



## Xiomaro

### *Photography*

Xiomáro (*SEE-oh-MAH-ro*) is a nationally recognized artist, curator and speaker from New York specializing in photographing National Park sites to raise awareness of their history, culture and natural beauty. At present, Xio is authoring the book *Weir Farm National Historic Site*, which features his photographs of this national park for the arts. The book will be released by Arcadia Publishing.

His work has been covered by *The New York Times*, *The Boston Globe*, *CBS Eyewitness News*, *News 12*, *Newsday*, *The Huffington Post* and *Fine Art Connoisseur*. He is a Visiting Artist at Weir Farm National Historic Site in Connecticut where he began as an Artist-in-Residence. His photography has been widely exhibited at venues such as Fraunces Tavern Museum, African Burial Ground National Monument, Siena Art Institute (Italy) and by members of Congress. At one point, 130 of Xio's photographs could be seen at eight simultaneous exhibits from Boston to Philadelphia including Harvard University and the Long Island Museum.

Fruitlands Museum, Brigham Young University, National Park Service sites and fine art galleries have acquired Xio's prints for their permanent collections. His images have appeared in internationally distributed catalogues, books and journals. He is also an Editor of *Aspect Ratio*, a London-based magazine of photography where he is a contributor to its *Ground Glass* editorial section.