MONDAY 6.24.19

Pre-Conference Training Day for arts providers and contractors teaching in the California State Prison System

8:00 - 9:30  Registration

9:00 - 5:30  Cohort Meeting for Contractors and Artists working in California State Prisons

Speakers Include:
Kathleen Allison, Undersecretary, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
Anne Bown-Crawford, Executive Director, California Arts Council
Ayanna Kiburi, Deputy Director, California Arts Council
Mariana Moscoso, Arts in Corrections Program Manager, California Arts Council
Erin Kerrison, University of California, Berkeley

Keynote Presentation: Dameion Brown, Artist in Residence, Marin Shakespeare Company

Presentation Topics include:
- Updates on the changing environment of CA prisons
- Future Trends
- CDCR and Community Resource Manager Perspectives
5:30 - 6:30  Dinner

7:00  Evening Jam Session (optional) - Bring your instruments!

Tuesday  6.25.19

8:00 - 9:30  Registration

9:00 - 9:15  Opening Remarks:
Laurie Brooks, William James Association
Wendy Jason, The Justice Arts Coalition
Ray Plaza, Santa Clara University
Alma Robinson, California Lawyers for the Arts

9:15 - 10:15  Flash Introductions

10:30 - 12:00  Keynote: Jimmy Santiago Baca, Conference Artist in Residence, Author and Poet

followed by book signing:
When I Walk Through That Door, I AM (Beacon Press, 2019)

12:00 - 1:00  Lunch

1:00 - 2:15  Plenary Panel: Justice Reform Issues
Allia Griffin, Santa Clara University, Moderator, with
Norris Henderson, Voice of the Experienced (VOTE-LA)
Dorsey Nunn, All of us or None

2:30 - 4:00  Workshop Topics include:
• Organization Showcase: Prison Creative Arts Program (PCAP), Michigan
• Talent Unlocked Festival and Arts Evaluation
• Trauma Informed Programming
• Organization Showcase: Alliance for California Traditional Arts
• NEA Overview of Prison Arts Funding and Historical Overview of Arts in Corrections
Classes with Master Artists include:
- Mural Making
- Dance Kaiso
- Art of Storytelling
- DJing
- Theatre / Spoken word

4:15 - 5:45  Workshop Topics include:
- Teaching Methods and Philosophy in Arts in Corrections
- Advocacy Roundtable
- Organizational Showcase: StoryCatchers Theatre
- Intellectual Property Basics

Classes with Master Artists include:
- Drawing
- Collective Song Writing (Bilingual)
- Flute
- Poetry

6:00 - 7:30  Silicon Valley Host Committee Reception

8:00 - 10:00  Movie Screening: *Half a Square Meter of Freedom* (2018)
followed by a talk back with:
film director Inga Lavolé-Khavkina and producer Bruno Lavolé

**Wednesday 6.25.19**

8:00 - 9:30  Registration

9:00 - 9:15  Overview of the day

9:15 - 10:30  Performance: *Voices from the Edge of the World*

Rhodessa Jones, Felicia Scaggs & Idris Ackamoor,
The Medea Project
10:45 - 12:00  Plenary Panel: Evaluation
Larry Brewster, University of San Francisco, Moderator, with
Laura Caulfield, University of Wolverhampton, UK
Mandy Gardner, Southwest Correctional Arts Network / Prison Arts Resource Project
Alma Robinson, California Lawyers for the Arts

12:00 - 1:00  Lunch

1:00 - 2:30  Workshop Topics include:
• Juvenile Issues
• Training Art Teachers
• Independent Contractors vs. Employees after Dynamex
• Changing Voices Workshop, StoryCatchers Theatre
• Dialogue with Wendy Jason, Justice Arts Coalition and steering committee

Classes with Master Artists include:
• Songwriting
• Medea Project workshop
• Part I: Restorative Circles
• Hula Dancing
• Book Art

2:45 - 4:15  Workshop Topics include:
• Case Study: Inside and Outside Returned Citizens
• Trauma, Creativity and Healing
• State of the Arts in Corrections in Ohio
• Producing Half a Square Meter of Freedom with filmmakers
• Organization Showcase: Mural Arts Philadelphia

Classes with Master Artists include:
• Danza Azteca
• Choral Music
• Part II: Restorative Circles (continues from Part I)
• Quilt-making
• Theatre

4:30 - 5:45  Breakout Sessions
Topics Include:
• County Jails
• Working with Juveniles
• Working with women
• Men’s high security prisons
• Men’s medium security prisons
• Re-Entry
5:45 - 6:30  Dinner

7:30 - 9:00  Performance: Marin Shakespeare Company Re-entry Troupe
Followed by a talk back with company performers

THURSDAY  6.27.19

8:00 - 9:30  Registration

9:00 - 9:15  Overview of the day

9:15 - 10:15  Keynote Presentation: Nicole Fleetwood, Associate Professor, Rutgers University

10:30 - 11:45  Plenary Panel: Returned Citizens
Wendy Jason, Justice Arts Coalition, Moderator

12:00 - 1:00  Lunch

1:00 - 2:30  Workshop Topics include:
• How organizations train artists
• Women’s Issues
• Working with community
• Family Matters
• Equity
• Preparing for jobs in the film industry

Classes with Master Artists include:
• Storytelling
• Dance and Movement
• SocioDrama
• Visual Art

2:45 - 4:15  Workshop Topics include:
• Building Public Awareness
• Re-Entry Programs
• Getting Real: Artists of color working in prisons
• Michigan Matters: Facilitated Dialogue

Classes with Master Artists include:
• Poetry
• Theatre
• Visual Art

4:30 - 5:30  Closing Plenary Session and Evaluation
6:00 - 8:00  William James Association Reception
Speaker: Mark Stone, Member, California Assembly

FRIDAY  6.28.19

Day trip to Alcatraz Island:
Future IDs Exhibition and Prison Arts Collective Workshops

Please note that this excursion is at capacity at this time.
Please contact aic@calawyersforthearts to be placed on the waiting list.

GROUP 1:

9:00  Bus 1 - Group 1
      Departs Santa Clara University to Alcatraz Landing, Pier 33

11:30  Group 1 - Ferry to Alcatraz

12:00 - 2:45  Group 1 - Workshop

3:15  Group 1 - Ferry to Pier 33

3:45  Bus 1 Departs Alcatraz Landing to Santa Clara University
     Stops at San Jose Airport

GROUP 2:

9:30  Bus 2 - Group 2
      Departs Santa Clara University to Alcatraz Landing, Pier 33

12:00  Group 2 - Ferry to Alcatraz

12:30 - 3:15  Group 2 - Workshop
3:45  Group 2 - Ferry to Pier 33

4:15  Bus 2  Departs Alcatraz Landing to Santa Clara University
      Stops at San Francisco International Airport

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