45*, Fotomuseum Winterthur, Suisse  
*Nuevos relator fotográficos*, Arts Santa Mònica, Barcelone, Espagne  
*Feminine Masculine*, Photo50, London Art Fair, Angleterre  
*Mapping the Body*, Taxispalais Gallery, Innsbruck, Vienne, Autriche
- 2015** *Thinspiration*, Mois de la Photo, Montreal, Canada  
*(No)Privacy exhibition*, Fotodok, Utrecht, Amsterdam  
*When we share more than ever*, Museum Fur Kunst und Gewerbe, PhotoTriennale, Hamburg, Allemagne  
*Afterlife*, Athens PhotoFestival, Athènes, Grèce  
*Under 35*, IvoryPress, Madrid, Espagne  
*Do you hear me* Fotodok, Utrecht, Amsterdam
- 2014** *On Identity*, Sous Les Etoiles Gallery, New York, Etats-Unis  
Fotografía 2.0, PhotoEspaña Festival, Madrid, Spain  
*Body Conscious* Amelie A. Wallace Gallery, Old Westbury, New York, Etats-unis  
*I ARTIST*, PhotoFestiwal, Łódz, Pologne
- 2013** *From Here On*, Arts Santa Mònica, Barcelone, Espagne
- 2010** Ian Parry Getty Gallery, Londres, Angleterre  
Domèstic Caja Madrid, Barcelone, Espagne

## PRIX

- 2023** Shortlisted Kraszna-Krausz Book Awards
- 2022** Recipient Honorary Fellowship, Royal Photography Society
- 2020** Foam Paul Huf Award
- 2019** Shortlisted, bourse allemande  
Recipient Magnum Foundation Grant  
Recipient Hood Medal, Royal Photography Society  
Nominee Deutsche Borse  
Nominated Prix Elysée
- 2018** Shortlisted Paris Photo-Aperture Award
- 2017** ICP-Infinity Awards, Artist book nomination

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ICP-Infinity Awards, Emergent talent nomination  
Visionary Award, nominated  
Catchlight Grant, nominated  
Foam Paul Huf Award, nominated  
ICP-Infinity Awards, Art, nominated  
Best PhotoBook, PhotoEspaña, finalist

**2016** Prix de la Photo Madame Figaro-Rencontres Arles  
Fotopres Grant  
Revelación Award PhotoEspaña

**2015** Festival Images, Book Award  
Best PhotoBook, PhotoEspaña, finalist  
Foam Paul Huf Award, nominated

**2014** Aperture, First Book Award, shortlisted  
EPF Burn Magazine, finalist  
Joop Swart Masterclass, nominated

**2013** Prix Pictet, pre-selected  
Kassel Dummy Award, shortlisted  
Center Juror's Choice Award  
PhotoLucida Critical Mass, nominated  
Magnum Foundation, nominated

**2012** EPF Burn Magazine, finalist  
Joop Swart Masterclass, nominated  
Lumix Prix Photojournalism, finalist  
Pla(t)Form, FotoMuseum Winterthur  
Fotovisura, finalist

**2010/11** Lago Film Fest, International Selection  
ANI prix, selected  
Ian Parry Award, finalist  
Albarracín Festival, scholarship

**2009** Ian Parry Award, finalist

## COLLECTIONS

**2021** Musée de L'Elysée, Switzerland  
Centre Pompidou, France

**2020** Musée de la Photographie de Chicago, Etats-unis

**2020** Museum of sex, New-York, Etats-Unis

**2019** FotoColectania, Barcelona, Espagne

**2017** FRAC Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur, France

**2016** Madame Figaro-Arles collection, France

**2015** MNAC Barcelona, Espagne

**2014** Musée de l'Elysée, Suisse

**2013** Fotomuseum Winterthur, Suisse

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## MONOGRAPHS

- 2022** On Rape Culture, Dewi Lewis
- 2017** On Abortion, Dewi Lewis
- 2016** Lobismuller, RM-Image Festival
- 2014** Tediousphilia; Musée de l'Elysée  
The Epilogue, Dewi Lewis Publishing
- 2012** Thinspiration Fanzine, Self-published

## CATALOGUES

- 2017** Photobook Phenomenon, RM  
Up to Now, FABRICA
- 2016** Laia Abril, Photobolsillo, La Fabrica  
Nuevos Relatos Fotográficos, La Fabrica  
Mapping the body, TaxisPalais Gallery
- 2015** Post-Photographic Condition Mois de la Photo  
Under 35 IvoryPress  
When we share more than ever, Museum Fur Kunst und Gewerbe
- 2013** From Here On Arts Santa Mònica, RM  
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