IAIA Making History Event Schedule

Auction Art Exhibition
August 9–16
Monday–Friday 1:00–5:00 pm
Balzer Contemporary Edge Gallery on IAIA’s campus

IAIA Making History 2022 Scholarship Event
Wednesday, August 17
6:00–9:00 pm
La Fonda on the Plaza, Santa Fe, NM
Tickets available at www.iaia.edu/bid

The Art of Indigenous Fashion Exhibition
Opening Reception
Friday, August 19
4:00–5:00 pm
IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts (MoCNA)

“IAIA has helped me open doors to my creative and artistic abilities without boundaries....”

Become a Sponsor Today
For six decades IAIA’s deepening academic and artistic curriculum has enriched educational opportunities for thousands of talented Indigenous students. Scholarship support from individuals like you has made their success possible.

To become an IAIA Making History Sponsor today, visit www.iaia.edu/2022event or contact Tamara Bates, Associate Director of Advancement, at (505) 424-5712 or tamara.bates@iaia.edu.

... I want to give back to my community by sharing the knowledge I gained from IAIA.”
— IAIA Graduate

The IAIA Foundation was founded in 2010 to expand IAIA’s capacity to raise critically needed funds to strengthen student success, enrich academic programs, support museum exhibitions, and keep IAIA at the forefront of educational offerings. The IAIA Foundation is a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization, EIN #32-0377684.

www.iaia.edu/support

All photographs by Jason S. Ordaz
This year, the Institute of American Indian Arts (IAIA) is celebrating its 60th anniversary and IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts (MoCNA) marks its 50th year. We’ve planned a spectacular range of anniversary events from special exhibition openings at MoCNA and our annual Open House on campus to a symposium about IAIA Making History.

A not-to-miss highlight of the year will be our IAIA Making History. IAIA is celebrating its 60th anniversary and IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts (MoCNA) marks its 50th year. This celebration will include:

- Native American hoop dancing and drum song;
- A special reading by Joy Harjo (Mvskoke Nation) ’68, 23rd Poet Laureate of the United States; and
- A Live Auction featuring one-of-a-kind collaborative sculptures, jewelry, paintings, and more, created exclusively for this event by some of IAIA’s most celebrated alumni artists. The works of art will respond to IAIA’s six decades of achievement. Lead artists for these extraordinary collaborative pieces include Doug Hyde (Neez Pierce), Tony Aheyta (Navajo), Wendy Ponca (Osage), Steve LaRance (Hopi/Assiniboine), and Rose Simpson (Santa Clara Pueblo).

At higher sponsorship levels, you’ll also receive invitations to the glamorous opening of The Art of Indigenous Fashion exhibition at the IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts on August 19, membership in IAIA’s President’s Circle, private curator-led museum tours, and more.

Generous sponsorship support from individuals and organizations helps IAIA students reach their potential, complete their education, and develop the confidence and leadership skills to fulfill their dreams. We invite you to join the festivities, support our talented students and become part of a unique Santa Fe institution, the only college in the world dedicated to the study of contemporary Indigenous arts and leadership.

Greater support levels are especially important now as we continue to ensure recognition, or learn more about opportunities and deadlines, please contact Tamara Bates, Associate Director of Advancement, at (505) 424-5712 or tamara.bates@iaia.edu.

Enrich the Lives of Talented Students in 2022 and Beyond

Higher levels of sponsorship support include recognition, and an opportunity to attend a variety of exciting events.

On Wednesday, August 17, 6:00–9:00 pm, we will gather in the ballroom at La Fonda on the Plaza to celebrate six decades of IAIA Making History. This celebration will include:

- Recognition on IAIA event webpage and online art auction and event ticketing website
- Recognition in Scholarship Event printed program
- Recognition at Auction Art Exhibition
- Recognition at IAIA Lloyd Kiva New Welcome Center and IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts on August 19, membership in IAIA’s President’s Circle, private curator-led museum tours, and more.

During this landmark year, individual donors, businesses, and organizations have an opportunity to impact the lives of IAIA’s talented students through sponsorship support. The majority of IAIA’s students depend on scholarships to attend and complete college. Scholarships for our students from almost 100 Indigenous communities are essential now more than ever.

The majority of IAIA’s students depend on scholarships to attend and complete college. Scholarships for our students from almost 100 Indigenous communities are essential now more than ever.

The Art of Indigenous Fashion exhibition at MoCNA (August 19)

- Invitation to opening reception for The Art of Indigenous Fashion exhibition at MoCNA
- Free tickets to the museum to share with friends and clients
- Complimentary IAIA President’s Circle membership
- Private curator-led tour for you and ten guests

Leadership $50,000
Thunderbird $25,000
Turquoise $15,000
Silver $10,000
Community $5,000
Contemporary $2,500
Advocate $1,000