

BIO

Conceptual artist and activist Nadya Tolokonnikova is the founding member of Pussy Riot, a global feminist protest art movement. Today, hundreds of people identify as a part of Pussy Riot community.

She was sentenced in 2012 to 2 years' imprisonment following an anti-Putin performance. Went through a hunger strike protesting savage prison conditions and ended up being sent far away to a Siberian penal colony, where she managed though to maintain her artistic activity and with her prison punk band she made a tour around Siberian labor camps. Published a book "Read and riot: Pussy Riot's guide to activism."

Pussy Riot's Punk-prayer ("feminist, explicitly anti-Putin, protesting the banning of gay pride and the Orthodox church's support of the president") sent waves through Russian media, and they've collaborated with Bansky on his Dismaland exhibition, been endorsed by Marina Abramovic and Ai Weiwei, created an immersive experience in Saatchi gallery in London, and created a humanitarian NFT project with over \$7 million in value.

Co-founder of independent news service and media outlet, Mediazona. Has spoken before the US Congress, British Parliament, European Parliament, appeared as herself on season 3 of House of Cards, performed at Banksy's Dismaland exhibition.

Pussy Riot stands for gender fluidity, inclusivity, matriarchy, love, laughter, decentralization, anarchy, and anti-authoritarianism.





HIGHLIGHTS

LIVE

- Toured in March 2022
- Support for Marina, Dorian Electra, and performed alongside Rei Ami, Wu Tang Clan, Snoop Dogg, Deli Girls, and Sunflower Bean, Charli XCX, Black Eyed Peas, Skrillex, The Cure, Erykah Badu, etc.
- Will perform at Outside Lands, Rifflandia, Life is Beautiful
- Performed festivals such as St. Petersburg Pride, FLOODfest SXSW, Heav3n, Desert Daze, RBC Bluesfest, Riot Fest

TV & AWARDS







- Pussy Riot joined the NFT community in early 2021, co-founded UnicornDAO, formed UkraineDAO which has raised over \$7m for Ukraine, is a PleasrDAO member, and a supporter of a stronger female representation in the NFT space
- Film "Pussy Riot A Punk Prayer" made following the court case after their performance in a Russian Orthodox Cathedral
- LennonOno Grant for Peace
- 1LIVE German Music Prize

AUDIO PERFORMANCES

- Over 319K Spotify monthlies



"PRISONERS OF CONSCIENCE"



"A FORCE OF **SUBVERSIVE PROTEST"**





"ONE OF THE STORIES OF THE **DECADE**"

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"AMONG THE BEST ART PIECES **OF THE 21ST CENTURY**"



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