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Visitors

Mirta Toledo's "Pure Diversity" Exhibit at UMCP

UMCP's Latin American Studies Center hosted artist Mirta Toledo (pictured below) and exhibited some of the works from her "Pure Diversity" show on campus in October. Toledo, who was born and raised in Argentina, now lives and works in Forth Worth, Texas. Her sculptures, drawings, pottery, and writings reflect her feelings of living in two cultures (Argentinean and American) and her struggle to find her identity within them. Her "Pure Diversity" exhibit is a body of 80 works that she has completed in the last five years and plans to exhibit throughout the U.S. It reveals Toledo's search for identity and features the theme of finding value in a racially and culturally diverse society. She has had six solo exhibitions; participated in 68 group exhibitions in Argentina, Brazil, and the U.S.; and won several first prize awards for her work. Toledo has also had many of her short stories published.

For more information on the exhibit, contact Eva Vilarrubí at 301-405-6459.

