

Biography

The What of Where and When

Carly Tyll is an emerging conceptual artist born on July 2nd, 1991. Based in Richmond Hill, Ontario, she earned a degree in Fine Arts at OCAD University, majoring in Photography. While this allowed her the opportunity to refine how she saw the world, it ultimately left her infatuated with the unseen. Venturing beyond the realm of realism, she began to deviate from traditional modes of photography, finding inspiration in surrealism and expressionism. Expanding upon her background in graphic design, branching into Photo-illustration, she had the opportunity to create rather than capture, exhibiting a unique inhibition to the mundane, which can also be seen in her explorations of drawing, painting, sculpture, collage and film, often demonstrating a mixed-media approach.

First exhibiting her work in the 2015 "Festival of the Body" exhibit at OCAD University, she also exhibited later that year at The Ontario Science Centre in Toronto, showing several pieces in their "Redefining Bodies: A Focus on Prosthesis." In 2020, she made her international debut, exhibiting at M.A.D.S' "#Mil@no Photo Award" exhibit in Milan. Since then, she has exhibited with a variety of other galleries and organizations around the world, including Lohme Art Gallery, Visionary Projects, Teravarna, Art Gallery 118, Camelback Gallery, Marvelous Art Gallery, Envision Art Show, Contemporary Art Gallery Online, Colors of Humanity Art Gallery, Grey Cube Gallery, Art Room Gallery, Fusion Art Gallery, Gallery Ring, Biafarin, and publications such as Marvelous Art Magazine and Artistonish Magazine.

Receiving recognition with the Adobe Design Achievement Awards in 2014 as a Semifinalist in their "Traditional Media - Photography" segment, she was also enlisted as a Semi-finalist in 2017, in their "Fine Art Motion Graphics and Animation" segment. In 2021, she placed "Best in Show" with Camelback Gallery, also receiving a "Silver Award" from them earlier that year. Additionally, she has also received a "4th Place Award" from Contemporary Art Gallery Online, several "Talent Prize Awards" from Teravarna, a "Crystal Award" from Gallery Ring, and several other "Merit Awards", "Finalist Awards", and "Honorable Mention Awards".