

# GERDA HANSEN

## D U R R G A L L E R I

Gerda Hansen (born 1994) obtained her Bachelor's degree in painting from the Estonian Academy of Arts and her Master's degree (2025) in contemporary art at the same institution. Her artistic practice revolves around the fusion of material and digital realms. The motifs in her paintings emerge from a visual dialogue between the artist and artificial intelligence. Hansen's works feature peculiar forms reminiscent of real objects and situations, yet they evoke a sense of contradiction and strangeness, prompting viewers to question the boundaries between reality and the imagined worlds. Hansen has exhibited her work in Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, and Italy, and was awarded the Adamson-Eric Young Artist Scholarship in 2023.

Gerda Hansen (född 1994) tog sin kandidatexamen i måleri vid Estonian Academy of Arts och sin masterexamen (2025) i samtidskonst vid samma lärosäte. Hennes konstnärliga praktik kretsar kring sammansmältningen av materiella och digitala världar. Motiven i hennes målningar växer fram ur en visuell dialog mellan konstnären och artificiell intelligens. Hansens verk präglas av märkliga former som påminner om verkliga objekt och situationer, men samtidigt framkallar en känsla av motsägelse och främmandeskap, vilket får betraktaren att ifrågasätta gränserna mellan verkligheten och de föreställda världarna. Hansen har ställt ut sina verk i Estland, Lettland, Litauen och Italien, och tilldelades Adamson-Eric Young Artist Scholarship år 2023.



### Curriculum Vitae

b.1994 Estonia. Lives and works in Estonia.

### Education

2022-25 Estonian Academy of Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts - MA Contemporary Art  
2024 Academy of Fine Arts, Prague, Czech Republic (Erasmus+ exchange semester)  
2019-22 Estonian Academy of Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts - BA Painting

### Solo exhibitions

2026 *On the Verge of Completion*, Hobusepea gallery, Tallinn (with Rebecca Norman)  
2025 *Revelation*, Artrovert gallery, Tallinn  
2023 *Etudes for Blue, Red and Brown*, Hobusepea gallery, Tallinn (with Jane Muts and Mari Steinberg)

### Group exhibitions

2026 *Errare humanum est. Painting at the Time of Artificial Intelligence*, Galleri Duerr, Stockholm  
2026 *Truth and Justice 100. A Hundred Views on the Novel*, Kastellaanimaja gallery, Tallinn  
2026 *Young Painter Prize XVII*, Tartu Art House, Tartu  
2025 *Young Painter Prize XVII*, Stasys Museum, Pragiedruliai, Lithuania  
2025 *Young Painter Prize XVII*, Latvian Academy of Arts Gallery, Riga, Latvia  
2025 *TASE 25*, Estonian Academy of Arts, Tallinn  
2024 *Clothed and Nude. 110 Years of Figure Study at the Estonian Academy of Arts*, EKA Gallery, Tallinn  
2024 *Spring Exhibition*, Tallinn Art Hall Gallery, Tallinn  
2024 *Klouzury*, AVU, Prague, Czech Republic  
2024 *Allow Yourself to Change*, Ars Project Space, Tallinn  
2024 *Femisphere*, Volta Gallery, Tallinn  
2023 *Surprize*, Galleria Bramante, Fermignano, Italy 2023 Ultra Contemporary, Vaal gallery, Tallinn

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- 2023 Young Painter Prize XV, Museum of Applied Arts and Design, Vilnius, Lithuania
- 2023 Creative Realities, Villa Dombrovka, Karepa
- 2023 Cherries Once Grew In My Garden, Uus Rada gallery, Tallinn
- 2022 TASE '22, Estonian Academy of Arts, Tallinn
- 2022 Reading Lessons, Library of the Estonian Academy of Arts, Tallinn
- 2021 Group exhibition in the Office of the Chancellor of Justice, Tallinn
- 2021 TASE FILM, Estonian Academy of Arts, Tallinn
- 2020 Rope Walker, Tartu Art Annual Exhibition, Tartu Art House, Tartu

### Prizes and nominations

- 2023 Laureate of the Adamson-Eric Young Artist Scholarship