



**MURAMID ARTS AND CULTURAL CENTER/UNA SD Art Miles Mural Project
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Muramid Museum Art Cultural Center and UNESCO Center for Peace Hosts Miss Eco International 2024, Angelina Usanova, UN Goodwill Ambassador, Oceanside, California – July 30th -August 2nd, 2024

The Muramid Museum Art and Cultural Center, home to the UNA San Diego's Art Miles Mural project, an initiative under the UNESCO Center for Peace of San Diego (California and Baja) is proud to announce the hosting of Miss Eco International 2024, Angelina Usanova, also known as Miss Universe Ukraine 2023, and as an official Goodwill Ambassador. Miss Usanova will be visiting Oceanside, California, and participating in environmental events and activities throughout the week.

This collaboration and the purpose of her visit is to promote cultural exchange, share her focus on environmental degradation and possible solutions, a strong interest in eco-tourism and international peace, through the universal language of the arts. Angelina is an accomplished composer, singer, actress, children's book author, and yoga master; selected as Miss Eco International among 40 other women environmental activists from around the world.

"We are honored to welcome Miss Eco International 2024, Angelina Usanova, to our city, our center and community," said Joanne Tawfilis, owner at the Muramid Museum Art and Cultural Center "Her presence and participation in our environmentally conscious city, diverse community events. A major preview of several of the current 600 environmental murals from more than 100 countries will be a highlight of her visit and hopefully serve to further inspire her wide range of accomplishments and creativity, activism, and cross-cultural understanding among our visitors and participants.

The Muramid Museum Art Cultural Center is a renowned cultural institution and award winning project dedicated to promoting art, creativity, and peace while developing support and solutions for the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Miss Usanova plans to visit the Endangered Planet Foundation in Laguna Beach and Maui following her Southern California stay.

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