Writers Guidelines for *photo technique* magazine

photo technique is a magazine dedicated to the creation of excellent photographic images in all aspects and processes of the medium. In addition to publishing the best in professional and fine art photographic images, we support portfolios with articles that explain the methodology applied, artistic choices made, problems solved and equipment/software employed in the execution of the work.

The *photo technique* readership is comprised of advanced amateur and professional photographers who are serious in their desire to improve their work and to learn from the mindset of career professionals and photographic educators.

The photographic medium, once almost exclusively an analytic art, has entered an era when synthesis of images in collage and mixed media has opened new possibilities for photographic applications. Whether traditional, digital or experimental, you will find issues of *photo technique* filled with provocative photography and information-filled articles about the making of the images from the unique vantage point of the photographers who made them.

In addition to the portfolio/article combination, *photo technique* includes other article categories. Each issue includes articles primarily technical in nature accompanied by photographs, charts, and diagrams that illustrate the methodology described. A requirement is that any illustrative photographs accompanying the article be of professional quality in content and execution. The process must always be the means to an end.

A variation on the technical article features one professional finished print and outlines the steps in its creation, including creative choices, problems/solutions, methodology, and equipment/software applications.

To begin the process, submit by email a 1 – 2 paragraph proposal for a portfolio/article or technical article. Include with the description 3 – 5 images and a resume or short bio.

Payment for writers for *photo technique* is $200 per page and $350 per cover for most submissions. Article length ranges from approximately 1,000 – 1,800 words.