

Ethnic Heritage Art Gallery Presents

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# **Cecelia DeLeon:**

*a.k.a. Mousy DeVilla*

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## **Hella Cultura**

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October 22, 2018 - January 14, 2019

Reception November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018

12:00pm - 1:00pm



"This exhibition is about Ethnic Heritage and I chose these works as a representation of my people and where I come from. I have blood that comes from Mexico, where there is a beauty in strong liberal beliefs and a strong self-awareness in organizations such as the Zapatistas. I pay homage to their strengths and resilience.

Being born in the U.S, I am part of the self-identifying Chicax who are in the middle of being Mexican and Mexican-American. These artworks reflect my life growing up. Caught in between cultures, and traditions. Constantly trying to fit into society, find your self-worth and battle stereotypes. Where it's hard to place yourself when you weren't born into a bilingual world, but may have suffered the assimilation of Americanization from one parent."

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