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Hafa adai Dawn Lees Reyes,

On behalf of the Isla Center for the Arts, thank you for your submissions for the juried exhibition ***Creative Hands: Selected Works by Local Artists***. The Isla Center for the Arts received 179 entries from 26 artists for consideration. Paula Ray, the juror for this display, selected 28 works of art created by 16 artists. Your submissions *Seaweeds 2016*, *Savannah*, *Our Courage*, *Our Beliefs*, *Ko'Ko*, and *Boboy 2015* were selected for the exhibition! You are the artist with the most number of works selected. Congratulations!

Regarding our juror, Paula Ray holds a PhD in New Media Studies from the University of Auckland, an MA in International Communication from the University of Leeds, an MA in Political Science from the University of Calcutta, and a BA in Political Science from St. Xavier's College. She is currently a Senior Lecturer at the Ntec Tertiary Group in New Zealand. Previous positions include Freelance Journalist, with published articles in *BBC* and *Forbes*, Associate Editor of *Indian Weekender* as well as Graphic Designer and Technical Editor.

Please deliver your works of art, ready to install, to the Isla Center for the Arts at your earliest convenience but no later than Saturday, November 26. Isla office hours for the next two weeks are: November 16-18 and November 21-23 10:00am-5:00pm; November 26 (Saturday) 10:00am-2:00pm.

Please provide an artist's statement and any explanatory text you would like us to include in the display and a price if your work is for sale. In pricing your work, please keep in mind that the Isla Center retains a 40% commission.

***Creative Hands: Selected Works by Local Artists*** will open with a reception on Thursday, December 1, 6:00pm – 9:00pm. This exhibition will be on display until February 3, 2017.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you for your participation and congratulations again!

Best regards,

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