

The Cincinnati Asian Art Society Presents:

When Saris Speak!

Contemporary Expressions and Political Resistance



Images, left to right: Viji Venkatesh, photographed by Pramod George; A *Péro* sari on the catwalk at Wills Lifestyle India Fashion Week (WLIFW) S/S 2014, photographed by Arti Sandhu; Maya the Drag Queen, image courtesy Kitty Ko India

When Saris Speak: Contemporary Expressions and Political Resistance through Dress Practices in India addresses the ways in which the sari continues to evolve and take on new roles in the realm of designer couture and social media storytelling - the illustrated lecture on Sunday, December 2, 2018 at the Cincinnati Art Museum will be presented by Arti Sandhu, Associate Professor in Fashion at the University of Cincinnati.

Professor Sandhu's research is centered on contemporary Indian fashion and related design culture, including the fashion and style statements of Drag Queens in modern India. She is the author of *Indian Fashion: Tradition, Innovation, Style* published by Bloomsbury Academic.

Sunday December 2, 2018

2:00 PM Presentation

3:00 PM Reception

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