

# April Werle

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## Solo Exhibitions

**2026** (*forthcoming*) Our Sometimes Home, Glacier Art Museum, Kalispell, MT

**2025** I Live With a Ghost, PlatteForum, Denver, CO

**2025** My Other Half, Chase Gallery, Spokane, WA

**2024** Secret Life of a Multicultural Couple, Bell Projects, Denver, CO

**2023** Halo-Halo: The Mixed Children, Zootown Arts Community Center, Missoula, MT

**2022** Mga Hunghong Sa Diwata (Whispers of Spirits), Holter Museum of Art, Helena, MT

## Selected Group Exhibitions

**2026** (*forthcoming*) A Homecoming, Gallery of Arts, University of Montana, Missoula, MT

**2026** Mixed Feelings: Existing in the Space Between, Brea Gallery, Brea, CA

**2025** Brown Palms, Yellow Balms: Reinventing Caregivers of Color, SOMArts, San Francisco, CA; curated by O.M. France Viana

**2025** 19 Under 39, Montana Museum of Art and Culture, Missoula, MT

**2024 - 2022** Co-Flourish Touring Exhibition by Open AIR, MT

**2023** Acts of Liberation, The Other Art Fair LA, Santa Monica, CA; curated by Taylor Bythewood-Porter

**2022** Imaging the Sacred, Missoula Art Museum, Missoula, MT

## Selected Awards

**2026** (*forthcoming*) Artist-in-Residence, Open AIR

**2025** Artist-in-Residence, PlatteForum

**2024** Emerging Artist Residency, Centrum

**2024** Artist Fund Award, Creative West

**2023** Strategic Investment Grant, Montana Arts Council

**2022** ARPA Grant, Montana Arts Council

## Selected Bibliography

**2026** *New American Paintings*, Issue 180

**2024** *Create! Magazine*, Issue 47

**2024** *Artwork Archive*, “Why This Artist’s ‘Hands-on’ Depiction of Mixed-Race Stories Is So Powerful”

**2024** *Art Squat Magazine*, Issue 9

**2024** *Mahalaya*, “Between Manila and Montana: April Werle’s Artistic Exploration of Mixed-Race Identity, Belonging, and Family”

**2024** *State of the Arts*, Winter Issue. Montana Arts Council

**2023** *New Visionary Magazine*, Issue 8

### **Selected Artist Talks/Visits**

**2025** Artist Talk, 19 Under 39 Exhibition, Montana Museum of Art and Culture

**2024** Keynote Speaker, Asian Student Interracial Association, Montana State University

### **Professional Affiliations**

**2023 - Present** Asian American Women Artists Association

### **Education**

**2017** BFA, University of Montana