

# Building Artistic Communities: Networking and Shared Projects

*An event designed to bring the Newark artistic community together and highlight local artists through a Pecha Kucha-styled mixer.*

NEWARK, NJ, USA, July 25, 2024 /EINPresswire.com/ -- On July 30th, Newark Arts' Creative Convenings, in collaboration with Newark Artist Database, will host a unique event aimed at uniting and celebrating the local artistic community. Titled "Building Artistic Communities: Networking and Shared Projects!", this gathering will take place at Project for Empty Space's New Gallery located at 800 Broad St., starting at 6PM. The event is free and open to all creatives in the Greater Newark Area.



Building Artistic Communities featuring Rorshach

The centerpiece of the evening will be a Pecha Kucha-styled mixer, showcasing a series of rapid-fire presentations highlighting impactful community-led projects. Presentations will include

Abington Walls | Rorshach

Rorshach (Roberto Ramos Ramone and Andre Leon) are leading a neighborhood transformation through large-scale murals in Newark's North Ward with their Abington Walls initiative. For more information, visit [www.rorshachbrand.com](http://www.rorshachbrand.com).

Black Power! 19th Century | Noelle Lorraine Williams

Noelle Lorraine Williams' work bridges history, culture, and public engagement, focusing on African American visions of liberation across three centuries. Learn more at [www.blackpower19thcentury.com](http://www.blackpower19thcentury.com).

The Newark Youth Printmaking & Research Scholarship | Angela Pilgrim + Alverson Layne

Angela Pilgrim and Alverson Layne lead this program, offering Newark teens an immersive experience in screen printing and community storytelling. Learn more at [www.angelapilgrim.com/fruishun-press-studio](http://www.angelapilgrim.com/fruishun-press-studio).

New Davonhaime Food Bank | Azikiwe Mohammed  
Azikiwe Mohammed explores food security and cultural identity through the conceptual art piece, the New Davonhaime Food Bank. Visit [www.azikiwephoto.com](http://www.azikiwephoto.com) to learn more.

STEAM URBAN | Fallon Davis  
Fallon Davis' initiative, STEAM URBAN, collaborates with Black and Brown communities to provide educational programs that connect and uplift through dynamic offerings. Learn more at [www.steamurban.org](http://www.steamurban.org).

This event not only showcases the richness of Newark's artistic landscape but also aims to foster collaboration and innovation within the community. Join us on July 30th to connect, be inspired, and celebrate the transformative power of art in our city.

For more information and to register, please visit [newarkarts.org/creative-convenings](http://newarkarts.org/creative-convenings).

#### About Newark Artist Database

Newark Artist Database, powered by Project for Empty Space, celebrates and supports local visual artists by providing a platform for exposure and opportunity. Visit [www.projectforemptyspace.org](http://www.projectforemptyspace.org) for more details.



Building Artistic Communities Promo Flyer



Building Artistic Communities with Noelle Lorraine Williams

## About Newark Arts' Creative Convenings

Newark Arts' Creative Convenings are designed to address the needs of the arts and culture sector through professional development and community-building initiatives. Learn more at [www.newarkarts.org](http://www.newarkarts.org).

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