

Todd Hochberg
Todd Hochberg Photography

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Professional Organizations:

Pregnancy Loss and Infant Death Alliance (PLIDA)
Association for Death Education and Counseling (ADEC)
Society for the Arts in Healthcare (SAH)
Chicago End of Life Care Coalition (CECC)

Publications:

Life Magazine - March 2000
Photo District News – June 2000
Chicago Sun-Times – October 2000
Santa Fe Center for Photography web journal- May 2003
ADEC's journal The Forum - May 2003
SHARE's professional newsletter Caring Notes – Fourth Quarter 2003
Our Bodies, Ourselves 35th Anniversary Edition – May 2005
ChiPPS Pediatric Palliative Care Newsletter
Issue #8; August, 2007 pg.33, Issue #10; February 2008 pg.6
ATRIUM The Report of the Northwestern Medical Humanities and Bioethics Program Issue 5 2008

Collections:

George Eastman House International Museum of Photography
Rochester, NY

Exhibitions:

Voices Gallery, University of Michigan Medical Center – July 2006
Ann Arbor, MI

Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine – April/May 2009
Chicago, IL

Awards:

International Center of Photography Infinity Award Nomination - 2001
New York, NY

W. Eugene Smith Grant Competition Finalist – 2003
New York, NY

MISS Foundation Phoenix Humanitarian Award – 2007
Phoenix, AZ

Recent Selected Presentations:

13th National Perinatal Bereavement Conference
Keynote Address
Austin, TX- September 2002

National Center for Death Education - Mt. Ida College Summer Institute
Boston, MA – July 2003

National Society of Genetic Counselors Annual Conference
Keynote Address
Charlotte, NC - September 2003

Duke University
Pediatric Grand Rounds
The Duke Institute on Care at the End of Life
The Center for Documentary Studies
Durham, NC – October 2003

Society for the Arts in Healthcare - 2004 Annual Conference
Alexandria, VA – April 2004

National Funeral Directors Association's Annual Convention
Nashville, TN – October 2004

National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization
First National Conference on Pediatric Palliative and Hospice Care
Dearborn, MI – November 2004

George Eastman House International Museum of Photography and Film
Visiting Artist Series
Rochester, NY – March 2005

National Association of Perinatal Social Workers Annual Conference
St. Louis, MO – May 2005

2005 World Gathering on Bereavement
Vancouver, BC Canada – August 2005

MISS Foundation and Elisabeth Kubler Ross Foundation Annual Conference
Phoenix, AZ - May 2006

16th International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill
Montreal, Quebec - September 2006

The 29th Annual Conference of the Association for Death Education and Counseling
Invited Speaker
Indianapolis, IN – April 2007

Chicago End of Life Care Coalition
Invited Speaker
Chicago, IL – May 2007

National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization Clinical Conference
Gallery Exhibition
New Orleans, LA - November 2007

First Puerto Rico Integral Thanatology Congress
Keynote Speaker
San Juan, Puerto Rico - March 2008

The American Society for Bioethics & Medical Humanities Spring Meeting
Panelist
Chicago, IL – April 2009

Weaving the Arts: Creative Therapies to Address Grief and Loss
Keynote Speaker
Fort Collins, CO – May 2009

In Your Eyes: Caregivers Role in Bereavement Photography
Hands-on Immersive Workshop
Chicago, IL – September 2009

New Jersey State Funeral Directors Association Convention
Invited Speaker
Atlantic City, NJ – October 2009

Biography

Todd Hochberg is a documentary photographer. Working in conjunction with hospital bereavement programs, palliative care programs, hospices and directly with individuals, he makes documentary photographs and legacy video for individuals and families struggling with a serious illness or grieving the death of a loved one. The images and video serve as touchstones for feelings and memories pertaining to deep significant relationships and spiritual connections some of which may flourish in the intimacy of the last days or months of life. His Touching Souls Bereavement Photography has supported parents experiencing perinatal loss or the death of a child, as they say goodbye to their children and babies, since 1997. Hochberg brings 20 years of photographic experience in health care to his work.

His bereavement photographs are part of the permanent collection of the George Eastman House International Museum of Photography. He has received an International Center of Photography Infinity Award nomination for 2001, was a finalist in the W. Eugene Smith Grant Competition in Humanistic Photography for 2003 and received the MISS Foundation Phoenix Humanitarian Award for 2007. He has had solo exhibitions at Northwestern University Fineberg School of Medicine Dept of Medical Humanities and Bioethics in 2009, at the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization's Clinical Conference in 2007 and at the Voices Gallery at the University of Michigan Medical Center in 2006.

Hochberg's work has been featured in Life magazine, Photo District News, the Chicago Sun-Times, the Santa Fe Center for Photography web journal, the Association for Death Education and Counseling's journal The Forum, NHPCO's Children's Project on Palliative/Hospice Services Pediatric Palliative Care Newsletter and in ATRIUM -The Report of the Northwestern Medical Humanities and Bioethics Program Issue 5 2008. Todd presents to a variety of professional groups nationally and locally.