Artivism: The Power of Art for Social Transformation will be kicking off its 4th season on September 19, 2022! The recipient of the Sing for Hope Artivist Award will be announced at that presentation.

Here is a preview of the season:

The inaugural presentation on Sept. 19th will feature April McCarthy from The Safe Center of Long Island. Ms. McCarthy states, “We are all stakeholders in challenging and changing social systems that tolerate and perpetuate abuse. It starts with us. We all have our parts to play within our spheres of influence to hold offenders and systems legally, ethically, and socially accountable. It really does takes all of us to do that.”

Recognized by The Japan Times as “Musical Ambassador of the Americas”, pianist, leading interpreter of Latin American music, and cultural entrepreneur Polly Ferman, promotes awareness of and appreciation for the cultures of this region. Oct. 3rd.

The mission of The Inspiration Show hosted by Alison Cohen is to inspire others through stories and courageous efforts. She has had 50 guests, including celebrities. Each story has an inspirational message of individual courage and hope. Oct. 10th.

Andrea Samantha Paltzer will discuss how to become an impact entrepreneur. She believes in challenging traditional forms of development and in social entrepreneurship as a solution to persistent social and environmental problems. Oct. 17th.


Zooming in from Canada, Ann Warburton is an active member of her local fibre arts community, co-chair of the Out of the Box Fibre Artists, teacher, and founder of Fibre 15 (a community fibre arts group). Nov. 7th.

Monica Mayer, the original Clothesline Project founder will zoom in on Nov. 14th to discuss a few of her long-term feminist art projects (1978-2022) in which art, activism and pedagogy intertwine.

And more!

Adelphi University’s Dean Margaret Lally (Oct. 31st) and Professor Micah Oelze (Nov. 28th) will present their research.

Andrzej Sadej, Judo Canada, Sport Director. Nov. 21st.


Artivism: The Power of Art for Social Transformation News:

Artivism: The Power of Art for Social Transformation, gave a presentation about the initiative and its vision at the Festival of Cinema NYC on August 10. The seminar gave transferable examples of community building through the arts and film that inspire social change.

Artivism will present a workshop at the 16th Annual Arts Integration Conference on Oct. 1st, UMBC Department of Education that will delve into transferable examples of community building through arts projects that can be applied to academic subjects for social transformation. Participants will be inspired by this session to incorporate art in their own practices to nurture confidence in their students, creating a mindset pertaining to inclusiveness and diversity for a more just and dignified society.

As a reminder Artivism: The Power of Art for Social Transformation is an interdisciplinary and multi-institutional global initiative generating a movement with committed social artists in response to historic global concerns that embrace the power of art to transform and inspire.