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Community School of Music and Arts Announces the Opening of Painter Ian Wing’s Our Sacred Coast in Mohr Gallery

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA – Community School of Music and Arts (CSMA) announces that artist Ian Wing will present a collection of his artworks at Mohr Gallery, located at 230 San Antonio Circle in Mountain View.

The show will run from November 22, 2019-January 20, 2020. There will be an opening wine and cheese reception with the artist on Friday, December 6 from 5pm - 7pm.

Our Sacred Coast is an exhibition of plein air and landscape paintings that draw inspiration from Wing’s exploration of the California coast and Bay Area landscapes. According to Wing, “Along Highway 1, between Santa Cruz and San Francisco, there are many state parks and beaches with amazing views and hiking trails, such as 3-Mile Beach, Coast Dairies and Scott Creek Beach. This show is a chance to share my love of these landscapes.” Also included are paintings of local spots such as the Redwood Grove in Los Altos.

The show will include 25 artworks, including works in process to demonstrate the steps in creating a finished landscape painting. Artworks will be available for purchase. For more information, please see an interview with the artist on CSMA’s blog: http://arts4all.org/about/news-blog/get-to-know-ian-wing.

About the Artist
Ian Wing is a Bay Area native, born and raised in San Jose. He has tried his hand at animation, comics, painting and is also a former Art Instructor at CSMA. Inspired by the natural beauty of the Bay Area as well as the amazing work done by contemporary plein air painters working in gouache, Ian hopes to inspire others to paint and appreciate nature. See more of his work online at www.instagram.com/iancwing

In keeping with CSMA’s mission to provide Arts for All, CSMA events are free and open to the public. Located in Mountain View, CSMA provides unique music and visual arts programming and events for audiences of all ages and backgrounds. For a full CSMA event schedule, visit www.arts4all.org. To request artist interviews and hi-res images, please contact Erin Brownfield, Director of Marketing, at 650-917-6800, ext 305 or ebrownfield@arts4all.org.
EVENT CALENDAR INFORMATION:

WHAT:     Our Sacred Coast by Ian Wing
WHERE:    Mohr Gallery; Community School of Music and Arts (CSMA)
           230 San Antonio Circle, Mountain View, CA
           Artist reception on Friday, December 6 from 5-7 pm
COST:     Free! Open to the public.
INFO:     www.arts4all.org; 650-917-6800, ext 305

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