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Strathmore Presents
Past Process
4 artists create works in ceramic, printmaking, papermaking, photography and more in Strathmore’s winter exhibition.

NORTH BETHESDA, MD – Saturday, January 16 through Saturday, March 13, 2021.

The Gudelsky Gallery Suite, Second Floor

In Past Process curator Gabrielle Tillenburg assembles four artists who rely on memory, history, and tradition to explore their relationship to the past in paper, print, fiber, and ceramics. Serena Faye Feingold, a painter and ceramist from Branford, Connecticut, employs a historic technique, majolica, to reveal personal scenes from her family’s past. Ben Iluzada, who lives and works in Philadelphia, uses traditional motifs and family photographs in his papermaking, collage and artist books. Alanna Reeves, an artist based in Washington, D.C., combines her photography and embroidery along with painting and printmaking to convey hazy accounts and connections to family and Jamaica. Ashley M. Freeby of Topton, PA takes inspiration from family garden plots and a grandmother’s quilt pattern for her textiles, artist book and works on paper. All reflect on personal narratives by turning to the past, referencing their own memories, heritage, history, or tradition in their artistic practice. Drawing upon objects, places, childhood, and stories passed down through generations, each artist’s process involves multiple ties to varying times and places. Their interpretations, recollections, and representations of the past transcend the typical linear method of accounting time. The resulting work is not documentary, artifact, nor historical account but rather a method of understanding, making sense of, and representation of their own personal narratives as they relate to the past and now, present.

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NEW Gallery and Shop hours beginning January 16
Wednesday: 10am–2pm
Thursday: Private appointment only.
Friday: 12–4pm
Saturday: 12–4pm
Sunday, Monday & Tuesday: Closed

About Strathmore
Strathmore presents and produces exemplary visual and performing arts programs for diverse audiences; creates dynamic arts education experiences; and nurtures creative ideas and conversations that advance the future of the arts. The Mansion at Strathmore is located at 10701 Rockville Pike, North Bethesda, MD, one half-mile north of the Capital Beltway and immediately adjacent to the Grosvenor-Strathmore station on Metro’s Red Line. For further information or tickets, call (301) 581-5100 or visit www.strathmore.org.

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