## MINNEAPOLIS COLLEGE of ART and DESIGN

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March 2022 – Minneapolis College of Art and Design (MCAD) announces that the 9th annual Auction at MCAD will take place Friday, May 20, 7–10 p.m. featuring a diverse group of 50 artists that includes Julie Buffalohead, Willie Cole, Shelly Mosman, and Alec Soth. A vital event that has raised more than \$1.5 million for MCAD scholarships, the Auction directly benefits student artists and designers on their paths toward graduating. The Auction will also take place online May 20–23, where the public can bid from their own home.

The Auction at MCAD is an opportunity for the creative Twin Cities community to gather, celebrate, and engage with both emerging and established artists—all in support of MCAD scholarships. Taking place on the MCAD Lawn and in the Gallery, this year's Auction will feature:

- Live music by <u>DJ Tricky Miki</u>
- Art installation by Aaron Dysart and Sam Larom '19
- Live figure drawing and demonstration by MCAD MFA students, organized by Continuing Education
- Live Auction for exclusive items such as dinner by celebrity chef Andrew Zimmern
- Open bar by Bacardi
- Local bites by Nixta Tortilleria, Saturday Dumpling Club, and Vinai

Because of the generosity of Auction attendees, hundreds of students will have greater access to scholarships, ensuring that the creative changemakers of tomorrow can receive a world-class education.

#### **TICKETS**

Tickets are available at mcad.edu/artauction.

Admission to the Lawn Party and Live Auction Early-bird through April 4: \$150 After April 4: \$200

VIP Auction Experience: \$250 VIP tables also available.

#### THE AUCTION AT MCAD ARTISTS

Vito Acconci Ann Aspinwall Julie Baugnet '95, MFA Kristin Bickal Juhana Blomstedt Owen Brown Dan Bruggeman Julie Buffalohead '95 Cole Case

Genie Castro

Willie Cole

Cy DeCosse '52

David duChemin

Lisa Elias

Gregory Euclide, MFA '05

Nathanael Flink '94

Frank Gaard

Wanda Gag 1916

Isa Gagarin '08

Iva Gueorguieva

Richard Hamilton

Kim Heidkamp

Tynan Kerr '07

Tim Lane

Heidi Libera '83

Ashley Mary '18, MA

Patrick Maun

Derek Meier

Lucy Mink '95, MFA

Shelly Mosman '95

Lee Noble '20, MFA

Luis González Palma

Teresa Paschke '85

Jesse Petersen

Mark Rode

Bobby Rogers '14

Madison Rubenstein '13

Miriam Schapiro

Mark Schoening

Alec Soth

Xavier Tavera '14

Fred Thieler
G. Timmreck
Jared Tuttle '14
Russell Tyler
Roman Verostko
Jeralyn Victoria '06
Michon Weeks
Kit Wilson
Karen Wirth, Professor Emeritus
Seth Wolk

### **Auction Committee**

Laura Austrian, Co-chair Roderick Southall, Co-chair Liz Barrere Rob Birdsong Allison Bonnett Mia Bonnie Brian Childs Megan Clawson Teresa Coryell House Danny Della Lana Tara Dev Greg Downer Nate Flink '94 Kathy Ganley Anny Hommeyer Nayana Jha M.E. Kirwan Aaron Mack Carol Mack Heather Mattera Tiffanea Mulder Amanda Norman Marion Parke Sandra Rieger Rob Sherer Ellie Sparling **Ernest Williams** Amy Wolford









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