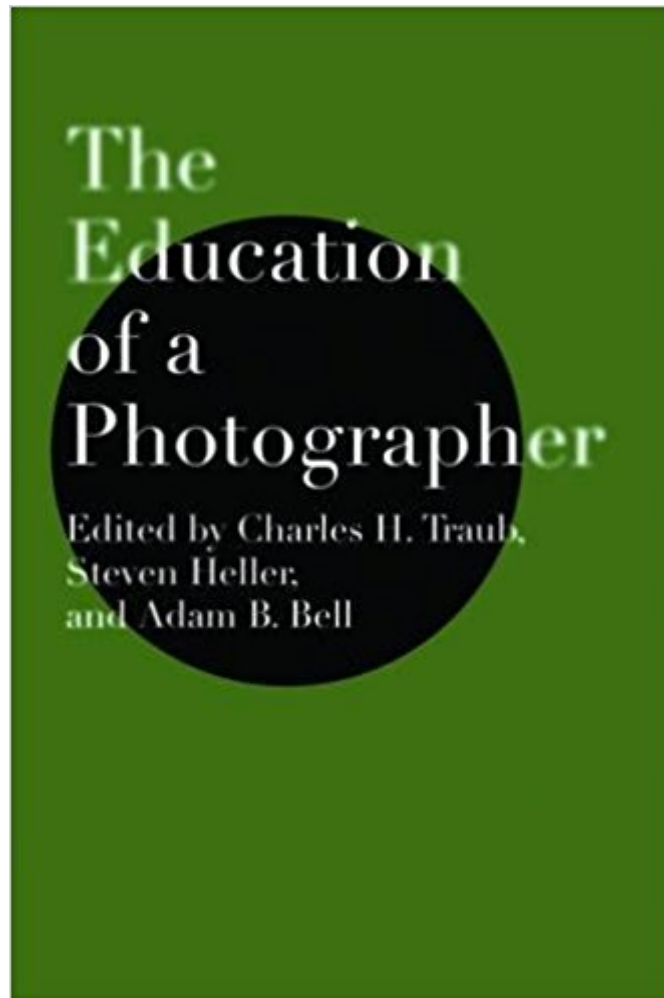




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Very informative for single source for photograph history and critique. I particularly like reading the book in Kindle software because it allows me to Google photographer images directly from the text. I would recommend this book to any aspiring photographer.

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This book has essays on photography by famous photographers in the mid-20th Century. An excellent read for anyone interested in the history of photography.

Solid and thorough writing

Esoteric... at best.

Good quality.

This book contains articles written by many photographers and critics. As a result there is a wide variety of quality.

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