



Nadege Meriau

A series of photographs

French born photographer Nadege Meriau moved to London after completing her photographic studies at Bournemouth and Poole College of Art and Design in 1997.

Her most recent exhibition took place in Finland this summer with a display of underwater photographs based around the soothing and regenerating nature of the sea.

The images on display continue to celebrate the magic and vitality of Nature through the use of vibrant colours, exaggerated perspective and a unique play with focus.

By nestling her camera among wild grasses and tree leaves, sometimes almost touching her subject with the lens, Nadege invites us to look at the world with the gaze of a child, where mushrooms, flowers and plants take on giant and wonderful proportions.

This exhibition opens on the 6th of October 2004 and runs until Friday 7 January 2005 at the Bartholomew Hospital, Outpatient Wing, West Smithfield, EC1.

All prints are for sale and 33% of the proceeds will go to the charity Vital Arts. For further information, please contact Tiffany at Vital Arts on 020 7480 4654.

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