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## The Daguerreotype Day on June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

The Finnish Museum of Photography, Cable Factory, Tallberginkatu 1 G, 00180 Helsinki

The Daguerreobase Day is organised by the Finnish Museum of Photography within the framework of Daguerreobase project to promote the Daguerreobase project and gather together owners, researches and collectors of daguerreotypes around the Northern Baltic Sea.

Daguerreobase is an European photographic heritage project with an ambitious goal to collect over 25.000 daguerreotypes and related items into one searchable database where all the owners of daguerreotypes, weather they are museums, archives or private collectors, are encouraged to register their daguerreotypes. Daguerreobase will be a unique research tool for daguerreotypes.

In addition to the presentation of the Daguerreobase project the symposium programme includes presentations from Finland, Sweden, Russia and the Baltic countries as well as a presentation given by a Finnish contemporary daguerreotypist Jalo Porkkala. The day after the symposium, on June 10<sup>th</sup>, participants are invited to participate in the organised visits to some daguerreotype museum collections in Helsinki.

The symposium language is English. Symposium is free of charge.

### Registration

Registration by 27.5. through this link:

https://valokuva.gruppo.fi/online-applications/index.php/survey/index/sid/818255

Welcome to Helsinki!

#### **Further information**

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# Program of the Daguerreotype Day on June 9<sup>th</sup>

9.30	Registration
10.00	Introduction Elina Heikka, Director of the Finnish Museum of Photography
10.15	What is the Daguerreobase and how to use it? Agnes Wijers, Project Coordinator in Daguerreobase
10.45	The Daguerreotype Journal and Virtual Daguerreotype Exhibition Sandra Maria Petrillo, Photographic Conservator, Partner of the Daguerreobase international consortium
12.15	COFFEE BREAK
11.45	Daguerreotypes in Sweden Björn Axel Johansson, Independent Photohistorian
12.30	Daguerreotypes in Latvia Maira Dudareva, Head of Latvian Museum of Photography
13.00	LUNCH BREAK
14.00	Daguerreotypes in Russia Kseniia Misiura-Aladova, Conservator and Arthistorian, Rosphoto
14.30	Daguerreotypes in Estonia Kadi Sikka, Conservator and Researcher, Film Archives of the National Archives of Estonia
15.00	BREAK
15.30	Daguerreotypes in Lithuania Vaida Sirvydaité Rakutiené
16.00	Making Daguerreotypes today Jalo Porkkala, Finnish Photographer, Researcher and Teacher
16.30	Daguerreotypes in the collection of the Finnish Museum of Photography
17.00	Conclusion



