

Mia Guides Continuing Education (CE) Calendar

Fall 2024 (August - December)

NOTE: Updated information on CE sessions is provided in the weekly Monday CE message. Check the CE message before attending any events listed here, to make sure no changes occurred in the date/time for the session. We will keep this updated on the Mia Guide website, at [this link](#). **Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be recorded and available on the guide website, under Videos ([link here](#)).**

August 2024

Monday, August 26, 10 AM to 12 PM

- ***Required cultural fluency training, Part 1: Tibetan Buddhism with Professor Tenzin Namdul, U of MN.** This training is required of all guides in support of the [Tibetan Buddhist Shrine](#) installation Fall 2024. This will be recorded, with [an online component](#), but we encourage in-person attendance if possible.

September 2024

Thursday, September 5, 11 AM to 12:30 PM

- **Picture Person Trainers, Brown Bag update session with Learning staff, Wells Fargo Room.** (session only for Picture Person training guides)

Tuesday, September 17, 1:30 to 3 PM

- ***Required cultural fluency training, Part 2: Tibetan Buddhism with Deputy Director and Chief Curator Matthew Welch, Pillsbury Auditorium.** This training is required of all guides in support of the [Tibetan Buddhist Shrine](#) installation Fall 2024. This will be recorded, with an online component, but we encourage in-person attendance if possible. Please [RSVP here](#) for the session.

Wednesday, September 18, 10:00 to 11:30 AM

- **Galina Olmsted, Associate Curator, *At the Moulin Rouge*, Pillsbury Auditorium**
Galina will present on the upcoming exhibition in the Bell Court: [At the Moulin Rouge](#). This talk will be recorded.

Thursday, September 26, 10:30 to 11:30 AM

- **Valéria Piccoli, Curator of Latin American Art, in-gallery training, Gallery 275**
Valéria will discuss the new Latin American works on view. Meet in Gallery 275 and bring a stool if needed. This talk will be recorded.

October 2024

Wednesday, October 2, 12 to 1:30 PM

- **Brown Bag for school guides, Fall tour updates, Friends Community Room**
All guides who give school tours are invited to this Brown Bag as Learning staff give Fall tour updates, including changes to Art Adventure sets. This will be recorded.

Wednesday, October 9, 11 AM to 12 PM

- **Thomas Rassieur, Curator, *Dark Visions* in-gallery training**
Tom will discuss the [Dark Visions](#) print exhibition. Meet in Gallery 344 and bring a stool if needed. This talk will be recorded.

Thursday, October 10, 3:00 to 4:00 PM

- **Marne Zafar and Josie Owens, *O' Powa O' Meng: The Art and Legacy of Jody Folwell*, Cargill Gallery.**
Join Marne and Josie as they discuss the exhibition and provide information about Jody Folwell. This is in Cargill Gallery, so space is limited. Please sign up through [this link](#). This will be recorded.

Thursday, October 10, 5:00 to 7:00 PM

- **Welcome Back Fall Mixer, Wells Fargo Room.** Join us to mingle with your peers and meet our new Head of Learning and Programming, Abbie Edens. Drinks and tasty hors d'oeuvres will be served. Please [RSVP here](#) by Wednesday, October 2.

Thursday, October 17, 10 to 10:45 AM

- **Casey Riley, Curator, *JoAnn Verburg: Aftershocks* in-gallery training.**
Casey will discuss *JoAnn Verburg: Aftershocks* photography exhibition. Meet in the Harrison Photography Gallery (G364) and bring a stool if needed.

November 2024

Thursday, November 21, 1:00 to 2:00 PM

- **Mai Yamaguchi, Andrew W. Mellon Assistant Curator of Japanese and Korean Art, in-gallery training, Gallery 221**

Mai will discuss her current exhibition *Catch of the Day: Humans and Marine Animals in Japan* and a new rotation near the Japanese Audience Hall. Meet in Gallery 221, and bring a stool if desired. This training is limited to 20. We will add additional sessions if filled. [Link here to the sign-up sheet](#). This will be recorded.

December 2024