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100 years in Tokyo - 0 才から 100 才までの東京人

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100 years in Tokyo is a series of 202 portraits, photographed in Tokyo in 2009-2012. The book contains portraits of men and women for each year of age from 0 to 100.

The book has its origins in Asikainen's deep interest in the city. He has lived in Tokyo on several occasions since 2009. For him, the visual abundance of the city makes it exceptionally fascinating. It feels as familiar as any Western metropolis, yet completely different and strange.

The theme of Asikainen's pictures is the full range of human life. Simultaneously, he hopes to have succeeded in creating a portrait of Tokyo. It is the people that make the city.

A flip through video of the book is available here:

<http://pa.artturi.com/books/>

Petri Artturi Asikainen (born 1966) is Finnish photographer, who has worked on freelance basis for twenty years. He has contributed to several newspapers, magazines and corporate publications, specializing in portraits and photo editorials. He is currently based in Tokyo.

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