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Mt Rainier Ice Cave/35mm Slide

19x24

analog and digital photography

nfs

Maurice Konkle

Bio

Maurice Konkle is a recommitted artist living in Fayetteville, Arkansas. His interest in art, photography, filmmaking and the larger world of art began over 40 years ago. Early on he taught college courses on film development, image printing and photographic 'seeing'. But it was working with Polaroid SX-70 photos where he discovered his interest in photographic minimalism and hand augmenting "finished" images. This visual development coincided with his time as a graduate student of Philosophy at the University of Washington where he earned a Master of Arts degree.

After graduate school his life focus became business and family. He worked in several computer/technical arts companies, including positions as Executive Producer of award winning animated/live action television commercials and as C.O.O. at the internationally acclaimed video game company: Oddworld Inhabitants. In 2016 he moved to Fayetteville, the home of family, friends and, a place where his visits span decades.

Moving to Fayetteville afforded the opportunity to return art. His photographs have been selected as finalists in Artosphere Photo Exhibitions. His art has been shown in galleries and public spaces in Northwest Arkansas.

Artist Statement

A 35mm slide has a canonical size and form: 2 inches square, cardboard, celluloid, with referential markings. Changing the scale of a familiar object can be visually perplexing but may also cause delight and wonder. It sometimes reveals the elegance of an thing. Photograph: re-photographed and re-contextualized. Slide Image: projected and reflected.