



Creative Alignment Brief

This document is designed to align vision, sensitivity, and boundaries before the beginning of any project.

My work is not built on improvised poses or decisions made in the moment, but on a clear dialogue between light, space, presence, and intention.

Your answers to these questions will help me understand your position and create an image that is coherent, respectful, and enduring over time.

1) Image intention

What kind of experience would you like to explore through this project?

- Classical portrait with horse
- Emotional / intimate portrait
- Fine art project with strong light control
- Personal series with a strong symbolic component
- I'm not sure — I would like to be guided

2) Emotional Intention of the Image

What would you like the image to convey?

- Strength
- Vulnerability
- Elegance
- Connection
- Mystery
- I'm not sure how to define it



3) Relationship with the Horse

The horse involved is:

- My own horse
- A horse belonging to someone else (e.g. from the stable where I ride)
- I do not have access to a horse

The horse is accustomed to:

- Close physical contact
- Being ridden bareback
- The presence of special clothing / fabrics / lights
- I'm not sure

4) Atmosphere and Visual Context

Which environment feels closest to your sensitivity?

- Controlled studio / dark background / sculpted light
- Stable interior / textured and natural atmosphere
- Minimal outdoor setting / diffused light
- Open nature / visible landscape
- I have no preference — I trust the artistic direction



5) Level of Exposure / Physical Comfort

What is your level of comfort regarding body exposure in the image?

- Structured clothing only / full outfits
- Flowing garments / partially visible skin (shoulders, back, legs)
- Elegant lingerie / glamour atmosphere
- Partial artistic nudity
- Full artistic nudity (in a controlled, non-explicit context)
- I would prefer to discuss it in person

6) Image usage

The images will be intended for:

- Private use
- Personal social media
- Online publication (website/blog)
- Artist's portfolio
- Exhibitions / fine art prints



6) Publication / Privacy

How private would you like the images to remain?

- Strictly private use only
- Limited sharing
- I authorize use in the artist's portfolio
- We will decide together after the final selection

This document serves as a preliminary basis for alignment.

All final decisions regarding light, space, composition, and level of exposure will be agreed upon before the session, in mutual respect and in accordance with the artistic vision of the project.

No choice will be defined without clarity and mutual consent.

Full Name:	
Date:	
Email:	
Signature (optional):	

Once completed, the document can be sent to: commissions@tristandarkhorses.com

Your responses will be carefully reviewed and, based on them, a preliminary artistic direction will be proposed before proceeding with the confirmation of the project.

Thank you for sharing your perspective.