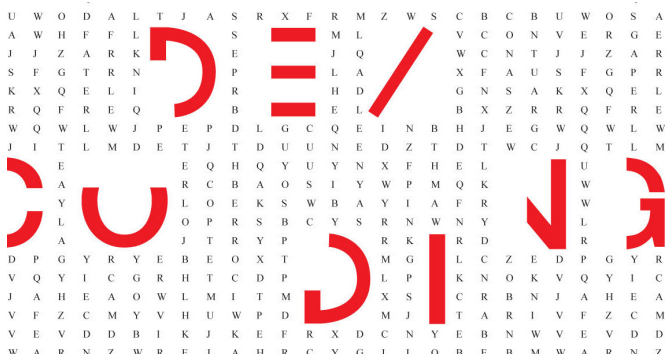


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MCAD Announces De/Coding: 2017 MFA Exhibition



Minneapolis, MN — September 2017 —The Minneapolis College of Art and Design MFA program is pleased to present *De/Coding*, the fall exhibition showcasing the work of first- and second-year MFA students. Presenting a variety of disciplines including photography, painting, animation, printmaking, illustration, sculpture, and graphic design, the exhibition features work by twenty-six artists and designers. It will take place in the program’s spacious new studio and gallery space, right up the street from MCAD’s main campus.

De/Coding explores the structures of communication in art and the connections between ideas, artworks, and perceptions to encourage dialogue.

The Exhibition

- Event: MCAD’s Fall MFA Exhibition
- Location: MCAD MFA Studios and Gallery
2201 1st Ave S, Minneapolis, MN
Gallery entrance on Stevens Avenue
- Reception: Friday, September 8, 6:00-9:00 p.m.including a performance from 7:00-8:00 p.m.
- Gallery Hours: September 2, 3, and 9, 12:00-4:00 p.m.
- Panel Discussion: September 9, 4:00 p.m.
- Who: Free and open to the public
- Artists:

Alanna Stapleton	Anika Schneider
Binbin Shen	Cassandra Cook
Clarissa Odin	Donna Meyer
Grace Olson	Hallie Bahn
Heather Lamanno	Jennifer Jurgens
Jessica Welhaf	Jodie Burke
Jonathan Aller	Libby Wiswall
Maria Castillo	Mike Moen
Rachael Bonebright	Reza Nejati-Namin
Sherry Muyuan He	Shun Yong
Sishir Bommakanti	Wenjin Yao
William Jiang	Xiaojie Liu
Yijun Zheng	Yuanzhou Qian
Yuchen Zhang	Zoe Cinel

ABOUT MCAD’S MFA PROGRAM

The MCAD MFA Program is a community of makers, thinkers, theorists, researchers, and creative professionals. Our student body is diverse with a robust international presence. The subject of student-inquiry responds to social, cultural and professional needs as well as to entrepreneurial opportunities,stretching across art and design practices. Students in the program pursue creative work in a lively, interdisciplinary environment that includes graphic design, printmaking, paper and book arts, painting, photography, illustration, sculpture, drawing, animation, interactive media, filmmaking, comic arts, furniture design, and illustration art.

ABOUT THE MINNEAPOLIS COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN

Recognized nationally and internationally for its innovative and interdisciplinary approaches to visual arts education, the Minneapolis College of Art and Design is home to more than 800 students and offers professional certificates, bachelor of fine arts and bachelor of science degrees, and graduate degrees.

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