

# BACA

CONTEMPORARY NATIVE ART BIENNIAL

# LAND BACK

UNTIL JUNE 19, 2022

STEWART HALL ART GALLERY

176 Du Bord-du-Lac - Lakeshore Road

Pointe  
Claire

GALERIE D'ART  
Stewart Hall  
ART GALLERY

## EXHIBITION

### EXHIBITION AT THE STEWART HALL ART GALLERY

#### BACA – LAND BACK

CONTEMPORARY NATIVE ART BIENNIAL, 6TH EDITION

May 7 to June 19

Vernissage and performance: Sunday May 8, 2 p.m.

#### Stewart Hall Art Gallery

Launched in 2012, the Contemporary Native Art Biennial highlights the diversity in Native North American art practices.

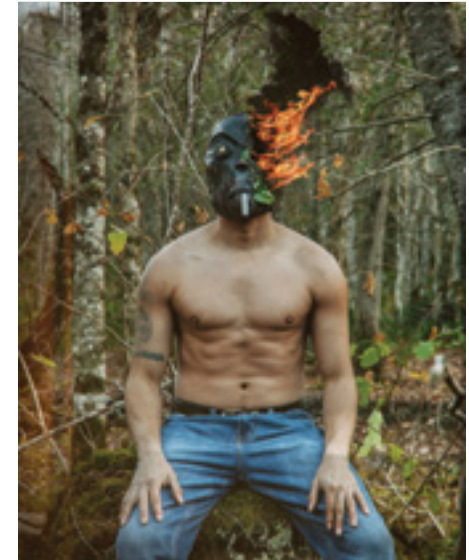
For this 6th edition, the focus will be on the land back movement, referring to the indigenous-led actions to recover stewardship of traditional lands and ecosystems, protecting them for coming generations. Indigenous knowledge is rooted in sustainability, conservation, and reciprocity with the land. How is this knowledge shared, celebrated, and expressed in current artistic practices?

[www.baca.ca](http://www.baca.ca)

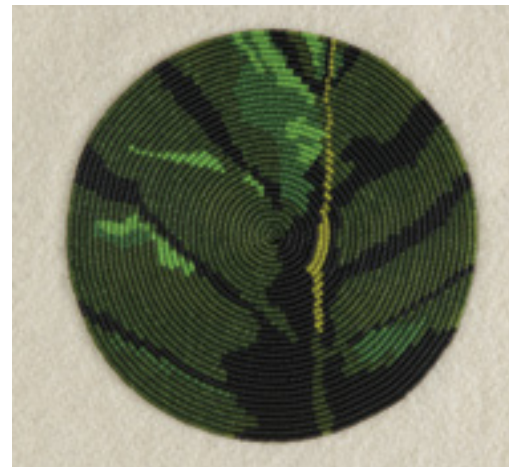
ARTISTS: Carrie Allison, Christi Belcourt, Jeffrey Gibson, Erin Gingrich, Faye HeavyShield, Sky Hopinka, Julia Rose Sutherland, Charlene Vickers, Olivia Whetung

CURATOR: Michael Patten

Visit the exhibition and enter a draw for a chance to win a limited edition framed print of *First Family – Artemesia Cana* by Carrie Allison.



Duane Isaac, *Land/Body*, 2020



Carrie Allison, *First Family (amelanchier alnifolia)*, 2019

## OUTDOOR EXHIBITION

### BACA – LAND BACK

#### Edgewater Park

A photo exhibition linked with the BACA exhibition at the Stewart Hall Art Gallery.

ARTISTS:

Carrie Allison and Julia Rose Sutherland

CURATOR: Michael Patten

With the financial support of the Friends of Stewart Hall Foundation

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## CONFERENCES



### MEET THE AUTHOR IN JUNE: I READ INDIGENOUS

AN EVENING WITH MICHELLE GOOD

Wednesday, June 15, 7 p.m.  
in English

Reservation required: 514-630-1218, ext. 1630  
[conference\\_bib@pointe-claire.ca](mailto:conference_bib@pointe-claire.ca)

#### Online

Michelle Good is of Cree ancestry, a descendent of the Battle River Cree and a member of the Red Pheasant Cree Nation. Her first novel, *Five Little Indians* won the HarperCollins/UBC Best New Fiction Prize and the Governor General's Literary Award for Fiction in 2020.

As part of National Indigenous History Month.

## CINÉ-ART



### HAIDA MODERN LE FIFA

Thursday, May 19, 7 p.m.

In English

Director: Charles Wilkinson

Reservation required: 514-630-1220, ext. 1795  
[brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca](mailto:brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca)

#### Reading and documentation room

Haida Modern presents artist Robert Davidson, sculptor, painter, engraver and great inheritor of Haida culture. He gives voice to historians, art historians, politicians, rock stars and family members who describe how the artist carved the first totem pole raised in 100 years, an act credited with the renaissance of this coastal Indigenous culture.

This film is presented in collaboration with FIFA – the International Festival of Films on Art. ([leffa.com](http://leffa.com)).



### BOOTLEGGER

Thursday, June 16, 7 p.m.

In French

Director: Caroline Monnet

Reservation required: 514-630-1220, ext. 1795  
[brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca](mailto:brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca)

#### Reading and documentation room

The ambitious Mani leaves her Indigenous community to become a lawyer. After completing her studies, she returns to the community in the hopes bringing about change. Determined to put an end to the obsolete laws that reign on the reserve, she proposes a referendum to put an end to the prohibition on alcohol, which brings her into direct conflict with Laura. The two women confront each other as they try to grab hold of their own destiny, for better or for worse.

## DEMYSTIFYING ART



Erin Gingrich, *Iqalukpik Double* from *Kasilof River*, 2022  
Photo: Brian Adams

### ROUND TABLE: BACA

Thursday, June 2, 6 p.m.

In English (followed by a bilingual question period)

Reservation required: 514-630-1220, ext. 1795  
[brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca](mailto:brooke.jurdak@pointe-claire.ca)

#### Online

Meet artists from the 6th edition of BACA, *Land Back*. With artworks that relate to the harvest, medicinal flowers and the land, their work addresses the causes of protecting biodiversity as well as restoring governance of their lands.

ARTISTS: Carrie Allison, Faye HeavyShield, Erin Gingrich et Charlene Vickers

## FILM CLUB

### INDIGENOUS FILMMAKERS



### THE GRIZZLIES

Tuesday, June 7, 1:30 p.m.

In English – 102 minutes

Director: Miranda de Pencier

Reservation required

Central Library



### CHEVAL INDIEN

Tuesday, June 21, 1:30 p.m.

In French – 101 minutes

Director: Stephen S. Campanelli

Reservation required

Central Library

## CULTURAL RENDEZ-VOUS



### POSTERS FOR THE PLANET

Sunday, May 29, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Open to all / Bilingual

#### Stewart Park

Create a poster using printing techniques, inspired by the artworks of Christi Belcourt, who is part of the current exhibition in the Stewart Hall Art Gallery: *Land Back: Contemporary Native Art Biennial*.

FREE ADMISSION



## CULTURAL MEDIATION



Olivia Wethung, *This stubborn, apparently limited, narrow-minded aspect of the people*, 2020

### GUIDED TOURS OF THE EXHIBITION

Reservation required. Space is limited.  
Minimum of 10 participants.  
**Reservation required:** 514-630-1220, ext. 1772  
[julie.paquin@pointe-claire.ca](mailto:julie.paquin@pointe-claire.ca)

#### Stewart Hall Art Gallery

We offer guided tours of our exhibitions for all types of groups (school groups, community organizations, seniors' residences, etc.). Contact us for more information.

Free for institutions and organizations located in Pointe-Claire.

## CONCERTS AND PERFORMANCES

### SUNDAY RENDEZ-VOUS

STEWART HALL CULTURAL CENTRE  
Reservation required: 514-630-1220, ext. 1774



### ACOUSTIC SHAUIT INTIMATE CONCERT

Sunday, May 8, 3 p.m.  
**Reservation required**

#### Stewart Hall Cultural Centre

Nominated twice as indigenous artist of the year for the prestigious ADISQ awards gala, Shait sings about the plurality of the cultural mosaic of the First Nations. Originally from Maliotenam in northeastern Quebec, singer songwriter Shait sings songs strongly inspired by his Innu roots and traditional music. He fuses several popular genres (folk, country, rock, reggae, etc.) and offers honest, committed songs filled with emotions and personal experiences.

**Shait**, vocals, guitar and traditional Innu drum

### KANEN INTIMATE CONCERT

Sunday, May 22, 3 p.m.  
**Reservation required**

#### Stewart Hall Cultural Centre

Kanen comes from the Innu community of Uashat mak Mani-Utenam on the North Shore of Quebec. She is a member of the Nikamu Mamuitun collective with whom she has been touring the stages of Quebec. The artist unveils her sensitive, introspective and sweet indie-folk universe. On stage, accompanied by her two ukuleles, she delivers a show that takes its time and balances between moving songs and funny offbeat interventions.

**Kanen**, vocals, ukulele; **Simon Walls**, guitar; **Jérémie Essiambre**, drums



# CALENDAR

## MAY 2022

May 7 to June 19	BACA <i>Land Back</i>	Stewart Hall Art Gallery	Exhibitions
Starting May 7	BACA, Outdoor Photo Exhibition	Edgewater Park	Outdoor Exhibition
May 8, 2 p.m.	Vernissage BACA at Stewart Hall	Stewart Hall Art Gallery	Exhibition
May 8, 2:30 p.m.	<b>Opening performance</b> Artist Julia Rose Shuterland	Stewart Park	Artistic performance
May 8, 3 p.m.	<b>Sunday Rendez-Vous</b> Shauit	Stewart Hall - Grand Salon	Concert and performance
May 19, 7 p.m.	<b>Ciné-Art</b> - <i>Haida Modern</i> (ENG) Director: Charles Wilkinson	Reading and Reference Room	Ciné-Art
May 22, 3 p.m.	<b>Sunday Rendez-Vous</b> Kanen	Stewart Hall - Grand Salon	Concert and performance
May 29, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.	<b>Art Workshop</b> Posters for the planet	Stewart Park	Cultural Rendez-Vous
May 7 to June 19	Book Showcase	Central Library	Library

## JUNE 2022

June 1 to June 30	<i>In June: I read Indigenous</i>	Central Library	Library
June 2, 6 p.m.	Round-Table: BACA	Online	Demystifying Art
June 7, 1:30 p.m.	<b>Film Club</b> - <i>The Grizzlies</i> (ENG) Director: Miranda de Pencier	Central Library	Film Club
June 15, 7 p.m.	<b>Meet the Author</b> - <i>Michelle Good</i> (ENG) <i>In June: I read Indigenous</i>	Online	Library
June 16, 7 p.m.	<b>Ciné-art</b> - <i>Bootlegger</i> (FR) Director: Caroline Monnet	Stewart Hall - Reading and Reference Room	Ciné-Art
June 21, 1:30 p.m.	<b>Film Club</b> - <i>Cheval indien</i> (FR) Director: Stephen S. Campanelli	Central Library	Film Club
By reservation	Group Guided Tour	Stewart Hall Art Gallery	Cultural mediation

### Stewart Hall Art Gallery

176 Du-Bord-du-Lac - Lakeshore Road

Sunday to Friday: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
Thursday: 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.  
Saturday: 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Closed in June)  
Free admission - Accessible by elevator

Limited edition prints of Carrie Allison First Family series are available for purchase at the Stewart Hall Art Gallery Boutique.

