



POCOAPOCO *Workshops*

Conversations on Printmaking

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Oaxaca, Mexico

PRINT- TALLER RIO BLANCO

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Conversations on Printmaking

A week-long workshop exploring and experimenting with print through the context of Oaxaca city.

Open to artists working in all disciplines!

JOIN HERE.

Hosted in collaboration with:

Marco Velasco Martínez (Espacio Pino Suárez)
Ana Hernández & José Ángel Santiago (Taller Río Blanco)

This program supports each participants' creative work through **workshop visits, hands-on studio practices, and artist talks exploring the local role of print.** With reference to Oaxaca's comprehensive and historical relationship to the discipline, participants are inspired to reexamine their individual practice as an opportunity to connect and communicate ideas individually & collectively.

Proceeds from this workshops supports our Local Artists Grants & Residency Programs.

Learn more about Pocoapoco & what your workshop participation supports in the pages following!





About Pocoapoco

Founded in 2016, Pocoapoco is a 501(c)(3) non-profit.

Based in the central valley of Oaxaca, Pocoapoco provides artists & thinkers space for creative exchange and the development of new works and ideas.

Led by a staff & board from across the US & Mexico, we offer opportunities for exchange and dialogue between participants, fostering a culture of connection and reciprocity across disciplines & communities.

Our Vision

We envision a society in which creative practice is valued and understood as a non-exclusive and necessary tool for human reflection, relation and action.



Former residents Stina Baudin (Montreal) & Marco Velasco (Oaxaca).



Our organization nurtures creativity across diverse fields (from visual arts to journalism, film to architecture, social work to neuroscience) and widely varied histories. Over the past eight years, participants have arrived from over 50 countries and speak over 25 languages.

A Map to Not Arrive, A Map of Hope. Workshop from resident Ali Gali, January 2024

Our Programs

Our programs are grounded in the belief that it is connection and community that invites and sustains all forms of creative work.

We host three core programs each year, bringing together a total of over 100 participants and over 1000 community members:

[The Residency](#)

[Sur o No Sur](#)

[Casa Abierta](#)





Our Values

Connection & Care

We generate relationships with individuals, communities, organizations, and initiatives around the world with the belief that equal and care-based interactions are at the core of a healthy society.

Creative Expression

We look to creative work as a powerful tool to open up paths of communication, and understanding.

Social Engagement

We believe in initiatives and practices that have social relevance - creating more impact for more people.

Oaxaca

Our base in Oaxaca guides our values and priorities as an organization - centering connections to our communities, lands and histories.

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