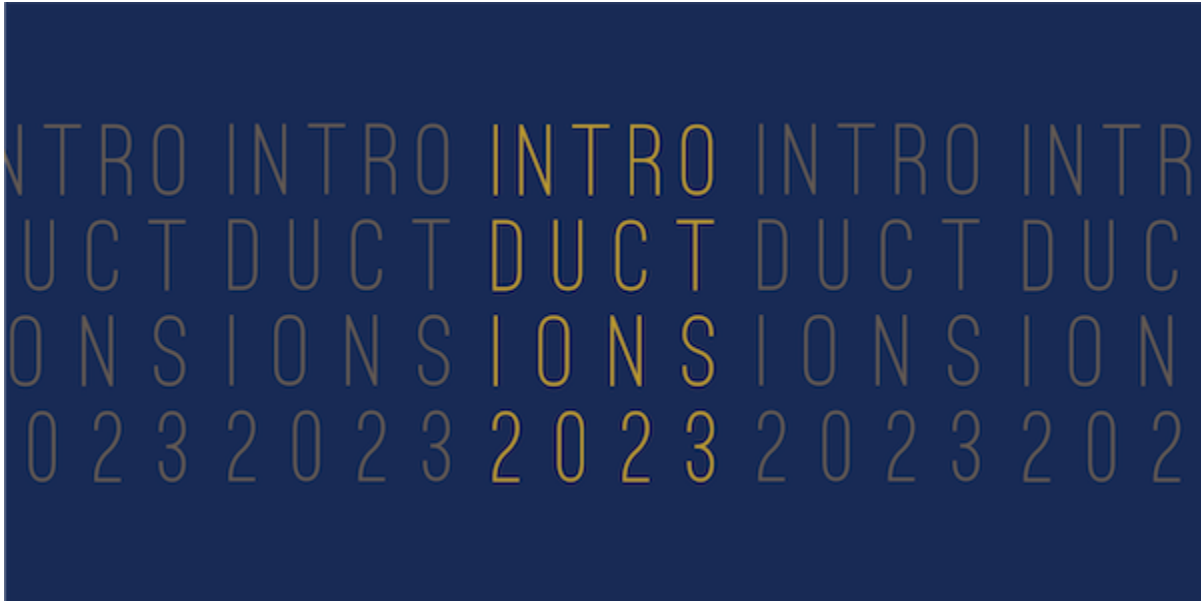


**ROOT DIVISION PRESENTS:
INTRODUCTIONS 2023**

Exhibition Dates: Aug 10 - Sep 16, 2023**Gallery Hours:**

Wednesday–Saturday 2-6pm

2nd Saturday Reception:

September 16, 2023 | 7–9 pm

Root Division presents *Introductions 2023*, the 17th iteration of our annual juried exhibition. The *Introductions* exhibition showcases the talent of thirteen emerging artists, highlighting artists without gallery representation in the San Francisco Bay Area. Three jurors selected the artists based on the conceptual and formal strength of their work through a highly competitive juror review process. The resulting exhibition includes a diverse range of media and subject matter featuring painting, sculpture, photography, and textiles. This presentation is one of the keystones of Root Division's gallery program, offering artists exposure to the art community and beyond through an exhibition, reception, and a print publication.

Register for our 2nd Saturday reception [here](#).

Juried by:

Naz Cuguoglu, Assistant Curator of Contemporary Art & Programs at Asian Art Museum

Jonathan Carver Moore, Founding Director and Gallery Owner

PJ Policarpio, Associate Director, Micki Meng

EXHIBITING ARTISTS

Nibha Akireddy*

Annie Artell

Dominique Birdsong*

Lynse Cooper

Carolina Cuevas*

Maya Fuji

Cynthia Yadira Gonzalez

Shao-Feng Hsu

Nahyun Kim

NamitaPaul

Callan Porter-Romero

Yunfei Ren

RD Studio Artist*ABOUT ROOT DIVISION**

Root Division is a visual arts non-profit in San Francisco that connects creativity and community through a dynamic ecosystem of arts education, exhibitions, and studios. Root Division's mission is to empower artists, foster community service, inspire youth, and enrich the Bay Area through engagement in the visual arts. The organization is a launching pad for artists, a stepping-stone for educators and students, and a bridge for the general public to become involved in the arts.

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