



101 Vagina Book Exhibition and Launch Tour

New book and exhibition breaks down body taboo and celebrates diversity.

LOS ANGELES, USA, March 12, 2014 /EINPresswire.com/ -- After two years in the making, the [101 Vagina](http://101vagina.com) book is being launched in the USA and Canada with a [series of exhibitions](#) across the two countries from April to June 2014.

101 Vagina is about breaking down the taboo around the vagina and body image shame generally. It's also about the sharing of story and celebration of our diversity.

The book comprises 101 black and white photos of women's vaginas, in front on standing pose, accompanied by a message written by each woman about her vagina. The messages span the spectrum of emotions and form a small compendium of women's experiences with their vaginas and womanhood in general.

The book is self-published via [Taboo Books](#) by German/Australian photographer Philip Werner. It was first launched in Melbourne in 2013 after a successful crowdfunding campaign and Werner is now taking the book to the world via America.

Werner was first inspired by reading Eve Ensler's Vagina Monologues in 2007, and wanted to do something to counteract the unrealistic standards held up by various media which lead many women to feel that they are not normal or attractive.

101 Vagina is relevant to current issues around labiaplasty. There has been a startling increase in genital cosmetic surgery being sought by women, and even teenage girls. The book has been widely praised for it's honest, diverse images and messages.

Once printed, \$5 from every book sold will go to women's charities working to end or heal violence towards women.

Traversing the continent, the tour will start in Los Angeles (5-13 April) before visiting San Francisco (19-27 April), Montreal (17-25 May), New York (3-8 June) and finishing in Toronto (14-22 June). Exhibitions in the UK may follow.

The book launch exhibitions will also feature a Festival of the Vagina, bringing local artists performers and educators together in vaginal celebration.

101 Penis and 101 Breasts are also in the making.

Review copies of the book are available on request.

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