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Our Guide to
**GLOBAL
BEAUTY**

THE **NEW** BRAZILIAN
TRICK FOR SEXY HAIR

THE SMOOTH-SKIN
SECRET FROM KOREA

THE BEST LIP BALM
IN THE WORLD

FRESH FACES
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Hailey
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THE MONEY
DISORDER
THAT'S
HOLDING
YOU BACK

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Spring
Style

BEACHY CHIC DRESSES,
PLAYFUL PRINTS
& THE COOLEST SHADES
UNDER THE SUN

TRUE
CONFESSIONS:
HOW MUCH
DO YOU
SPEND
ON YOUR
HAIR?
REAL GIRLS
TELL ALL



UNITED STATES

OFF THE WALL

AN ARTIST DUO IS ON A NATIONWIDE MISSION TO MAKE SURE GIRLS ARE SEEN

The first subject was Veronica Calderon, a 17-year-old from Florida who thought no one cared what she had to say. Then came Traci Falbo, a 43-year-old mother of two in Indiana who had run 19 marathons, and Lauren Levin, a 13-year-old with Asperger's syndrome who was being bullied at her school in Pennsylvania. All of these women have one thing in common: They deserve to be noticed.

That's what photographer Elizabeth Sanjuan and artist Lori Pratico thought when they embarked on their project, Girl Noticed, a mural series to bring awareness to the important role women and girls play in society. The duo plans to paint a portrait of a local girl, selected from written and video submissions, in all 50 states within three years.

The first murals were done in charcoal, which fades over time, to emphasize a symbolic undertone:



Elizabeth Sanjuan (left) and Lori Pratico in front of their Girl Noticed mural in Florida, May 2015

When girls are left unnoticed, their talents will also disappear. They now use paint to make sure their message is longer-lasting, and will complete their 15th mural, in Washington, D.C., this month. "We want girls to recognize what is special in themselves," Pratico says. After all, seeing is believing. —Nila Do Simon