

# Troika Amano

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Troika Amano is a contemporary artist working in video, photography, and novels. Drawing from childhood experiences of bullying and bipolar disorder, the artist explores themes of liminal spaces derived from “emotional wounds,” working under the concept of “nonfiction within fiction.” Within this framework, the artist creates works through investigations into Japanese prayers and curses, attempts to deconstruct and reconstruct memories and recollections, and research into the effects of traversing between digital and analog realms. While deconstructing and reconstructing human memory and emotion, the artist creates works centered on people bearing inner wounds often overlooked by society—wounds they hide from others—constantly reflecting on their relationship with society through this practice.

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## EDUCATION

2009      Technical Associate, VISUAL ARTS OSAKA ACADEMY, Film Studies

## SOLO EXHIBITION

2021      Worthless , The Art complex Center of Tokyo , Tokyo, Japan

2018      Scars in the flower garden ,76 Café OMOTESANDO, Tokyo, Japan

## GROUP EXHIBITION

2025      MONSTER EXHIBITION 2025, Shibuya Hikarie, Tokyo, Japan

The 30th Japan National Selected Artists Exhibition , The Ueno Royal Museum ,

2024      Tokyo, Japan

Sapporo Artistry & Beauty Photo Festival, DOREME(Old School Building) ,  
Hokkaido, Japan

Setagaya@Be a artist , Setagaya Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan

2023      The Exhibition of Megumi Eno , Mitsukoshi Department Store, Nagoya, Japan

NO ONE KNOWS SecondNote [Disaggregation and reconstruction],  
2022 Under the railway bridge at Nakano Station ,Tokyo, Japan  
2020 A guidepost, BEATS, Osaka, Japan  
UROBOROS, Shinjuku Ophthalmologist Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

#### **AWARD / PRIZE**

2025 BBA ONE SHOT AWARD Shortlist  
2023 Longlisted, Idemitsu Art Award 2023, Idemitsu Kosan Co., Ltd., Tokyo, Japan  
2022 Winner, Stockholm Short Festival, Stockholm Short Festival, Stockholm ,  
Sweden  
2021 Honorable Mention, Luxembourg Art Prize 2021, Pinacothèque , luxembourg  
, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg