

## **HUM 250 - SPRING 2026**

### **Ruth Asawa Partner creative assignment with artist statement**

Due Thursday, February 19 at class time

With your partner, explore the *Ruth Asawa* exhibition at MOMA. Spend time in the show and pay close attention to the various artistic mediums the artist worked with over the years and the themes she explored in her work – like patterns and the natural world.

Find works that intrigue you and discuss them together. **Take photos of them.** Can you find similarities between the artworks?

Your assignment will be to **choose a work** together to serve as a source of inspiration for your creation of a new work – ideally in another medium. Can you find a way to translate Asawa's visual language into a work of art by using a different material? Some ideas include photography, knitting/crocheting, drawing, making a print, using a stamp, making a sculpture? What can you take from this artist's visual expression and give it a new form?

For class on February 19

#### **Artwork**

Bring the artwork to class and document it and upload the photo to the Google folder along with image(s) of the Asawa artwork that inspired your work and upload your Artist statement.

#### **Artist statement**

With your partner, write a 250 word explanation of your artistic process and philosophy in relation to making this new work. What did you take from Asawa's work and what did you change? Upload to the Google folder.

#### Partners:

Jacqueline – Elie

Abby – Esther

Joanna – Erixz

Francesca - Stephanie - Ella

Mariam – Camila

Deanna – Erin

Ashley – Tenpa

Giovanna – Jack

Monica – Yadira

Cesar – Safiie

Enis – Dalton

Larry – Sofia

Niki – Marleen

Josh – Raymond

#### **UPLOAD TO GOOGLE FOLDER:**

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Z-D733QDil7L80N\\_hbyfvgxKeTvfuz\\_5?usp=drive\\_link](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Z-D733QDil7L80N_hbyfvgxKeTvfuz_5?usp=drive_link)

