

Museum of the Home to exhibit World Food Photography Awards 2025

New exhibition spotlights the power of food in shaping how we live

Tuesday 3 June to Sunday 7 September 2025



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Family by Yiping Wan

Food and shelter are both fundamental human needs and the cornerstones of human culture. Meals are the anchor points in domestic ritual – the centres around which life in the home tends to revolve. This summer, Museum of the Home celebrates the intimate connection between dwelling and dining by hosting a special exhibition dedicated to the World Food Photography Awards 2025 sponsored by Tenderstem® Bimi® Broccolini.

Part of the Museum of the Home's ongoing photography season, which foregrounds the power of the photograph as a window into everyday lives and the stories of home, the exhibition will showcase finalist images from both professional and amateur photographers, hailing from all over the world. From growing and

harvesting to cooking and eating, celebrating to simply surviving, the awards' 25 categories explore the diverse ways in which food touches our lives.



Celebration by Chen Ying

Chaired by renowned food photographer David Loftus, the awards' judging panel includes Museum of the Home's director Sonia Solicari. She joins a roster of leading figures from the worlds of food and photography, including James Beard Foundation CEO Claire Reichenbach, Fortnum & Mason CEO Tom Athron, low-waste chef Max La Manna and campaigning chef Jamie Oliver.

Now in their 14th year, these prestigious awards have garnered entries from 100 countries. The World Food Photography Awards (previously known as Food Photographer of the Year) are the first with Tenderstem® Bimi® Broccolini as headline sponsor. From the extraordinarily wide-ranging pool of entries, spanning every kind of photography – from portraiture to photojournalism, travel shots to smartphone snaps, Sonia Solicari and the Museum's curators have curated a bold, diverse and thought-provoking selection of images for display.

"Food is a powerful part of our sensory experience of home, and at the heart of identity and belonging. The struggle to put food on the table shapes the domestic experience. Home is part of a wider eco-system and the story of our food supply chains is also the story of our homes. The World Food Photography Awards exhibition allows us to explore, in even greater detail, the human experience of home and home life. It's exciting to feature such a diverse range of work from photographers at different stages of their careers. We love working with artists to explore the idea of home through a contemporary lens, creating a rich dialogue with the stories and settings of our historic rooms."

– Sonia Solicari, director, Museum of the Home

Together, these photographs expand on the narratives found across the Museum's room sets and in our own homes – on kitchen counters, tables and gardens around the world. They are a celebration of shared experiences: the often-intricate rituals of preparing food within and beyond home, and the sharing of food with those close to us, our communities or strangers.



Street Food by Debdatta Chakraborty

"By shining a spotlight on photography, we are opening up new conversations about what home means in the past, present, and future. Join us on a visual journey that captures the heart of home through the lens of a camera."

– Danielle Patten, director of creative programmes and collections, Museum of the Home

The World Food Photography Awards exhibition will be at Museum of the Home from Tuesday 3 June to Sunday 7 September 2025. Awards entries will also be on display at the Mall Galleries and Fortnum & Mason.

Notes for editors

[Images are available for download here](#)

For more information about Museum of the Home and the World Food Photography Awards exhibition, please contact Tori Dance at museumofthehome@zetteler.co.uk.

Museum of the Home

Museum of the Home's purpose is to reveal and rethink the ways we live, in order to live better together. Through its collections, exhibitions, events, performances and debates, the museum reveals diverse, thought-provoking and personal stories of the home from the last 400 years to the present, and looks into the homes of the future.

Location 136 Kingsland Road, London E2 8EA

Rail Hoxton, which has step-free access, and is a short walk from Liverpool Street and Old Street stations.

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World Food Photography Awards

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