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Top 10

The best photobooks of 2011?

We recommend our favourites, from the re-issue of a Koudelka classic, to a paen to Spanish pigeon-fancying, by way of the Mexican Weegee.

The Altogether Chris Coekin

The Altogether is a small, intriguing book: each right-hand page is printed with a short line of poetry, and folds out to reveal a double-page photograph. These images divide into three sections; one showing workers in trade-union banner poses, another showing weird ecologies of oil and foam, and a third showing traditional tools. The first two series were shot in the John Pring & Son Wire factory, where Coekin recorded a soundscape included with the book.

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The Altogether, Chris Coekin [above]
and *Paloma al aire* [below].