

## Patxi Cobo

Patxi Cobo (Ortuella, 1953) professor of photography at the Faculty of Art of the University of the Basque Country since 1987, gathers a selection of unpublished photographs taken in the mining areas of Vizcaya (La Arboleda, Gallarta and Ortuella) during the past twenty years. The most outstanding of his projects are related to the transformation of space, particularly those projects that he has undertaken since 1999: namely, the follow-up of the works carried out by the Bilbao Subway and the works undertaken on the Bilbao Museum of Fine Arts.

- 1971 "shows indiscriminate of Basque art", Baracaldo. Spain
- 1973 Member of group IKUTZE. Exhibitions in Baracaldo, Portugalete, Llodio, Azcoitia, Guernica, etc.
- 1974 founder of the photography commission. cultural Association "the attic".
- 1975 Solo Exhibition of photography in the A.C. "the attic"
- 1977 Founder of the University photography factory of the Basque Country, being from this date to 1986 monitor of  
this factory.
- 1982 Start his graphical work compilation on the sprouting of the industry in the Basque Country  
(Museum of the technique of Euskadi).
- 1983 Solo Exhibition in Guernica, Spain
- 1984 Accomplishment of photographs on behalf of the Bilbao Bank "Basque Sculpture 1889-1939".
- 1985 give a course of "Holografia" in the professional formation school of Erandio, organized by the Basque  
Government for the improvement of the teaching staff.  
Solo Exhibition in the classroom of culture, Portugalete.
- 1986 photographic Exhibition in "Expoconsumo" Makes his first visible holograms to the white light.  
Solo Exhibition "Industrial Landscapes" in the Archaeological, Ethnographic Museum and Historical Basque,  
in Bilbao.
- 1987 collective Exhibition on Bilbao Bank foundation , "Tracks, signs, signs" the Villasuso Palace, Vitoria and San  
Nicholas of Bilbao. Photographies for the book "the temple of San Agustín", Durango. Exhibition "Art Bizkaia  
87". Professor of photography in the B.B.A.A faculty. of Bilbao.
- 1988 Exhibition "Basque Artists Inter-arte Valencia". Solo Exhibitio , Windsor gallery kulturgintza, Bilbao.
- 1989 Solo Exhibition "photographic Landscapes" in Durango. Expofoto-89 Bilbao conference "Fotografia and  
vegetables".
- 1990 Solo Exhibition, Museum of fine Arts, Bilbao.
- 2002 Marzana space, Bilbao. Museum, a space transformed, Museum of fine Arts. Bilbao.
- 2003 DEPHOTO, San Sebastian, Spain
- 2007 "RECORRIDOS, Repeticiones" Vanguardia Gallery. Bilbao

