



The Magnum Foundation is pleased to announce that three scholarships have been awarded for the 2010 New York University/Magnum Foundation Photography and Human Rights Program.

The winners of the 2010 NYU/Magnum Foundation scholarships were carefully selected by Susan Meiselas, President of the Magnum Foundation; Fred Ritchin, Acting Chair Professor at NYU's Department of Photography and Imaging; and Peter Lucas & Catherine Fallon, both Adjunct Professors at NYU's Department of Photography and Imaging. All four jurors will be teaching a course in the program this summer.

Karen Mirzoyan, age 29 from Armenia, Chi Yin Sim, age 32 from Singapore, and Taslima Akhter, age 36 from Bangladesh were selected to participate in the six-week Photography and Human Rights program at NYU, followed by a four-week internship at a related organization.

The three scholarship recipients displayed keen awareness of the Human Rights Issues surrounding them and a remarkable propensity towards documenting these issues with skill and vision.

For more information about the Photography and Human Rights Course, please visit the following site:

<http://specialprograms.tisch.nyu.edu/object/photomagnum.html>