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PRESS RELEASE NOMINATIONS

Alain Seban, president of the Centre Pompidou, in agreement with Alfred Pacquement, director of the Musée national d'art moderne, has named Clément Chéroux head of the photography department effective 21 May 2013. Clément Chéroux, curator at the Musée national d'art moderne – Centre de création industrielle since 2007, began his career as head of the collections and library of the Société française de photographie, for which he served as a board member from 1996 to 2007. Curator for numerous exhibitions both in France and abroad, he has also contributed to several books as publication and collection director. In addition, he is an associate researcher at the Laboratory for Contemporary Visual History (LHIVIC) at the École des hautes études en sciences sociales (EHESS) and member of the scientific council of the Musée Nicéphore Niepce in eastern France. At the Centre Pompidou, he was co-curator of the exhibitions *La Subversion des Images* and *Voici Paris*, which presented a selection of works from the Bouqueret Collection, whose inclusion in the Centre's collections was largely his responsibility.

Alain Seban also designated Valérie Guillaume, head of the service prospective industrielle at the Musée National d'Art Moderne – Centre de Création Industrielle, to take on the functions of head of the service design effective 21 May 2013. Valérie Guillaume, lead curator for the City of Paris, was head of the Twentieth Century department at the Musée Galliera before joining the Centre Pompidou in 2000 as a curator in the service design. She was later named head of the service prospective industrielle.

Curator of many exhibitions at the Centre Pompidou, most recently *Multiversités Créatives* in 2012, she has also published numerous books abroad on fashion and design. Valérie Guillaume is a member of LABEX at Université Paris 8, the board of the École nationale supérieure des arts décoratifs, and an elected board member of the International Council of Museums in France and the digital *Think Tank* Fondation internet nouvelle generation.