



Massachusetts College  
of Art *and* Design

**COMMENCEMENT**  
— 2016 —

Thursday, May 19



## ORDER OF EVENTS

### CONVENING

Ken Strickland, MFA  
*Interim President/Provost*

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### REMARKS

James Mason, MA  
*Associate Professor, Fashion Design and  
President, Faculty and Librarian Association*

Julia Dudley-Kramer  
*Student Trustee*

Brian M. Smith, BFA '16  
*Representative, Undergraduate Students*

Soumya Anna George, M.Arch '16  
*Representative, Graduate Students*

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### CONFERRING OF HONORARY DOCTOR OF FINE ARTS DEGREE

M. David Lee, M.Arch, FAIA  
*Chair, Board of Trustees*

PRESENTATION OF CHARLES M. BLOW, BA  
*Ezra Shales, PhD, Associate Professor, History of Art*

Charles Blow will address the class of 2016

PRESENTATION OF PHILIP GOODWIN FREELON, M.ARCH, FAIA  
*Paul Hajian, M.Arch, Chair, Architecture*

Philip Freelon will address the class of 2016

### RECOGNITION OF EXCELLENCE IN ART EDUCATION

PRESENTATION OF JOANNE MCKENNA, BFA '81  
*Laura Reeder, PhD, Chair, Art Education*

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### CONFERRING OF DEGREES

M. David Lee

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### CHARGE TO NEW ALUMNI

Candace Brooks, BFA '00

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### CLOSING REMARKS

Ken Strickland

## Master of Architecture

Kyle P. Allen  
Christine Amanda Kiiza  
Cory Boudreau Jr.  
Sean Meagher Cummings  
Soumya Anna George  
Neda Mohtashemi  
Shane R. Paavola  
Brandon A. Robertson  
Tania Shamoun

## Master of Arts in Teaching / Art Education

Morgan Alexia Cofer  
Julie Ann Ellison  
Felicia Rae Frank  
Brittany LeBold  
Molly Marie Minervino

## Master of Fine Arts

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Maya Lilja Anderson  
Casey Blake Ausman Jr.  
Lucy Wood Baird  
Ann Barrett  
Michael G. Boyle  
Paul S. Briggs  
Darren Alexander Cole  
Patlapa Davivongsa  
Mark Dellelo  
Adell Ruth Jacqueline  
Donaghue  
Alison Folland  
Ann Pruitt Forbush  
Gabriela Gamboa Liberati  
Philip Gedarovich  
Krista M. Hipp  
Haining Li  
Brittany Marcoux  
Rachel Rose Morrissey  
Yukiko Nishino  
Ashley Norman  
Loretta Kyoungjin Park  
Colleen Pearce  
Diana Jean Puglisi  
Andrew Solomon Ringler  
Eduardo L. Rivera  
Clara Jane Schuster  
Anne Sisto  
William P. Suglia  
Steven W. Sullivan  
Morgen Van Vorst  
Christina Huilan Wang  
Sara Marie Wichterman

## Bachelor of Fine Arts

### ANIMATION

Alayna Marie Cabral ★  
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Kristen L. Currier ♦  
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Regina Juishin Kuo  
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Michelle Mello  
Sharon R. Naor  
Marie Violet Nicholson  
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Connor J. O'Rourke  
Shaeleigh Q. Pirrone  
Angelica Beatriz Quintanilla  
John F. Quirk  
Kimberly Alisha Saunders  
Emily K. Shapiro  
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Jia Rao  
Trinere P. Rodriguez

## ART EDUCATION

### Art Teacher Education

Kelsey Ahern  
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Roeun Chan  
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Nicholas Andrew Goodhue  
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Brian Szeto

### Studio Education

Kassandra R. Hostage  
Robert Zahar

## FASHION DESIGN

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## FINE ARTS 2D

### Painting

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B.J. Beck  
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Brooke D. Colosi  
Andrew P. Comeau  
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Jasper D. Farish ★  
Ari Forrester ♦  
John L. Griffin  
Margot J. Keil ♦  
Mariam Keryan  
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Renee Cecelia Silva ♦  
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Sydney R. Steeves  
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### Printmaking

Amanda Eve Baker  
Victoria Marie Barquin ♦  
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## FINE ARTS 3D

### Ceramics

Lauren Elena Alindogan  
Annie K. Buchholz  
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### Fibers

Michelle I. Batho ★♦  
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### Glass

Siena Hancock ♦  
Nicole Kepron  
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Marin Gardner  
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## HONORARY DOCTOR OF FINE ARTS

*Each year, MassArt confers honorary Doctor of Fine Arts degrees in recognition of an individual's outstanding contributions to the arts.*

### CHARLES M. BLOW, BA

Charles M. Blow has been a *New York Times* Op-Ed columnist since 2008. His column appears on Monday and Thursday.

Mr. Blow joined *The New York Times* in 1994 as a graphics editor and quickly became the paper's graphics director, a position he held for nine years. In that role, he led *The Times* to a best of show award from the Society for News Design for *The Times*'s information graphics coverage of 9/11, the first time the award had been given for graphics coverage. He also led the paper to its first two best of show awards from the Malofej Infographics World Summit for work that included coverage of the Iraq war. Mr. Blow became the paper's design director for news before leaving in 2006 to become the art director of National Geographic magazine. Before joining *The Times*, Mr. Blow had been a graphic artist at *The Detroit News*.

Mr. Blow is the author of *Fire Shut Up in My Bones*, released in September 2014. He graduated magna cum laude from Grambling State University in Louisiana, where he received a Bachelor of Arts in mass communications. He lives in Brooklyn and has three children.

### PHILIP GOODWIN FREELON, M.ARCH, FAIA

Phil Freelon is the founder of The Freelon Group, Architects and is now part of Perkins+Will, the global architecture and design firm. He leads 70 professionals in Charlotte and Raleigh-Durham, North Carolina.

The team of Freelon Adjaye Bond/SmithGroup authored the design for the Smithsonian's new National Museum of African American History and Culture currently under construction on the Mall in Washington, DC.

A native of Philadelphia, PA, Freelon earned his Bachelor of Environmental Design degree from North Carolina State University and his Master of Architecture degree from MIT. Freelon also received a Loeb Fellowship from the Harvard University Graduate School of Design. He has lectured at major universities across the country and is currently on the faculty at MIT's School of Architecture + Planning.

Freelon is a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects and in 2012, President Obama appointed him to the U.S. Commission of Fine Arts.

## EXCELLENCE IN ART EDUCATION

*In line with its mission to provide access to superior art education to the public, MassArt honors distinguished art educators from Massachusetts who have shown a lifetime achievement in serving the public. These individuals are pioneers or innovators in their practice of helping their students develop artistic minds, all the while promoting equity in access to art education.*

### JOANNE MCKENNA, BFA '81, MS, MED

Joanne McKenna has been an educator in the Revere Public School System for 32 years at the K-8 and high school levels. Her additional roles at Revere High School include: Co-Director of Student Activities, Advisor for Words Not Weapons and the Multicultural Teen Awareness Programs, and Counselor for the Transitional Summer Program that works to transition at-risk youth into high school.

McKenna has committed years of service to the City of Revere. McKenna founded the Revere Beautification Committee and the Beachmont Improvement Committee and has received many awards from the City including Educator of the Year in 2016 and Citizen of the Year Award in 2014. In June 2015 McKenna was elected the Ward One Councilor for the City of Revere.

McKenna received her Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art Education from MassArt in 1981, followed by a Master of Science in Psychology from Lesley University, a Master of Education from Fitchburg State, and a Licensure in School Administration from Merrimack College.

Massachusetts College of Art and Design is one of the leading schools of its kind in the United States. Founded in 1873, MassArt has a legacy of leadership as the only independent public college of art and design in the country and the nation's first art school to grant a degree. The college offers a comprehensive range of baccalaureate and graduate degrees in art and design along with continuing education and youth programs, all taught by world-class faculty and designed to encourage individual creativity. Whether at home in Boston or on the other side of the globe, the artists and designers of MassArt are dedicated to making a difference in their communities and around the world.

**COVER ART:** Visiting Lecturer Catarina Coelho, MFA '13, *Continuous prints* (detail), 2015. Oil monotypes, 6 colors on Rives BFK paper.

