Margaryta Johansson

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Artist CV

About

Margaryta Johansson is a Sweden-based artist working primarily with watercolour, acrylic and mixed media. Her work focuses on animals, nature, and especially chickens — portraying their multifaceted personalities and the often-overlooked emotional depth of these familiar creatures.

In addition to her artistic practice, Margaryta also creates handmade soap and candles under her own brand, blending craft with visual aesthetics. She is interested in the intersection of everyday objects, art, and storytelling.

Education & Artistic Training

- Courses in Academic Drawing and Watercolour Sketching (online)
- · Studies in Art Pedagogy (Konstpedagogik), Form and Creation at Stockholm University
- Various courses on teaching art to children
- Art club training in childhood (Ukraine)

Selected Exhibitions

- 2025 Solna Vårsalong, group exhibition, Solna, Sweden (a chicken-themed acrylic painting)
- **2013** Solo exhibition at Vågen Gallery, Åkersberga, Sweden (animal-themed acrylic paintings and art dolls)
- 2007 Group exhibition at "Nef" Gallery, Kyiv, Ukraine (author's art doll)

Artistic Techniques

- Watercolour
- Acrylic painting

- Drawing and graphic art
- Mixed media (including digital enhancement when needed)

Creative Projects

- Handmade soap and soy wax candles (artisanal small-batch production)
- Developing projects for future creative workshops
- Plans for publishing and illustrating a children's book
- Exploring the idea of producing art prints and postcards featuring her animal-themed works

Artistic Goals

Margaryta aims to continue exhibiting her artworks internationally and raising awareness about the individuality of animals through art. Her long-term goal is to combine her passions for illustration, storytelling, and craftsmanship in the form of books, prints, and exhibitions.