



Tanbelia is an artist and sculptor, born and based in Ukraine. Her art is about nature in a wavy line. She raises issues of ecology and nature. The goal is to encourage people to protect nature.

She was born on May 20, 1998 in Rivne, Ukraine.

2013 - 2017 — Lviv State College of Decorative and Applied Arts Named by Ivan Trush.

2017 - 2019 — Lviv National Academy of Arts.

2019 - 2021 — Lutsk National Technical University.



Artist Statement

My art is about nature, reproduced in wavy forms, lines. With my artworks, I try to show people's deep connection with the environment and meaningfully remind contemporaries of the need to cherish and preserve nature. I'm reproducing art in wavy lines because I have a very close connection with water and these lines are water, nature waterflow. Like each wavy waterline is cross through different parts of our lives.

I found inspiration primarily in nature, and it is she who evokes in me those powerful reactions that make me feel ready to turn the world upside down.

My art is about encouraging people to sustainable development and protecting nature. We live in the Anthropocene, but this period should not be an ecological catastrophe. On the contrary, we can try to save land, air, and water from pollution, debris, and other human activities. today, there are almost no landscapes left without anthropogenic impact. Civilisational garbage, an excess of electric light, and the noise of cities are everywhere. Traces and substances of industrial activities are everywhere. In my artworks, I discover alternative ways of mutually beneficial coexistence and intend to show others the importance of biological balance through natural diversity.

Personal exhibitions

- 2017: 'Volyn Etudes' in House of Culture Zdolbuniv, Ukraine.
- 2016: 'Volyn Etudes' in Technological College of Lviv Polytechnic National University Lviv, Ukraine.
- 2015: 'Volyn Etudes' in Lviv State College of Decorative and Applied Arts named of Ivan Trush Lviv, Ukraine.

Group exhibitions

- 2023: Auction at the Lviv Opera House, We and the World Lviv, Ukraine
- 2023: 'One-day exhibition. During the war' Uzhgorod, Ukraine.
- 2023: International Drawing Triennial, Center of Contemporary Art 'White World' Kyiv, Ukraine.
- 2023: Ukrainian Horizons, villa Ex Asilio Ciani, We and World Lugano, Switzerland.
- 2022: Burning Man, online festival, 'Waking Dreams' the USA based.
- 2022: Ukraine Wartime, group exhibition, Helikon Art Center, Turkey.
- 2022: Etna in Scena festival in Sicily with artworks reproductions Italy.
- 2022: "BRAVE ART" in La Peña Art Gallery Austin, Texas, USA.
- 2022: Brave Art, NFT art exhibition by Ukrainian artists RD land.
- 2022: War Map exhibiton in TEO Art and Culture Center Herzliya, Izrael.
- 2022: UART The art of peace group show Texas, USA.
- 2022: "Broken Mirrors" at the Milostka Center for Exhibitions of Culturally Arts Collective, online USA based.
- 2022: Charity auction "Save Us" for helping Ukrainian Refugees, Kunstwerk Gallery Germany.
- 2022: NFT Charity project for help Ukraine Ensemble Ukraine.
- 2022: I HeART Connections, Community Art Show USA-based.
- 2022: BWA Watercolor exhibition, cultural center Vernissage Chernivtsy, Ukraine.
- 2021: Nemesis, The Holy Art Gallery, online London based.
- 2021: WMA "Człowiek! Tu byłem!" (Human was here), online exhibition Poland-based.
- 2021: BWA Watercolor exhibition, cultural center Vernissage Chernivtsy, Ukraine.
- 2021: 'The touch of the watercolor', Rivne library Rivne, Ukraine.
- 2021: The Beginning, Aetitud online gallery Poland.

Residencies:

2022: July, Art Association Helikon residence, Turkey.

Art Fairs

2021: Art Fair in Luxembourg, Van Gogh Gallery, Spain - Luxembourg.

Plein airs

2020: Respublica fest, Ukraine.

2016: Plein air dedicated to the preservation of Ukraine's architectural masterpieces, Church of the Holy Trinity - Lviv, Ukraine.

2015: Plein air dedicated to the preservation of Ukraine's architectural masterpieces, Pomoryan castle - Lviv, Ukraine.

Publications

2021: The Next Generation. Interview for a Vacant museum.

2021: Interview for a Muscadine magazine.

2021: Okay Cool Magazine. Zine issue "The origin of our ideas".

2020: CURIOUS Magazine Vol.3 No.1 The Womxn's Issue.

Collections: artworks are in the collections in Ukraine, the USA, Spain, England, France, Italy, Germany, Philippines, Canada, Japan, Sweden, Switzerland.

Projects

The series and projects on which artist focusing on. The most theme on which artist is focused on is nature.

Forward to the future

The series of sculptures on which artist currently work. The core idea of this project is to encourage people to use infinite and environmentally friendly natural energy. I want to show clearly and eloquently that we have a critical problem with the planet's resources. Mankind needs to change its attitudes and habits on many levels to avoid the impending global ecological collapse.

A series of sculptures 'Underwater world'

Ocean sustains various habitats that hold the different types of birds, fish, amphibians and mammals. Here, many creatures from starfish and crabs to penguins, sea otters, and everyone else coexist in a dynamic harmony. Life under water is constantly challenging and risky. It depends on the amount of light, oxygen, lunar tides, heat, food availability, and the speed of currents. The bodies of various creatures are constantly adapting, finding their own way of survival.

A series of paintings 'Nature is a workshop and a timeless piece of art'

This series of works is dedicated to nature, the most resourceful and powerful artist ever existed. For thousands of years, it created starfalls and mountain ranges, grew virgin forests and filled rivers. Trees are its living moving sculptures, sea coasts are intricate lines of demarcation of elements. I painted real landscapes I personally visited and places where I saw everything with my own eyes.

Watercolous paintings

The artist work with watercolors to capture a sensitivity to the world and its changing essence. Inspirational observation of plant life gives for artist a peaceful state of mind and opens inner strength. Nature shares its philosophy with those who are sufficiently observant and caring. The small ponds and steep river slopes Tanbelia have been sitting near, the hogweed thickets and young apple trees she admired, the summer twilight that decided to keep in the memory. You can now empathise with all these locations and atmospheres and adjust to balance with the environment.