Visual & Multidisciplinary Arts Projects

Panelist Bios

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Collier County

- Executive Director, Marco Island Center for the Arts, Marco Island, FL
- Previously, Director of Education, Stepping Stones Museum for Children, Norwalk, CT; Director of Programming and Advocacy, Prevent Blindness Tri-State, CT, NY, NJ; Director of Education, The Westport Country Playhouse, Westport, CT; Education and New Audience Specialist, Yale Repertory Theater, New Haven, CT; Education Coordinator, Long Wharf Theatre, New Haven, CT; Executive Director, The Elm Shakespeare Company, New Haven, CT
- JD Law, Washington and Lee University School of Law, Lexington, VA
- BA in Philosophy, Trinity College, Hartford, CT

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Broward County

- Director of Arts Administration and Community Engagement, FATVillage Arts District, Fort Lauderdale, FL
- Gallery Manager, Girls' Club Collection, Fort Lauderdale, FL
- Former Program Assistant, Broward Cultural Division
- Former Registrar and Arts Administrator, Girls' Club Collection, Fort Lauderdale, FL
- BS in Psychology from the University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL; MS in Mental Health Counseling from Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL

Lane Epps
Orange County

- Development Director, Albin Polasek Museum & Sculpture Gardens, Winter Park, Florida (2016-2021)
- Treasurer, Back to Nature Wildlife Refuge and Education Center, Orlando, Florida
- B.A., Political Science, Boston University
- Certificate in Proposal Writing, Edyth Bush Institute for Philanthropy & Nonprofit Leadership at Rollins College

Gabriela Germana
Hillsborough County

- Visiting Professor in Contemporary Art History, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- Specializes in modern and contemporary Latin American art and contemporary Indigenous art, addressing the issues of decolonial theory, feminist theory, race, ethnicity, politics of identity, theories of circulation, and regimes of value
- Recipient of a Fulbright Foreign Student Program scholarship (2014-2015), a Rose Teaching Fellowship (Department of Art History, Florida State University, 2016), a Mason Dissertation Research Award (Department of Art History, Florida State University, 2017), and a CAA Graduate Student Travel Grant (2018)

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Miami-Dade County

- Executive Director, Coral Gables Art Cinema
- Former Vice President of Operations, Openfilm, Miami, FL
- Former Director of Business Development, Magna-Tech Electronic Inc

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St. Lucie County

- Executive Director, St. Lucie Cultural Alliance
- Previously, Executive Director/President of New Orleans Opera Association, Germantown Cultural Arts Center, Arts Garage and Pompano Beach Amphitheater and Cultural Center
- Over twenty years of executive experience in managing cultural institutions

Marjorie Waldo
Palm Beach County

- President & CEO, Arts Garage
- Grant Writer with over $2 million of successful funding
- Educational leader for over 25 years
- Not for Profit Turn Around specialist & consultant
- M.Ed., Educational Leadership, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida; B.A., Theatre, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia