



ALL MY RELATIONS ARTS | NACDI

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Artist Moira Villiard Debuts First Minneapolis Solo Exhibition

Minneapolis, Minnesota — Native American Community Development Institute (NACDI) and All My Relations Arts (AMRA) presents *Rights of the Child*, a solo exhibition by Moira Villiard. Villiard explores the essence of childhood and children’s rights in modern times. The exhibition is on view at All My Relations Arts gallery until April 19, 2020.

About the Exhibition

Through an exhibition of paintings and digitally designed posters, Duluth-based artist Moira Villiard’s work calls attention to individual cognitive dissonance, or to “doublethink,” which occurs when people hold two contradictory beliefs about an issue or situation. *Rights of the Child* focuses on children’s rights at a global and local level, how these areas overlap, and sheds light on the notion of “doublethink” that creates an atmosphere of misunderstanding. The exhibition questions, “What are the core aspects of children’s rights, and how is consensus about their applicability achieved?”

AMRA Director Angela Two Stars reflects, “We are thrilled to present Moira Villiard in her first solo exhibition in the Twin Cities. *Rights of the Child* is a deeply thought provoking experience that highlights the importance of children’s rights and how important and essential those rights are for the full development of a child.”

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All My Relations Arts (AMRA) operates the All My Relations Gallery, Minnesota’s premier American Indian owned and operated contemporary fine arts gallery. Located on Franklin Avenue in Minneapolis, the gallery resides within the heart of the American Indian Cultural Corridor. AMRA presents four fine art exhibits throughout the year, as well as hosting tours, presentations, and programs.

The focus of AMRA is to provide the people of the Twin Cities, greater Minnesota, and beyond consistently high-quality exposure to Native American fine arts. As an initiative of the Native American Community Development Institute (NACDI), All My Relations Arts serves a very distinct role in NACDI’s community development work, providing the public with education about American Indian history, culture, and contemporary experiences through the arts.

1414 East Franklin Avenue Minneapolis, MN 55404

Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Saturday 9:00 am – 6:00 pm, Closed Sunday.

Free and open to the public.

Due to unforeseeable events with the COVID-19 pandemic, programming has been cancelled for this exhibition. Depending on the hours and operations of Pow Wow Grounds AMRA will be closed.