



ZEN FOTO GALLERY

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Muge "Go Home"

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Opening reception: Friday, December 18, 18:00-20:00pm

Zen-Foto Gallery is pleased to announce its third exhibition:

MuGe lives in Chengdu but hails from Chongqing, which is said to be the largest metropolis on the planet. The severe air pollution has brought the city the nickname of the "Fog Capital".

MuGe decided to "Go Home" to document the changes wrought by the construction of the Three Gorges Dam downstream from Chongqing on the Yangtse River.

MuGe`s photographs are gentle and sympathetic. But life in a modern Chinese city is not what human beings are well adapted for. The atmosphere is oppressive. And 31 million people with deadpan expressions hang around what seems like one enormous building site.

For further information, please contact :

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Open hours: Wed - Sun, 12:00 - 19:00,
12:00 - 17:00 on Sat & Sun (close on Mon, Tue & National Holidays)

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Muge CV

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1979 Born in Wu Xi Chongqing
Graduated from Sichuan Normal University
Works as a freelance photo editor and photographer
Currently lives and works in Chengdu,China

Exhibitions :

2009

《Multi-dimensional》 ChengDu Contemporary Photography Exhibition

“GO HOME” .HANSE Art expo. Germany

《Muge》 works,2009 Frankfurt Book Fair.Germany

《The Three Gorges》 .2009 China pingyao international photography festival

《Moving picture》 .Tanks warehouse arts center.chongqing.China

《SILENCE》 , “Europe and Asian”, Yekaterinburg,Russia

《Campfire-SILENCE 》 .Chinese Youth Arts Photo Exhibition,Ningbo,China

《SILENCE》 ,Photography Development Fund,Yekaterinburg,Russia

“GO HOME” ,GIM-Galerie im Medienhafen,Bremen,Germany

《Photocinema》 , 2009 Formatfestival,Derby,England