2006 Street of Dreams **Artist Awarded Fellowship**

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Carly Schmitt, owner and founder of the Seattle based mural art and installation company Artist@ Large, today announced that she has been awarded the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation's German Chancellor Fellowship for the 2008-2009 fellowship year. Schmitt, 26, was chosen for her outstanding potential for future leadership in her field of public art. Established under the patronage of the Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and the President of the United States of America, the program was created in the hope that important positions in American society would continue to be filled by innovative individuals with first hand knowledge of Germany.



Carly Schmitt Schmitt will live in Germany for one year starting in June 2008. She will be joined by nine other recipients of the Fellowship from the United States, 10 from China and 10 from the Russian Federation. During her stay, Schmitt will create at least two installments of public art to be displayed within Germany.

"I owe a special thanks to all my supporters; through your patronage, referral and encouragement you have helped me to build my career up to this high level of success," Schmitt exclaimed. " I feel confident that this fellowship will open a new world of opportunity to me on both personal and professional levels. I could not be

more excited to embark upon the upcoming fellowship year."

Schmitt is a graduate in Fine Art and Communications from Macalester College in St. Paul, Minn. She moved to Seattle and started her own business at age 23. The German Chancellor's Fellowship grants her the opportunity of a lifetime to move from her status as a nationally recognized fine art muralist, to meeting her career goal as a successful international public artist.

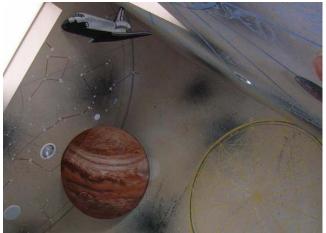
Carly can be reached at artist@carlyschmitt.com

Carly Schmitt's work was featured in "Kensington Manor" in our 2006 Seattle Street of Dreams event Dodd Ranch at Allen Lake in Sammamish, WA.





Celtic Knot Details in Master Bedroom Entry & Master Bathroom of 2006 "Kensington Manor"



Solar System Mural in Bonus Room of 2006 "Kensington Manor"

