

daniel sroka photographs botanical abstracts

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ABOUT THE ARTIST

Daniel Sroka creates abstract, dream-like images out of the simple elements of nature, such as leaves, sticks, flowers, and seeds. He finds most of his subjects as he walks through the parks and gardens near his home, collecting the sticks and leaves that have fallen to the ground. In his hands, these overlooked natural objects reveal their complexity and subtlety:

*"I work like a sculptor who lets the flaws and veins of a stone guide his chisel.
As I explore each object, I let its unique characteristics guide my hand and eye,
allowing me to discover patterns and forms hidden within the material."*

The resulting photographs are "sculptures" of light, texture, and dimension that celebrate the physical and spiritual grace that can be found within the simplest elements of nature.

A self-taught artist, Daniel Sroka has been working as a professional artist for the past decade, specializing in abstract and semi-abstract macro photography of nature. The clarity and impact of his artistic style are greatly influenced by nearly 20 years of experience as a graphic designer. After becoming Yahoo!'s first creative director and helping guide them into becoming a globally-recognized brand, Daniel decided to focus his design and marketing skills on his own art career. In addition to his fine art photography, Daniel also owns and runs a successful online business, through which he has sold fine art wedding prints based on his photographs to nearly 1,000 people across the US, UK, and Canada.

GALLERIES AND REPRESENTATION

- Artful Home
- Karin Newby Gallery

CLIENTS AND COLLECTORS

- Miraval Arizona Resort and Spa, Tuscon
- Baccarat Hotels and Residences, Anguilla

SELECTED SHOWS AND COMPETITIONS

- 2010 - Artist in residence, Miraval Arizona Resort and Spa, Tuscon
- 2010 - Group show, 40th Anniversary Alumni Art Exhibition, Hampshire College, Amherst, MA
- 2010 - Group show, Geometric Abstraction, Still Point Gallery
- 2010 - Group show, Emerging Patterns, 14 Maple Gallery, Morristown, NJ
- 2009 - Photography Masters Cup, nominee in the Abstract category
- 2009 - Group show, Autumnal Tints, Stillpoint Gallery
- 2009 - Group show, Chromatics, Art Upstairs Gallery, Morristown, NJ
- 2009 - Group show, Contemporary Abstract Photography, Art Way Gallery, Princeton, NJ
- 2008 - Group show, Typologies, Fraction Magazine
- 2008 - Group show, Elemental/Environmental: Space, New Orleans Photo Alliance.
- 2008 - Prix de la Photographie Paris (Px3), third place in Nature category
- 2007 - Featured artist, Area of Design
- 2007 - Featured photographer, Positive Focus (NYC)
- 2007 - Group show, Arcadia: Artists Celebrate Trees, California Modern Gallery (San Francisco)
- 2004 - Solo show, The Main Gallery (Redwood City, CA)

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FINE ART PRINTS

My photographs have been used create a natural yet modern aesthetic in hotels, spas, as well as many private homes. Fine art prints of my photographs are available directly from my studio. I create my prints using pigment ink on archival paper or canvas. These materials provide a beautiful organic substrate for the rich colors and subtle textures of my art.

PRICE LIST (RETAIL)

PRINT SIZE	PAPER	CANVAS	GALLERY WRAP
15 x 10 inches	\$300	\$360	\$470
20 x 14 inches	\$400	\$480	\$625
25 x 17 inches	\$500	\$600	\$780
30 x 20 inches	\$600	\$720	\$936
35 x 24 inches	\$700	\$840	\$1,092
40 x 27 inches	\$800	\$960	\$1,248
45 x 30 inches	\$950	\$1,140	\$1,482
50 x 34 inches	\$1,100	\$1,320	\$1,716
60 x 40 inches	\$1,400	\$1,680	\$2,184

NOTES

- Paper = pigment prints on cotton rag paper, shipped unmated and unframed.
- Canvas = pigment print on canvas, shipped rolled.
- Gallery wrap = pigment print on canvas, stretched into a gallery wrap.
- Prices are determined by the longer side of the print: the shorter dimension will vary for each photograph. Other sizes are also available. Paper prints are dated and signed on the front in pencil, canvas prints are signed on back.