

NINAGAWA Mika: Captive Blooms in Soho Photography Quarter 24 June 2026 - 01 June 2027

NINAGAWA Mika: Captive Blooms is now open in the Soho Photography Quarter, right outside The Photographers' Gallery on Ramillies Street.

This free, open-air exhibition brings a world bursting with kaleidoscopic colour and emotion to the streets of Soho. NINAGAWA's large-scale images of blooming flowers, shimmering goldfish and city nights transform Soho Photography Quarter into a place of spectacle and reflection. A film of NINAGAWA's hypnotic, vibrant work is shown each night at dusk.

NINAGAWA's photography bridges art, fashion and pop culture. In her underwater images, she creates a fluid dream-like universe pulsating with life. In her cherry blossom photographs, she captures the fleeting beauty of spring in Japan.

"With the world going through all these momentous changes, we've experienced how humble, yet precious, even miraculous, this reality is in the everyday, so fragile like sand escaping through our fingers."

— NINAGAWA Mika

More of NINAGAWA's photographs are on show in [Japanese Women Photographers: From 1950s to Now](#), on show at The Photographers' Gallery from 24 June until 27 September 2026.

Notes to Editors

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The Photographers' Gallery

The Photographers' Gallery explores how photography is connecting, captivating and radically changing our world today. The Gallery's programme and spaces – from exhibitions, talks, workshops and digital platforms, to the galleries, shop and cafe – all explore the beauty, complexity and future of photography. Right outside the Gallery, the very best of contemporary photography is shown for free, day and night, in Soho Photography Quarter.

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NINAGAWA Mika

Mika Ninagawa is a multidisciplinary photographer who also works extensively in

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film, video and spatial installations. She is the recipient of numerous photography awards, including the prestigious Kimura Ihei Award. She has directed five feature films, including *Helter-Skelter* (2012) and *Diner* (2019), and the Netflix original drama. *FOLLOWERS* (2020). She has published more than 120 books of photographs, held or participated in over 150 solo exhibitions and 130 group exhibitions, and continues to present her work internationally. Exhibitions include: *Mika Ninagawa: Eternity in a Moment* (TOKYO NODE, 2023/2024); *NINAGAWA Mika with EiM: Lights of the beyond, Shadows of this world* (Kyoto City Kyocera Museum of Art, 2025).

Visitor information - The Photographers' Gallery

NINAGAWA Mika in Soho Photography Quarter - free, open day & night

In the main gallery: [Japanese Women Photographers: From 1950s to Now](#)

Monday – Wednesday 10.30am – 6pm

Thursday & Friday 10.30am - 8pm

Saturday 10.30am - 6pm

Sunday & Bank Holidays 11am – 6pm

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