

## **Statement of Solidarity from the Visual Arts Program**

The Visual Arts Program wants to explicitly state our support for the Black Lives Matter movement and our commitment to anti-racism. We condemn all forms of systemic racism, violence, bias, aggression, and marginalization of Black, Indigenous, and other People of Color (BIPOC) as well as discrimination based on race, intersectionality, ethnicity, and socioeconomic status. We recognize that we are still learning to recognize our own structural and implicit biases and we want to work with our students and colleagues to make change an institutional reality.

We stand with Stockton University President Harvey Kesselman in “denouncing the senseless death