

Soñadora: YUYI MORALES



Born into a family of avid storytellers in Mexico, it's no surprise that the bright and cheerful artworks in author/illustrator Yuyi Morales' books are filled with thoughtful details and powerful messages that appeal to all audiences.

Morales' widely acclaimed works have been recognized with starred reviews in publications such as *Publisher's Weekly*, *The New York Times*, and *Booklist*. She is a six-time recipient of the prestigious Pura Belpré award and was the first Latina to receive a Caldecott Honor for her book, *Viva Frida*, in 2015.

Soñadora: Yuyi Morales comprises more than sixty mixed-media artworks from fourteen of Yuyi Morales' books that will enliven and inspire viewers of any age.

Exhibition Programs

Thursday, **DECEMBER 7**, 5:30 – 7 pm

ART À LA CARTE MAKE 'N TAKES

Drop-in to the Museum and find Art à la Carte (mobile art-making studio) and explore the relationship between text and image by illustrating a page in your own book.

Thursday, **FEBRUARY 1**, 5:30 – 7 pm

SOÑADORA GALLERY WALK

Explore the artworks in *Soñadora: Yuyi Morales* with Museum educators Rachel Hausmann-Schall and Emily Fritz. Learn more about the processes and inspiration behind Morales' illustrations through guided observations and conversation.

FEBRUARY 14 - 20

YUYI MORALES

During a week-long residency, Yuyi Morales will share her personal influences and connection to Mexican culture as well as her storytelling and art making processes with visitors, students, and educators. In addition to public programming at the Museum, Yuyi will participate in outreach initiatives with the local community.

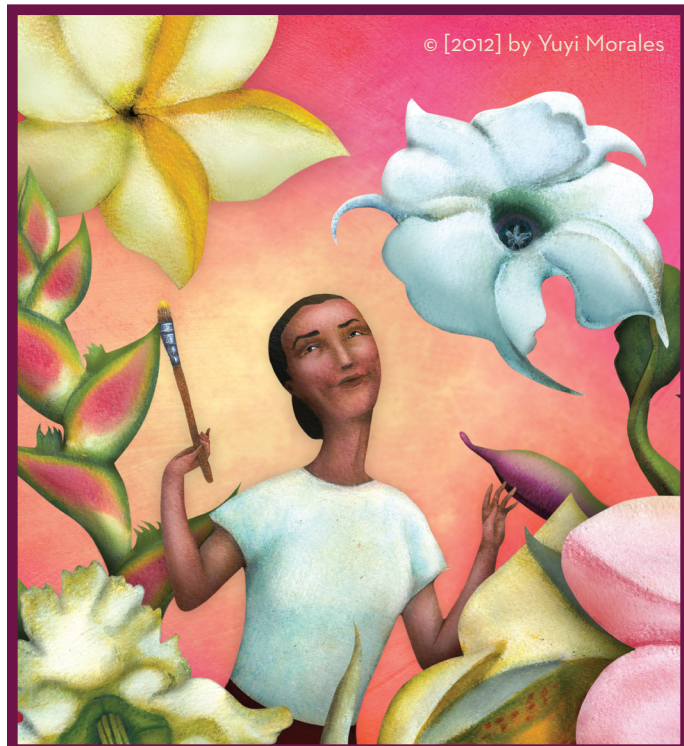
Funding for the Yuyi Morales Residency comes from the B.A. & Esther Greenheck Foundation, the Community Foundation of North Central Wisconsin, and the Wisconsin Arts Board.



Wednesday, FEBRUARY 14, 5 - 7 pm

OPEN STUDIO SESSION

Visit the Glass Box Studio and observe Artist in Residence Yuyi Morales at work. Engage in conversations about personal narratives, imagination, and storytelling while you witness her illustrations come to life.



Yuyi Morales

Xalapa, Mexico native

Immigrated to the United States in 1994

First published in 2003



Saturday, FEBRUARY 17, 1 - 3 pm

GUEST ARTIST GALLERY WALK & Book Signing

Take a stroll through the galleries with Yuyi Morales to learn more about the inspiration and processes behind her illustrations. Get a copy of your favorite book signed by Yuyi after the Gallery Walk. Select books will be available for sale at Visitor Services.

Books Available for Purchase

Stop by Visitor Services to purchase a Yuyi Morales book for yourself or as a gift for a loved one.

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