

# Seattle Arts Commission Appointments

Sustainability, City Light, Arts & Culture Committee  
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*Presented by:*  
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- Introduction to Seattle Arts Commission
- Appointments



# Seattle Arts Commission (SAC)

The Seattle Arts Commission is comprised of 16 members who are community member volunteers appointed by the Mayor and City Council, and they support the work of the Office of Arts and Culture.

The Seattle Arts Commission supports the City by advocating for arts policy, creating access for equitable participation in the arts, and fostering arts engagement for all residents.

Detail from *Together We Rise*  
by Matika Wilbur





# SAC Committees

- Facilities and Equitable Development Committee
- Cultural Investments Committee
- Public Art Advisory Committee

*"Dancer's Series: Steps"*  
by Jack Mackie



# New Appointments

- **Kate Nagle-Caraluzzo (Council Seat)**
  - Executive Director of Town Hall Seattle
- **Ed King (Council Seat)**
  - Executive Director of Pottery Northwest
- **Jo Mikesell (Mayoral Seat)**
  - Program director for Arts Business Services at Shunpike Arts Collective



# Reappointment

- **Vanessa Villalobos (Council Seat)**
  - Choreographer/dancer and founder of Balorico Dance
  - Seeking reappointment for 3<sup>rd</sup> term