

Hello,

I've been photographing a new body of work called [The Dealership Wreck](#). This series, like my 2009 series *Foreclosure, USA*, explores the devastating economic crisis in the United States.

I can't remember ever seeing one of the monolithic auto dealerships alongside the freeway close down until recently, when I began to notice them everywhere I traveled. I discovered that over 2,300 auto dealerships have closed around the country since 2009. The closings put 70 million square feet of buildings and land on the market and untold Americans out of work. I hope you'll take a moment to visit explore this new series:

[The Dealership Wreck](#)

News

I'm so pleased to announce that I was named [Top 50 in Photolucida's Critical Mass 2010](#)

Exhibitions

[The Center For Fine Art Photography](#), Ft. Collins, CO: **The New Normal**, November 5th - 27th, Group Exhibition

[The Jackson Street Gallery](#), San Francisco University High School: **Foreclosure, USA**, November 12th - December 3rd, Solo Exhibition

[Heart](#), San Francisco, CA: **Foto Obscura: Abstraction through Photography**, Opening November 17th, Group Exhibition Curated by Marisa McCarthy, featuring Kirk Crippens, Julie Garner, Klea McKenna, Keith Petersen, Adam Wier

[Kristen Buckingham Showroom](#), Los Angeles, CA: **Grand Opening Exhibition**, Opening November 19th

Best Regards,

Kirk Crippens