

SOLA's online resources that support a legacy in the arts are growing!



Legacy is a Verb at SOLA

Hello from SOLA in Ballard,

The collection of online resources offered by SOLA, showcasing diverse perspectives on how experienced artists can nurture their artistic careers and establish a lasting legacy, is steadily expanding!

In our recent SOLA Community Call, we welcomed Farrol Mertes from Athene Studios—an archivist and end-of-career doula for artists, offering profound expertise in the field. Mertes and SOLA leadership, Marge Levy, took us behind the scenes of her work securing high level exhibitions, placements and sales of the art of feminist ceramist, [Coille McLaughlin Hooven](#). The recording is now up [on our YouTube channel](#).



SOLA COMMUNITY CALL

Case study of Coille Hooven's End-of-Career Legacy Building featuring End-of-Career Doula & Archivist, Farrol Mertes

Our May Community Call also had a wealth of valuable insights as a background to this month with comprehensive explanations about archives—what they entail, their importance, and the steps to proceed, including collaborative efforts. [Dive into that discussion on our YouTube channel by following this link.](#)

Legacy can hold profound implications for artists. As these two online events show, simply creating and exhibiting art is equal to crafting your legacy. Organizing, archiving, and networking are vital to an enduring legacy. Join our free online Community Call at 5:30pm PT on Sept. 19, 2023, tailored for Washington state's visual artists. All are welcome, as long as you have an artwork at least a decade old to share. [Register and read more about this online event at Eventbrite.](#) Shine in your 3 minute share with [this downloadable resource on talking about your art.](#)



And, of course, there is our *Famous Female Artists Planning for Success* publication that we created to be one of your legacy partners. There are thoughtful color-filled planning pages, as well as words and artistic inspirations from SOLA Awardees. Link for the free and purchased versions below and we highly recommend adding the [Joan Mitchell Foundation's Legacy Planning Guides on their site](#) to your unfolding legacy building journey.



Download a printable PDF version of *Famous Female Artists: Planning for Success* for FREE [on our Professional Support page](#).

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