

ACCESS 2015 WCA CONFERENCE NYC



2015 WCA Conference in New York City Conference Schedule

Wednesday, February 11 Pre-Conference Early Registration

5:00 – 7:00 PM	EARLY REGISTRATION Night Hotel Lobby, 157 W 47th Street Make plans to have informal dinner with WCA members who arrive early

Thursday, February 12 First Day of Conference

7:30 – 9:00 AM	WCA CONFERENCE REGISTRATION Hilton NY, 3 rd Fl, East Ballroom
7:30 – 9:00 AM	CONFERENCE KICKOFF Hilton NY, 3 rd Fl, East Ballroom <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Welcome – President Brenda Oelbaum ● Half the Sky Video Premiere - International Caucus Chair Sherri Cornett
9:00 – 9:30	BREAK
9:30 AM – 12:00 PM	WCA/CAA PANEL: <i>THE DIFFERENCE DISABILITY MAKES: DISABILITY, COMMUNITY, AND ART</i> Hilton NY, 3 rd Fl East Ballroom Chair: Petra Kupperts, University of Michigan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>The Space in Between</i> - Chanika Svetvilas, Goddard College

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Art and Design with Care - Brian Goldfarb, University of California, San Diego ● Appropriating Mad Stories in Community Arts: Conforming to a Neoliberal Agenda of Biomedical Mental Health Literacy - Jenna Allison Reid, York University ● Curating Raw Beauty -Elizabeth Van Arragon, Calvin College ● When Pain Eats the Picture - Riva B. Lehrer, School of the Art Institute of Chicago ● The Salamander Project: Participatory Performance Practices and Disability Culture - Petra Kuppens, University of Michigan 	
12:00 – 12:30 PM	BREAK	
12:30 – 2:00 PM	WCA/CAA PANEL: IGNITING REGIONS THROUGH ART AND ACTIVISM Hilton NY, 3 rd Fl, East Ballroom <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Introduction of Krista Jiannacopoulos, WCA President Elect ● Panel Chairs: Catherine Judge, Moongate Studio; Krista Jiannacopoulos, independent artist ● Discussant: Marcia Annenberg, independent artist; Stefani Rossi, independent artist 	BREAKING THE RULES – THE “OTHER” CAREER PATHS 12:30 – 2:00 PM CAA ARTspace (free session) Hilton NY, 2 nd Fl, Murray Hill Suite Stacy Miller – Chair, Niku Kashef Co-Chair Panelists Susan Clausen, Larry Ossei-Mensah, Steve Englander, Amelia Winger-Bearskin.
2:00 – 3:00 PM	BREAK	2:00 – 3:30 PM FREYDA MILLER BOOK-SIGNING
	3:00 – 4:30 PM JWAN MEETING 10 th Floor meeting space Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street Meet with members of the Jewish Women Artists Network.	3:30 – 5:00 PM DEANNA SIRLIN BOOK-SIGNING Women’s Art Journal Book Table NY Hilton, America’s Exhibit Hall
5:30 PM – 7:00 PM	LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECEPTION NY Institute of Technology (NYIT) 1871 Broadway, NY Tickets must be purchased in advance. Transportation to the event is on your own.	5:00 – 6:00 PM NY CHAPTER PANEL Riverside Library 127 Amsterdam Ave (65/66 St), NY Women Artists of the New Millenium

	Cocktails and walk-around dinner Be sure to check out the 5x7 Sale of WCA Artists' Small Works. \$60 each!	Eleanor Heartney, Helaine Posner, Nancy Princenthal and Sue Scott.
7:30 – 9:00	LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD AND PRESIDENT'S AWARD CEREMONY NYIT, 1871 Broadway, NY 2015 Lifetime Achievement Awardees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sue Coe, Kiki Smith, Martha Wilson President's Awardee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Petra Kuppers Free and open to the public	
9:00 – 10:00 PM	LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD COFFEE & DESSERT RECEPTION NYIT, 1871 Broadway, NY	

Friday, February 13 Second Day of Conference

8:30 – 11:00 AM	LUMINARY BREAKFAST: ARTISTS & AUTHORS Tickets must be purchased in advance Maple Restaurant at the Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street Breakfast featuring New York's luminary artists and authors. A not-to-miss opportunity to chat with successful women arts professionals over brunch.	
11:00 AM – 12:40 PM	BREAK	
1:00 – 10:00 PM	TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES: FROM THE MUSEUM MILE TO THE BOWERY A special New York day of conversations and art. Tickets must be purchased in advance Meet in the lobby by 12:30pm. Bus will board at 12:45pm Chartered bus leaves the Night Hotel at 1:00 PM and arrives at the El Museo del Barrio on Museum Mile. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Arts & Healing</i>" panel facilitated by Cheryl Bookout and panelists Betsy Damon, 	BALANCING ACT (2): ART, FAMILY AND OTHER DISTRACTIONS 12:30 – 2:00 PM CAA ARTspace (free session) Hilton NY, 2 nd Fl, Murray Hill Suite Chair Niku Kashef, Co-Chair Micol Hebron Panelists Rachel Epp Buller, Myrel Chernick, Tierney Gearon, Seth Kaufman, Ellina Kevorkian, Jennifer Reeder
Meet in the lobby at 12:30pm		

Neda Moridpour and Quimetta Perle with two of her artist-clients.

- Afterwards, bus takes the attendees to the Bowery to explore the downtown art scene and dine on own.
- At 7:30 PM, re-convene at Dixon Place, New York's laboratory for performance for a special event.
- The bus returns to the Night hotel by 10:00 PM.

Saturday, February 14 Last Day of Conference

<p>8:30 – 11:30 AM</p>	<p>CHAPTERS COUNCIL MEETING 10th Floor meeting space Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street</p> <p>Discussion among chapter reps and election of Directors.</p>	<p>TFAP DAY OF PANELS Collective Creativity: Collaboration and Collectives in Feminist Art Practice Museum of Arts and Design 2 Columbus Circle New York</p> <p>9:00-9:10 AM Welcome and Introductory Remarks Connie Tell, Director, The Feminist Art Project, Rutgers University Co-organizers: Damali Abrams, Artist; Jenn Dierdorf, Artist, Co-Director of the Fellowship Program and Development, A.I.R. Gallery; Kathleen Wentrack, Art historian, City University of NY, Queensborough.</p> <p>9:10-10:20 AM Collaboration and Collectivity: The Past or Future of Feminist Exhibition Making Chair: Kalliopi Minoudaki (Independent Art Historian) Panelists: Doris Caçoilo (_gaia), Lauren Denitzio (Artist; For the Birds), Kate Wadkins (Writer/Curator; For the Birds); Dr. Maura Reilly (University of Sidney), Ridykeulous (Curatorial collective)</p>
<p>11:30 AM – 12:30 PM</p>	<p>LUNCH BREAK</p>	<p>TFAP (Cont'd) 10:30-11:30 am Roundtable: A Community of M/E/A/N/I/N/G Co-Chairs: Susan Bee (Pratt Institute; University of Pennsylvania) and Mira Schor (Parsons, The New School)</p>

		<p>Panelists: Joyce Kozloff (Independent Artist) Sheila Pepe (Pratt Institute), Kara Rooney (Independent Artist, The Brooklyn Rail), Alexandria Smith (Independent Artist 11:40 am-12:50 pm</p> <p>Gatecrashing: Feminist Collaboration and Institutional Intervention Gatecrashing: Feminist Collaboration and Institutional Intervention Co-chairs: Kat Griefen (Rutgers University), and Meredith Brown (Metropolitan Museum of Art) Panelists: A.K. Burns (Artist and Educator), Jorge Daniel Veneciano, (El Museo del Barrio), and the collective HOWDOYOUSAYYAMINAFRICAN?.</p>
12:30-1:50 PM	<p>YOUNG WOMEN’S CAUCUS MEETING 10th Floor meeting space Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street</p> <p>Meet with members of the Young Women’s Caucus.</p>	<p>TFAP Cont’d 12:50-1:35 pm Lunch Break 1:35-2:45 pm When the Personal Becomes Political: Creative Activism/Collective Intentions Chair: Nina Felshin (Independent Curator/Writer/Activist) Panelists/Collectives: Anjana Malhotra (SUNY Buffalo; Visible Collective), Mona Eldahry, (Arab Women Active in the Arts and Media), and Dread Scott (Postcode Criminals).</p>
1:50-3:10 PM	<p>ECO-ART CAUCUS MEETING 10th Floor meeting space Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street</p> <p>Meet with members of the Eco-Art Caucus.</p>	<p>TFAP Cont’d 2:55-4:04 pm Power, Collaboration, and Lies Chair: Katherine Behar (Baruch College) Panelists: Stephanie Rothenberg (University of Buffalo), Jeff Crouse (Odd Division/NEW INC, New Museum), Larisa Mann (New York University), Sydette Harry (Body Ecology Performance Ensemble), Liz Flyntz (Smack Mellon/Extracurricular).</p>
3:10-4:30 PM	<p>INTERNATIONAL CAUCUS MEETING 10th Floor meeting space Night Hotel 157 W 47th Street</p> <p>Meet with members of the International Caucus.</p>	<p>TFAP Cont’d 4:15-4:25 pm Encouragements with Dave Performance by J.R. Uretsky (Artist) and Emily Dix Thomas (Cellist)</p>
5:00 – 10:00 PM	<p>WESTBETH ART RECEPTION & AFTERGLOW DINNER Tickets must be purchased in advance.</p>	<p>TFAP Cont’d 4:30-5:30 pm Roundtable: COLLECTive NoW: Artists on the Collective Present</p>

<p>Meet in lobby at 4:30pm</p>	<p>Meet in the lobby by 4:30. Bus will board at 4:45pm</p> <p>Chartered bus leaves the Night Hotel at 5:00 PM and travels to opening art receptions for four exhibitions that explore the theme of “access” at the historic Westbeth Gallery in the West Village.</p> <p>Helene Aylon, a resident of Westbeth will also be signing her book at the opening.</p> <p>Afterwards, the bus will take attendees to an afterglow dinner at the Bamboo 52 restaurant. After a fun evening of art, conversation and dinner, the bus will take the attendees back to the Night Hotel</p>	<p>Chair: Dalida María Benfield (Vermont College of Fine Arts; Harvard University)</p> <p>Artist/Panelists: Salome Chasnoff (School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Personal Hermitage Productions, and Beyondmedia Education), Celia Herrera-Rodriguez (Artist/Teacher), Davida Ingram (Seattle People of Color Salon), Jessica Resmond (MEI Collectiv), Beatriz Santiago-Muñoz (Beta-Local), Robert Sember (Ultra-red, and The New School's Eugene Lang College), Sasha Sumner (Hungry March Band, Pratt Institute, and the Pedagogy Group).</p>
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Sunday, February 15 National WCA Board Meeting

<p>9:00 AM – 5:00 PM</p>	<p>WCA BOARD MEETING</p> <p>10th Floor meeting space Night Hotel, 157 W 47th Street</p> <p>Breakfast & lunch – must be prepaid by attending Board members and observers</p>

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