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[Werner Pawlok](#) (b.1953, Germany) - [Cuba expired](#)

Werner Pawlok's Cuba-expired series display's the photographer's unique artistic background. Born in Stuttgart in 1953, Pawlok opened his first atelier in 1977 as a self-taught artist, having also spent time working in New York. He became famous through his black and white polaroid portraits of writers for his Photography Paintings, images that deliberately trod the middle ground between painting and photography. His polaroid transfers, as he called them, were created by copying large format polaroids onto backing paper or canvas, the classic bases for painting. Through these images, his celebrity and fashion photography and, above all, his 50x60 polaroids, Pawlok developed his own unique style over a number of decades. His works enjoy worldwide recognition, featuring in countless international exhibitions alongside artists such as Warhol, Richter, Mapplethorpe and Polke. (source: [Lumas](#))

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