



# IATA Monthly news & updates

June 2019



*You are cordially invited to:*

## **We Are IATA: Board Exhibit and Panel**

**Friday, June 28th, 6:00pm**

**OuterSpace Studio**

**1474 N Milwaukee Ave**

**Third Floor**

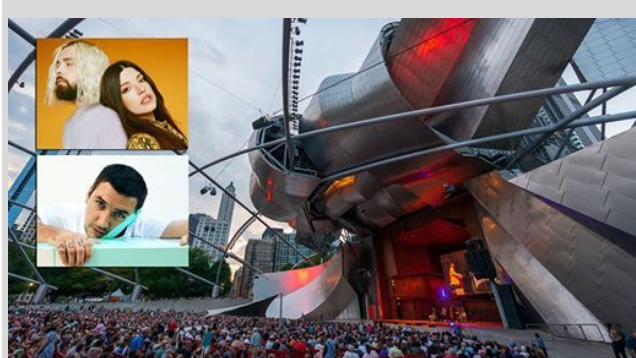
**Chicago, IL 60622**



Please join us for a panel discussion and art exhibit to get to know IATA board members. Several IATA board members will be available to discuss their journey to art therapy and their experience in the field, as well as, answer your questions. You will also get to view personal art pieces created by IATA board members. Light refreshments provided.

Leading up to the exhibition and over the course of the summer, we will be featuring IATA board members on our [blog](#).

## June 27th Meet-Up



Next monthly meet-up:

**MILLENNIUM PARK  
SUMMER MUSIC SERIES**

**FLORA CASH W/ SUSTO**  
**Thurs., Jun 27, 6:30PM**  
**Free, All Ages**

Millennium Park Chicago, The Great



Lawn (look for the balloon)  
 Please feel free to bring your own food/drink (beer & wine are permitted).  
 Light snacks will be provided.

*This meet-up event series aims to offer a range of activities for members, nonmembers, and friends of IATA to meet, network, and hang out. Please send suggestions for future meet-ups to [programs.iata@gmail.com](mailto:programs.iata@gmail.com).*

**Meet-up map:** We will meet in The Great Lawn of Millennium Park where the red balloon is on the map. We will have a balloon with us that day (it might not be red).

## Letters, Cards, and Drawings for Don Seiden

**Don Seiden** is turning 92 this August and is now residing in assisted living/palliative care in Chicago. His daughter is hoping to boost his spirits and create some joy in his heart with some cards, letters or drawings from anyone who was inspired or touched by Don's life or work in some way. These thoughts & cheer can be emailed to [Heidiwodrich@gmail.com](mailto:Heidiwodrich@gmail.com) or mailed to:

Don Seiden  
 c/o Heidi Seiden-Wodrich  
 314 Greenview Lane  
 Lake Villa, IL 60046



*Don Seiden was interviewed by Studio Skylight in the [video](#) above back in 2008 as a part of a documentary project.*

## Call for Facilitators



IATA is looking for **fiber makers and puppet makers** to lead skill share workshops for 2019. All skill levels welcome. Please email us with your name, preferred workshop, medium and materials needed, and any other necessary materials, such as direction sheets. Feel free to **email us** with other future workshop ideas.

Becca and Meredith  
[programs.iata@gmail.com](mailto:programs.iata@gmail.com)

## Upcoming Events and Programs



**Friday, June 28, 6-8pm:**

**Board Exhibit**

**Sunday, August 18, 2-4pm:**

Fiber Workshop

**Friday, September 6, 6-8:30pm:**

IMPACT Exhibition

**Sunday, October 20, 2-4pm:**



Puppet Making Workshop  
November/December: Art Market

Stay tuned for more details...

## AATA Corner



Register for the AATA Conference



### Job Opportunities

The **Shirley Ryan Ability Lab** is seeking to hire a part time art therapist with the potential of the position growing into full time. Check out this opportunity as well as others on the IATA [website](#).



### Join the IATA Board!

If you are interested in nominating yourself or someone else for a 2019 IATA Board position, contact [nominations.iata@gmail.com](mailto:nominations.iata@gmail.com).



### Ideas and Suggestions

[Contact IATA](#) with ideas and suggestions for: news, job opportunities, featured members, advocacy opportunities, programs and events, etc...

**Reminder...** Next IATA Board Meeting:  
Sunday, June 23, 2:00-3:30pm

**Attention:** IATA is seeking a Director of Membership and Nominations



IATA, Director of Membership and Nominations

Are you?

Join us from wherever you are. Click the link below during our monthly meeting, and let your voice be heard. We look forward to connecting with you!

<https://www.gotomeet.me/IllinoisArtTherapy>

- Organized and prompt
- Friendly and excited to meet new potential members and board members
- Passionate about creating an inviting and inclusive community environment

Please contact IATA if you are interested in nominating yourself or someone else for this position. For more information contact:

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