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CulturalDC Announces 2nd Capital Artist Residency and 2022/2023 season at the Anti-Gala, annual fundraiser.

The Anti-Gala will be an evening of cocktails, dinner, dessert, the season reveals, and artist performances.

To arrange interviews or for more information, contact communications@culturaldc.org.

Washington, D.C. – CulturalDC is proud to present the announcement of their second Capital Artist Resident and their 2022/2023 season of Mobile Arts Programming at their annual fundraiser, the Anti-Gala.

On October 3, 2022, the Anti-Gala will be held at Hill Prince from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Anti-Gala will be an evening of celebration, cocktails, dinner, performances by artists Holly Bass and Maps Glover, and announcements of the 2022 Capital Artist Resident and 2022/2023 season. The Anti-Gala celebrates and supports the Capital Artist Residency.

The Capital Artist Residency was launched in 2021 with Umar Rashid as the Inaugural Artist. Rashid completed his residency in July of 2021 and opened his exhibition *Culinarialism* in the Fall of 2021. He has gone on to exhibit nationally and now has an exhibition on view at MoMA PS1, *Ancien Regime Change 4, 5, and 6*.

The Capital Artist Residency is an annual initiative that sponsors and promotes one artist of color for 1 to 3 months each year in Washington, DC, offering opportunity to amplify their unique perspective from a national platform. The residency offers support for housing, child care, and stipend for daily and artist expenses. The residency culminates with a show and/or performance in our signature Mobile Art Gallery or Source Theatre.

"We are so excited to celebrate the reveal of the next Capital Artist Resident and announce our season," said Kristi Maiselman, Executive Director of CulturalDC. "This fundraiser and celebration will allow us to continue to "Make Space for Art" and support artists through programs like the Capital Artist Residency."

In addition, CulturalDC is pleased to announce the 2022/2023 season of the Mobile Arts programming, which features exhibitions and performances: Double Rainbow: Future Archives, Cosmic Garden by Washington, DC-based artists Holly Bass and Maps Glover;

Torrents: New Links to Black Futures, a festival celebrating Afro-futurism and the work of Black creatives; Reclamando mi tiempo, reclamando Cuál es la Mía (Reclaiming my time, reclaiming what is mine) by DC-based artist Amber Robles Gordon; and an exhibition by New York-based artist Anthony Akinbola.

To learn more about the Anti-Gala, please visit culturaldc.org/anti-gala. For information about ticket availability, please contact info@culturaldc.org.

Hill Prince is located at 1337 H Street NE, Washington, DC 20002.

ABOUT CULTURALDC

CulturalDC supports innovative artists across all disciplines and makes their work accessible to diverse audiences. We provide space for relevant and challenging work essential to nurturing vibrant urban communities. CulturalDC has made a name for itself in providing a platform for bold contemporary artists to interact with audiences in thought-provoking ways. Current and most recent exhibitions include "SOLO FLIGHT" by Heidi Latsky and co-produced by Ben Levine and CulturalDC" on view on 14th street now, and challenging and pertinent "FOGA: DAVID-JEREMIAH'S FOGA: REAL N*GGA EDITION." In addition to presenting, CulturalDC has brokered more than 350,000 square feet of artist space since 1998. CulturalDC owns Source Theatre and the Mobile Art Gallery, a 40-ft shipping container transformed into a gallery that has been shown in all eight wards of the city.

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