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High Exposure - DOUG SCOTT In aid of Community Action Nepal

EXHIBITION DATES | 31st November - 6th January

Doug Scott Mountain Photography in Mayfair - www.dcontemporary.com/doug-scott-high-exposure/



Nepal – Everest,
Western Cwm BW
print on super A3
matte archival paper



Not only is Doug Scott a renowned mountaineer, he is also a remarkable photographer. His body of photographic work is notable for the way it captures the beauty of the world's highest mountains and most remote views. The quality of this work has now been recognised by the art world and in a ground breaking exhibition Doug will, for the first time be exhibiting in black and white, with several images in wall filling scale. This exhibition, Doug Scott – High Exposure will be at the prestigious D Contemporary Gallery in the heart of London's Mayfair and run from the 31st November to the 6th January.

High Exposure will combine both landscape and people, showing both an intimate portrait of the lives of those who live in the shadow of the world highest mountains as well the peaks themselves.

Doug commented, *'I must say, it's been a very pleasant surprise to be asked to exhibit in Mayfair. I've always felt that black and white photography exhibited a timeless quality, communicating the essence of texture, shadow and light of the mountains. Because of my lecturing and books I've tended to focus on colour imagery so this fresh approach to exhibiting is very exciting'*.

Three words to describe the show?

. Texture . Shadow . Light

Doug Scott – High Exposure runs from the 31st November to the 6th January at D Contemporary, 23 Grafton St, Mayfair, London, W1S 4EY.

Notes for Editors

- 100% of all sales will go to CAN. In 1998 Doug founded the UK registered charity, Community Action Nepal (CAN)– which, in the intervening years, has set up 50 community welfare projects reaching 250,000 people. This includes the support of 14 schools and 19 rural health posts. CAN has also built, in conjunction with IPPG [International Porter Protection Group], three porter rescue shelters in the Khumbu Valley in the Everest region. Sadly, all these projects were affected, and in many cases destroyed, during the 2015 Nepalese earthquakes. Doug is now actively securing funding to rebuild with the final target of £2 million now in reaching distance.

- Digital images from the exhibition and from Doug's mountaineering career are attached for use in supporting a feature based on the press release. They must be credited as annotated.

- Doug is available for interview please contact Robin Ashcroft of robin.ashcroft7@icloud.com

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