



Pattern design and one-night-only Boys and Girls Club exhibit on view at MIAD during Gallery Night

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Summary: Winter Gallery Night at MIAD, Friday, Jan. 22, 5 – 9 p.m., 273 E. Erie St. miad.edu

MILWAUKEE...Digital technology creating vibrant patterns and a special one-night-only exhibit of work created by Boys & Girls Club members are celebrated during **Winter Gallery Night Friday, January 22, 5 – 9 p.m.** at the Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design, 273 E. Erie St.

A Dual Exhibition: Contemporary Visual Patternmaking, on view in the **Frederick Layton Gallery** through March 5, hosts an Opening Reception during Winter Gallery Night, 5 – 9 p.m. The exhibition comprises two exhibits:

- **Patterns in Contemporary Design**

An expanded version of *Naturally Wisconsin*, a pattern-design competition sponsored by the American Institute of Graphic Arts (AIGA). Each of the 16 winning designs are shown separately, and combined into one large quilt-like work. These graphic design professionals also exhibit some of their additional pattern-related design work.

- **Repetition – Reticulation**

A national, curated exhibition of diverse visual arts practitioners whose work focuses on repetition and patterns that embody approaches utilizing digital technology or other advances that affect changes in perspective.

The work of the **Boys & Girls Club of Greater Milwaukee** is also on view for one-night-only in the Fourth Floor Raw Space, featuring 40 unique art works created by club members. Work ranges from paintings to sculptures in this unique exhibition. The winning art from the exhibition is submitted to the Regional and National Boys & Girls Club competition.

Gallery hours are Monday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Gallery Night hours: 5 – 9 p.m., Gallery Day hours: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. MIAD's galleries are free and open to the public. To schedule a free gallery tour by a MIAD Student Ambassador, visit miad.edu/gallerytours.

At the Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design, students driven to become creative professionals have the freedom to develop their talents beyond traditional boundaries while immersed in a transformative studio, academic and career-driven curriculum. On graduation, they join thousands of successful MIAD alumni whose talents are continuously in demand, and whose lifework is driven by the passion to inspire, problem solve and innovate for our economy and society.