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**Green Space Miami presents
Global South Movements by Hanan Arts**

March 14, 2023 (Miami, FL) - Green Space Miami is proud to present Global South Movements by Hanan Arts. Curated and produced by Miami artist Tiffany Madera, Global South Movements invites you to experience a program of 10 artists and 8 mediums to celebrate the landscape of cultures of Miami, Africa, and the Caribbean.

WHEN AND WHERE

Opening March 22, 2023
7200 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL 33138

Opening Reception

March 22, 2023, 6-9 pm

Global South Movements is Green Space Miami's 2023 heritage program. Every year Dr. Kimberly Green invites a leading cultural expert to exhibit, discuss, educate, and celebrate the art and traditions of Miami's diverse communities. In 2023 Tiffany Madera invites you to a vibrant series of events about women, dance, and film.

The exhibition is a celebration of 20 years of Hanan Arts groundbreaking use of traditional middle eastern dance as a tool for social justice, along with an unveiling of new works by globally acclaimed artists [Ya La'Ford](#) and [Juana Valdes](#) with recent commissions by local artists [Dinorah de Jesus Rodriguez](#) and [Karelle Levy of KREL](#) - alongside other never before seen works. Together the artists' works discuss resistance, the body, cultural inheritance, fluidity, temporality, identity, and gender. With large format photos, dance, immersive video, photography, textile art, mixed media installations, and multiple activations, Global South Movements will engage the five senses and anchor its themes in the somatic. The visceral experience will transport the viewer into the more mystical and energetic realms prominent in Global South cultural expressions, ignite the intellect, and induce reflection.

At the opening reception on March 22, 2023, international Bellydance artist Valerick Molinary will perform Lebanese and Egyptian dance with live percussion, in collaboration with the Lebanese Love Affair. Soundscape art by T Lyfe will connect Africa, the Caribbean, the Middle East, and Miami, featuring music from the regions of exhibition artists including Jamaica, Brazil, Egypt, Cuba, and Lebanon.

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A program of weekly events will begin in April, taking place on Saturdays between 12-5 pm. Check the website for dates and times, www.hananarts.org.

April 1 - Dance for Camera as Storytelling- Gina Margillo, Director of Ya Habibi Ta'ala, with a panel of experts discuss dance, diaspora and social justice along with the presentation of two documentaries produced by Hanan Arts: Ya Habibi Taa'la and Havana Habibi.

April 8 - Dance Workshops: Valerick Molinary; Global South + Caribbean perspectives in Raqs Sharqi and **Niurca Marquez** - The Art + Science of Duende

April 15 – Hands-on Textile Art + Fashion Workshop; Knitting family traditions and pom-pom making experience with Karelle Levy.

April 22 - CollaboARTive partner tour - Led by Ignacio and Jean Font, this exhibition tour will provide an in-depth look at the works of participating artists from across the Global South.

April 23 - Tarab Duende, is a free live performance at the Miami Beach Bandshell featuring Tiffany Madera, Michael Ibrahim and the National Arab Orchestra. Guest performance by Niurca Marquez. In collaboration with O Cinema. Presented by The Rhythm Foundation and the City of Miami Beach.
www.rhythmfoundation.com

April 29 - Closing Event- Choreographer and Filmmaker Roundtable; led by Dr. Celeste Landeros Barry University. Dialogue and collaborate with Miami's best choreographers and filmmakers for an interactive and embodied discussion around the themes of the exhibition. Invited filmmakers and choreographers include; Michelle Grant Murray, Rosie Herrera, Pioneer Winter, Carla Forte, Dinorah de Jesus Rodriguez, Rachelle Salnave, Jayme Gershen, Cara Pastore.

About Green Space Miami

Green Space Miami is the Green Family Foundation's arts initiative & art space in the MiMo Historic District of Miami. Guided by the Foundation's principles of inclusion, community empowerment and education, Green Space Miami centers historically marginalized stories at the intersections of lived experience, hosted in a space for dialogue. Green Space Miami's mission is to be a catalyst for action around critical social issues, collaborating with community partners and educational institutions.

About Hanan Arts

Originally known as MidEastern Dance Exchange, Hanan Arts is a Miami-Based 501C-3 organization founded in 1991. Hanan Arts globally innovates the genre of Raks Baladi (Bellydance) as an instrument for social justice and community connection through workshops, film, interdisciplinary performance, social practice collaborations, international projects, visual art, and academic investigation.

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