

GUSTAVO TEN HOEVER: *EL ROMANTICO* In Conjunction with Natacha Weiss April 6 - May 1, 2012 Artist's Reception: Saturday, April 14, 2012, 6 - 8PM

ARC Fine Art is pleased to announce *El Romantico*, an exhibition of photographs by Gustavo Ten Hoever. This exhibition has been produced with Natacha Weiss of New York and is the artist's second solo exhibition with the gallery. *El Romantico* includes approximately 10 chromogenic and silver gelatin prints, ranging from up close details of hyper-realized views of nature to expansive abstracted views of both the natural and man-made worlds. While succeeding in capturing striking elements of nature's splendors, he manages to create a microcosm of beauty and phenomena. Ten Hoever offers viewers mysterious vistas and familiar territories through both open and closed doors and windows, imagined or real. Ten Hoever's *El Romantico* presents images that refocus one's view--expanding one's visual experience with the world.

Gustavo Ten Hoever was born in Uruguay and attended photography school in Montevideo, Uruguay. He moved to New York in 1986 and now divides his time between Paris and New York. After an eye opening time spent traveling into the Brazilian Amazon, he began shooting for his first photo exhibit, Full Moon People, covering the indigenous people of this region. Since then, the artist has traveled continuously and exhibited globally, while his editorial work can be seen in publications around the world. Publications featuring his work include I-D Magazine, French Vogue, Wall Street Journal Magazine, US Vogue, and The New Yorker. His clients include Hermes, Dosa, Editions Gallimard, Persol, Dunhill, Orange, Harrods, and Chaumet. Over the past 10 years, Ten Hoever has shifted his attention to a more personal photographic journey, capturing the natural beauty and poetry of places and people. A spiritual quest to capture the essence of place or person informs Ten Hoever's photography which is distinguished by this unaffected interaction of nature and space, beings and objects.

ARC Fine Art is located at 3113 Bronson Road in Fairfield, Connecticut and is open by appointment. Further inquiries, please contact Adrienne Ruger Conzelman at 203 895 9595.