

MOMENTUM

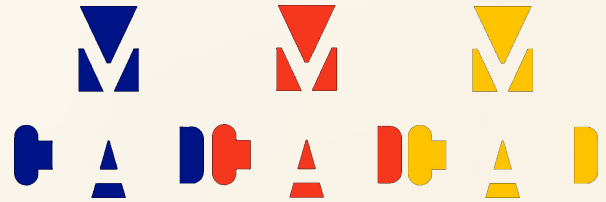


LOCATION FOUR · MOMENTUM 2026

MINNEAPOLIS

August 5–6, 2026

Minneapolis College of Art and Design
Main Building · 2501 Stevens Avenue South



TUE · AUG 4 7:00pm Pre-Dinner gathering (details TBA)

DAY ONE

Wednesday, August 5

Opening · Ideation · Regional Inspiration

- 7:30 am** Registration & Coffee
Continental breakfast
- 8:30 am** Opening Session
Welcome, Connection, Framing, Joy Points and Pain Points
- 10:00 am** Expanding Choices Session #1
Overview and Additions to the Model List; Prioritization
- 12:00 pm** Ecosystem Building Lunch
- 12:45 pm** Walk to Pretti Memorial Site
- 1:30 pm** **MINNEAPOLIS PANEL**
Regional Voices & Inspirational Change Stories
Anne Halvorson · Carolina Ortiz · Zelia Gonzalez
- 3:30 pm** Expanding Choices Session #2
Deeper small-group exploration of models on the table
- 6:00 pm** Dinner
Informal seeding of ideas for Day Two; dine-arounds or cultural events

DAY TWO

Thursday, August 6

Deep Explorations · Activations · National Dialogue

- 7:30 am** Gathering
Coffee, continental breakfast, and overnight reflections
- 8:30 am** Expanding Choices Session #3
Deeper small-group exploration of models on the table
- 11:00 am** **LIGHTHOUSE ROLLING SPEAKER SERIES**
Lanxing Fu
Part Five of a Five-Site Rolling Exploration, with Participant Dialogue
- 12:30 pm** Ecosystem Building Lunch
- 1:30 pm** Expanding Choices Session #4
What is needed for piloting, seeding, or spreading
What voices need to be added
What situations are still without solutions
- 3:30 pm** Break
- 4:00 pm** Synthesis, Summary & Activations
What travels forward from MOMENTUM
- 5:00 pm** End of Convening
- 6:00 pm** Optional Post-Conference Activity
Dinner and/or events on or near campus

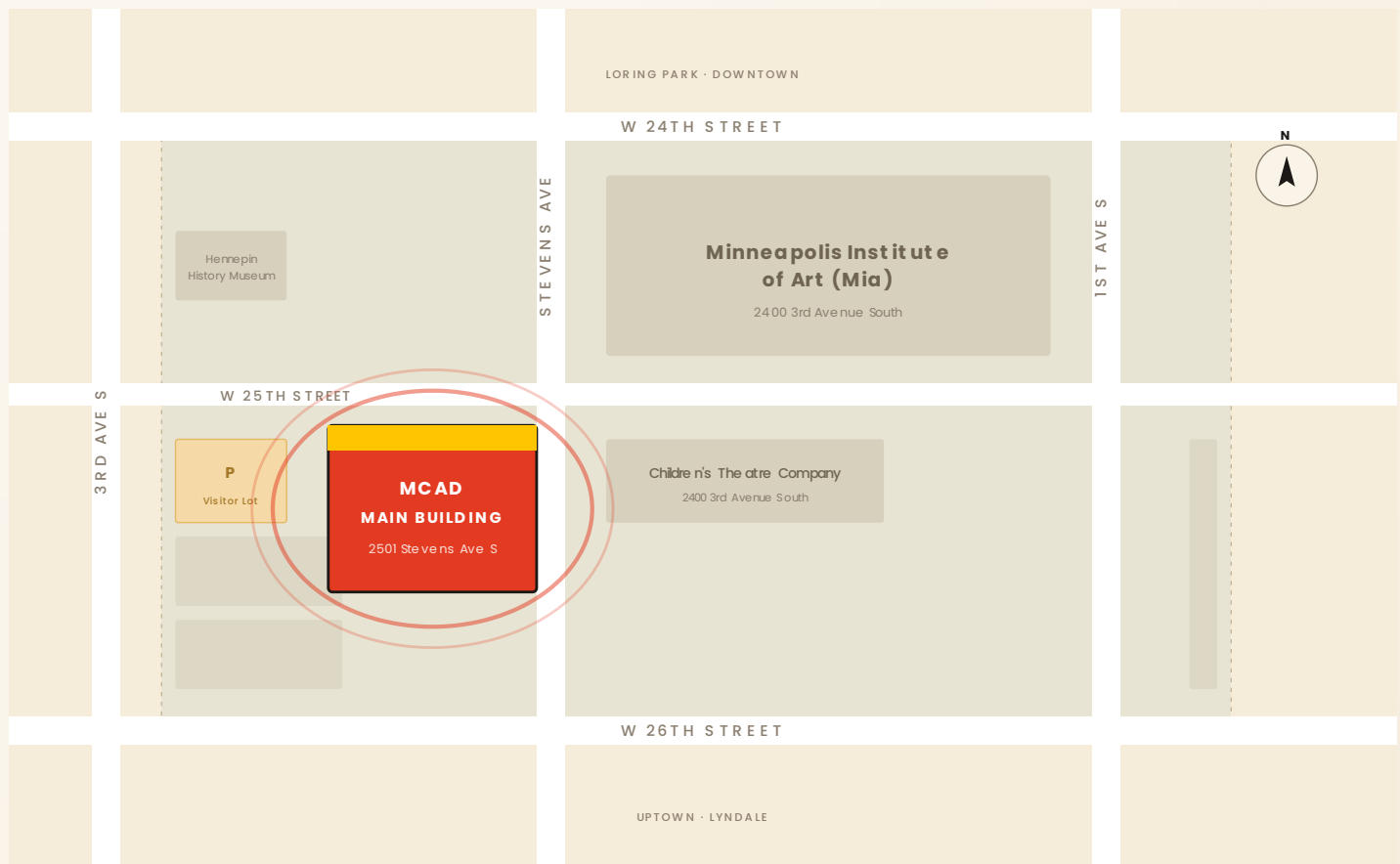


CAMPUS LOCATION · MOMENTUM 2026

MCAD Main Building



In the Whittier neighborhood, adjacent to the Minneapolis Institute of Art.



CONVENING VENUE

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2501 Stevens Avenue South · Whittier, Minneapolis



VISITOR PARKING

MCAD Visitor Lot

Adjacent to Main Building on Stevens Avenue

GETTING THERE MCAD is in the Whittier neighborhood, immediately adjacent to the Minneapolis Institute of Art and Children's Theatre Company. Walkable to many nearby hotels and restaurants. · **TRANSIT** Multiple Metro Transit bus routes serve 3rd Avenue South and 26th Street, with easy access from downtown Minneapolis.