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Professional Woman Photographers *presents* **Lecture: Photographer Jackie King**

Thursday November 6th, 2008 at 6:30pm

\$10 admission for non-members.

Pratt Institute,

144 W 14th St, 2nd fl conference room.

Born in Hampshire, England, Ms. King serves on the board of directors for the eminent British Institute of Professional Photography (BIPP) and is the recipient of numerous awards, including UK British Professional Photographer, the British Portrait Photographer of the Year as well as the acclaimed Qualified European Photographer (QEP). Ms. King has worked in film in Ireland as well as the fast-paced fashion industry in Italy for Milan-based design duo DSquared. She honed her photography skills in the United States at the Maine Photographic Workshops and then with fine art photographer John Paul Capongiro. Today, King produces images ranging from hyper-realistic to avant-garde abstraction that define her idiosyncratic style. Most recently she has produced arresting images by capturing the daily life of youth in Algiers, which depict the utopian mix of fashion and football within their culture.

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