

This worksheet is to help you develop your essay about a photographer. Who will you choose? Search the internet and in the library. Choose a photographer whose work inspires you and/or whose life story parallels your own. Use this handout as a guide for your essay.

Photographer Data

Name _____

Birth/Death dates _____

Place of Birth/Death _____

Country/State of primary residence _____

Important Dates/Facts:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Sources: (minimum of three) (author, title, publisher, date)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

1. Description

Describe the images that this photographer is most famous for creating. What is unique about their work and their life in photography? Be complete!

2. Analysis

How do their photographs affect photography as a whole? Who has been influenced and inspired by them? Why do they influence and inspire you? What is this photographer contribution to photography and the world?

3. Interpretation

What is the meaning of the photographs of this photographer? Why are they important?
What was(is) their role in the medium of communication?

4. Evaluation

Evaluate the work and the photographer's life for inspiration and significance.

5. Conclusion

What do you conclude about this artist and about their work?