

8th Annual Global Poverty and Practice

Photo Contest (2016)

The Global Poverty and Practice (GPP) Minor is holding its 8th annual photo contest. All GPP students who have completed a practice experience are encouraged to submit original photographs from your practice experience.

First place will receive \$200, 2nd place \$100, 3rd place \$50.

Competition Details:

- Submission deadline is Monday, October 3rd at 11:59pm. The maximum number of photographs you can submit is three per person.
- All photographs and captions should be submitted as high resolution jpg files (300dpi minimum) to gppphotocontest@gmail.com
- Each photograph entry must be accompanied by a caption (less than 70 words) including your name, photograph, location and month/year taken
- Finalist photographs will be judged by all GPP students, staff, and faculty present at the GPP New Student Welcome in late October (TBA).
- As you select your photo submission and write your caption, recall strategies for critical visual documentation discussed in your GPP 105 course
- Photos will be judged based on the following criteria:
 - **Visual Content:** How well the photo (without the caption) tells a story of people engaging with poverty and inequality
 - **Aesthetics:** How well the photo uses visual devices (composition, focus, exposure, etc.) to tell a story or create a visual impact on the viewer
 - **Caption:** How well the caption contributes something deeper, illuminating, or unexpected about the social, political, and economic context of the image

If you have any questions, contact Chetan Chowdhry: cchowdhry@berkeley.edu

Instructions for Submitting Photos and Captions

Photo submissions should be e-mailed to gppphotocontest@gmail.com corresponding to the following instructions:

- The subject of the e-mail should include your full name.
- Each of your photo files should be titled according to the following format:
“First name_Last name_Photo#____”
- Attach your photos to your e-mail message.
- The body of your e-mail should include the caption for each of your photos. Each caption should be clearly identified with a number corresponding to the file name of the photo (e.g. “Caption # ____.”)
- You will receive an e-mail confirmation of your submitted photos within 3 days after submitting them. If you do not receive a confirmation, e-mail Chetan Chowdhry – cchowdhry@berkeley.edu - to confirm we have received your photos.