

## MARIE TAILLEFER

Bourg-St-Maurice, France, 1964

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Marie Taillefer lives and works in Paris, where she combines personal research with her work as a photographer for magazines, catalogues and advertising. She has worked with magazines including Spoon, Palace, Bloom, View on Colour and Trésor. She obtained the highest marks from the prestigious Vevey School of Photography, where the following have all taught: Arnaud Claass, Duane Michals, Sarah Moon, Don McCullin, Joan Fontcuberta, Helmut Newton, Arno Minkinen and Sophie Ristelhueber. Together with Sarah Moon, she undertook the Maître et Elève photography project for the 2002 Jaeger LeCoultre advertising campaign.

Among her many awards is the 2001 Nikon Emerging Talent Award and the Hermès Watch Photography Award. Her work *À mon père, tu vois le cirque* (a collection of photographs and texts in memory of her father) won the Imacon award at the Images Festival in 2004, as well as the European Women Photographer Award. She has been a guest teacher at Design Week in Mexico, Photomeetings in Luxemburg and the Les Gobelins School in Paris.

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS (SELECTION)

2007

*A mon père, tu vois le cirque*, Design Week, Monterrey, Mexico

*A jour*, Clairefontaine Gallery, Luxembourg

*Vanités*, La Filature National Scene, Mulhouse, France

### BIBLIOGRAPHY

#### Books and catalogues (selection)

2007

*A Jour: Marie Taillefer*, Clairefontaine Gallery, Luxemburg