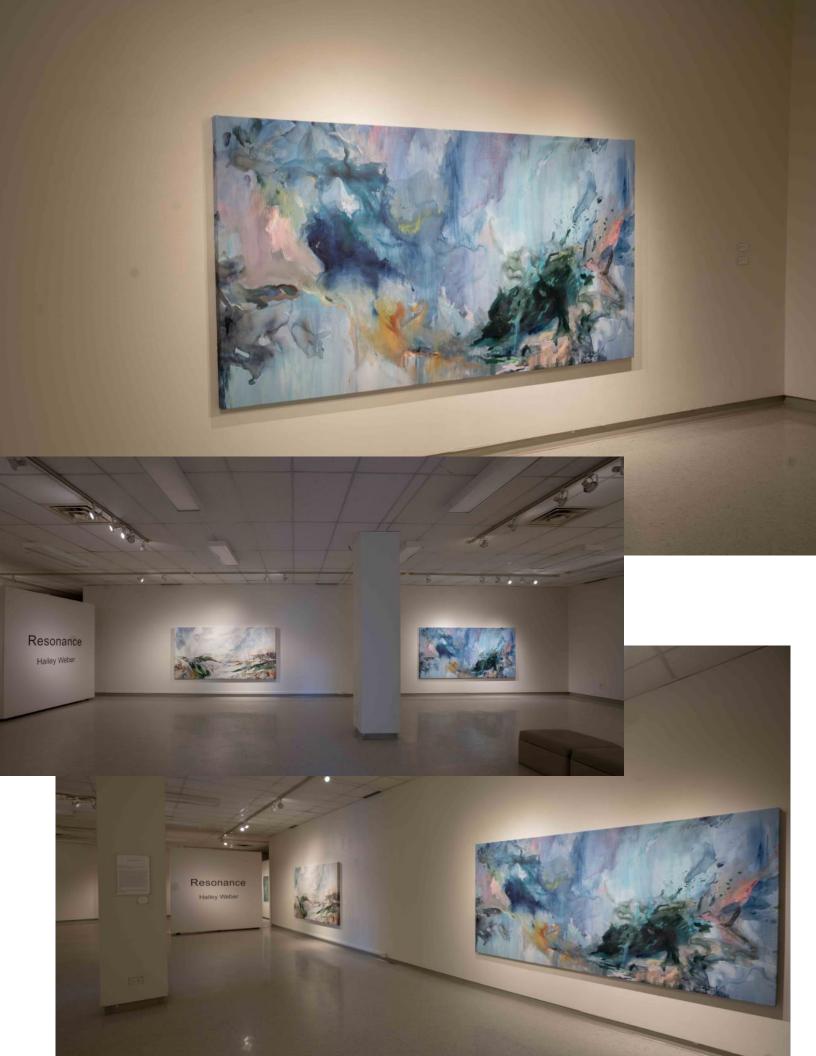




"walk alone, walk together, walk slow, then start to run"

mixed media on canvas 55" x 109"

This piece explores the evolution of being and growing into a community. Patches of light playfully come through in an emblematic way to represent how people and their light come into our lives to complete us and make us whole. This piece is about walking together through life as we learn to run.

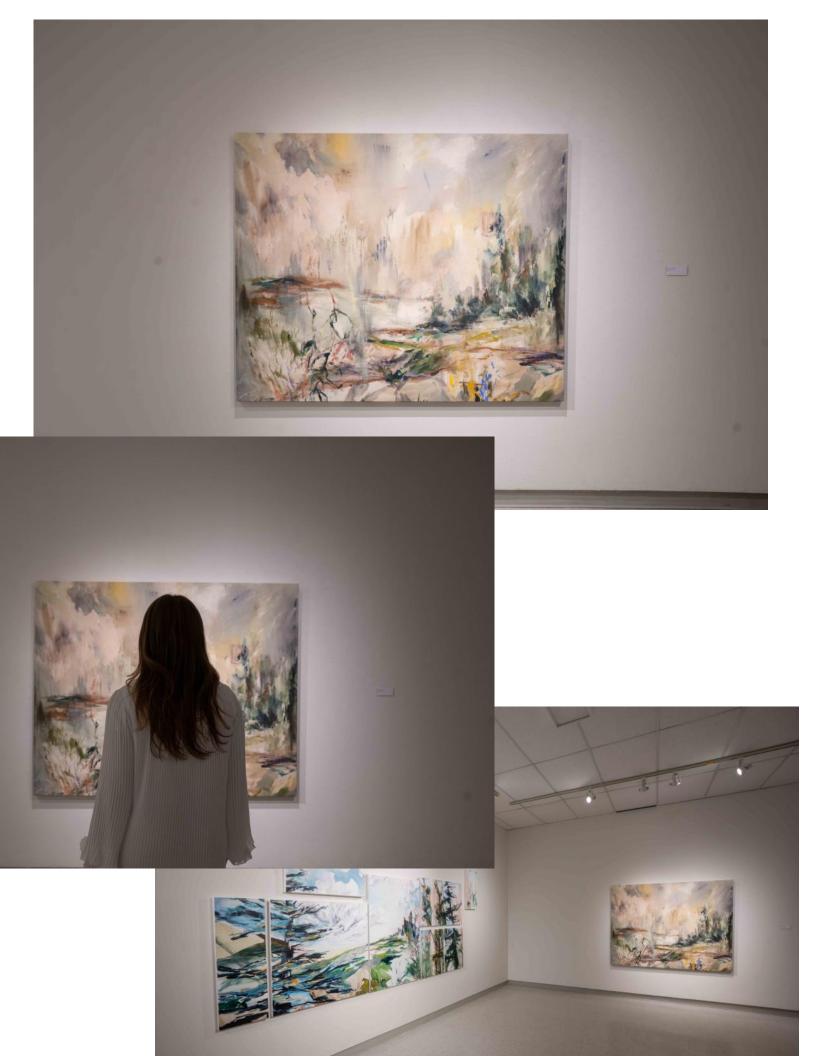




"you stained my heart a little deeper than you thought"

mixed media on canvas 55" x 109"

This piece makes a subtle nod to the Michelangelo's fresco "Creation of Adam". Two entities or energy centres are on the verge of collision, posing the question as to how they will look when these two beings collide. This work explores themes of relationship with others whether for only a fleeting moment or for a lifetime. Celebrating both beauty and the messy parts, we come together to make each other whole.

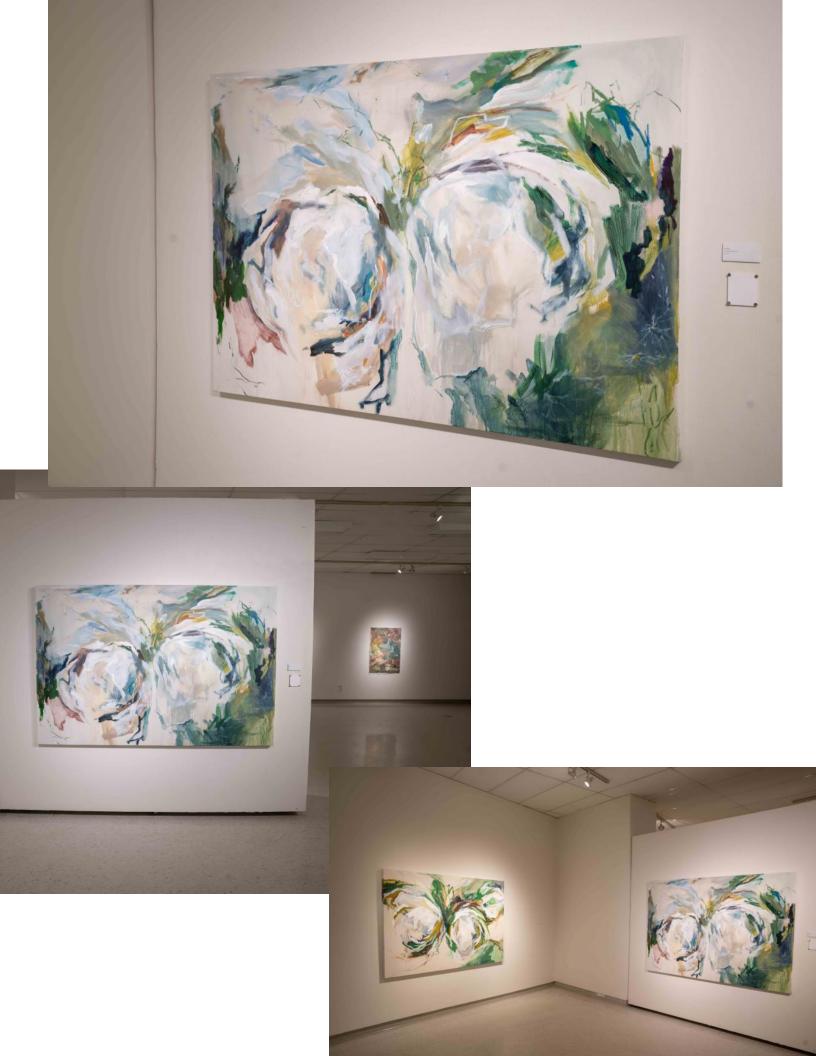




"the rhythm that runs through"

mixed media on canvas 52" x 64"

I believe we all live very rhythmically because life seems to be anything but linear. Areas of intensity mixed with areas of softness note the way that we push through life with such energy at times, and other days are soft and simple. In the same way in groups of people we create a rhythm that runs through our spirits as we navigate the world together.





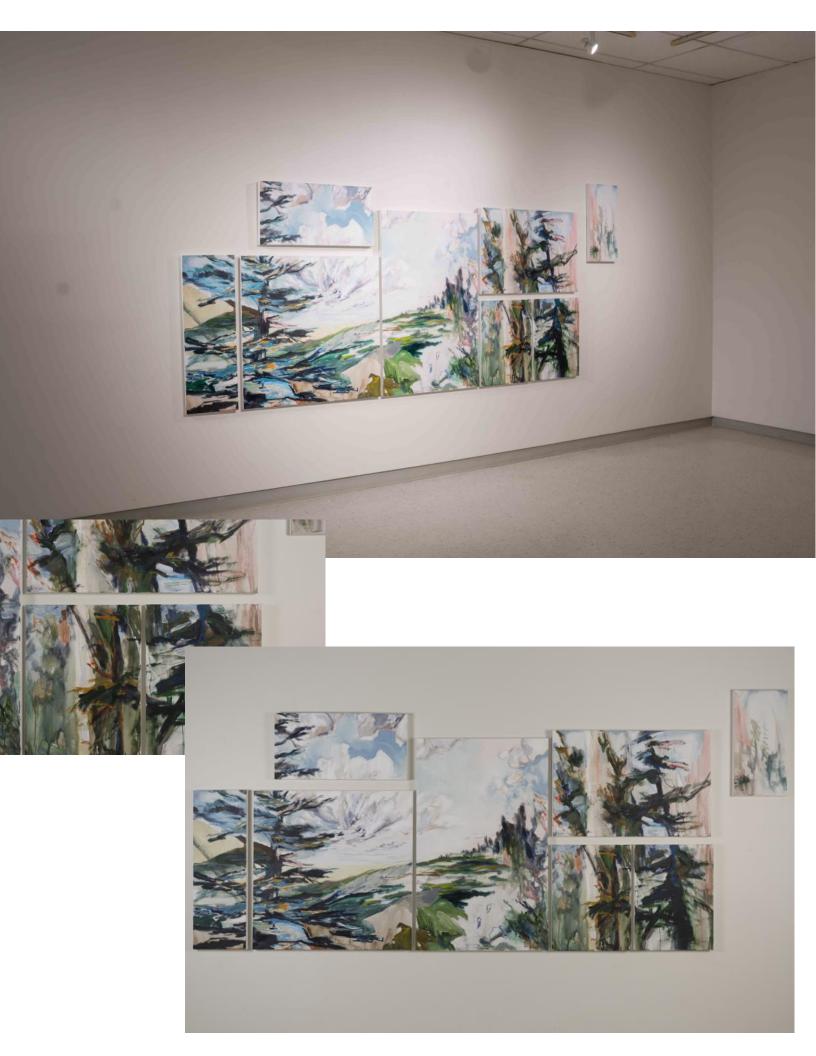
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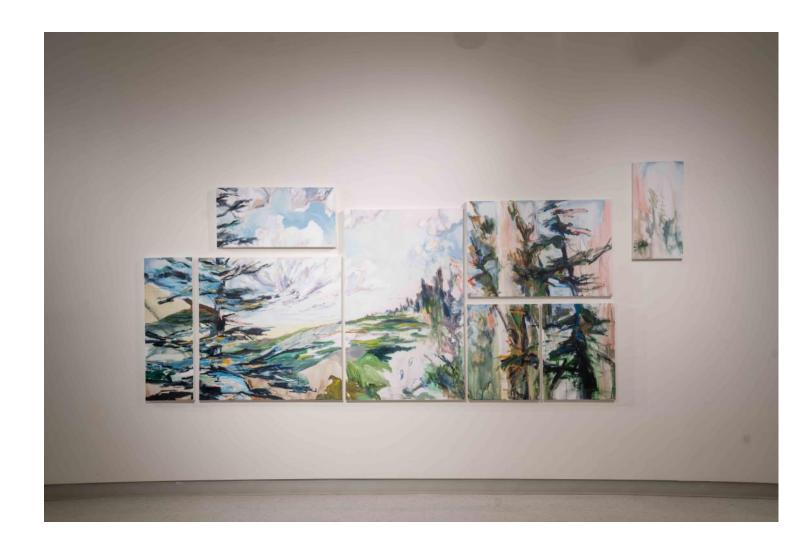
mixed media on canvas 48" x 72"

This piece is a visual representation of a story about Kelly Gasper's life. See the QR code or hyperlink below to hear her story.



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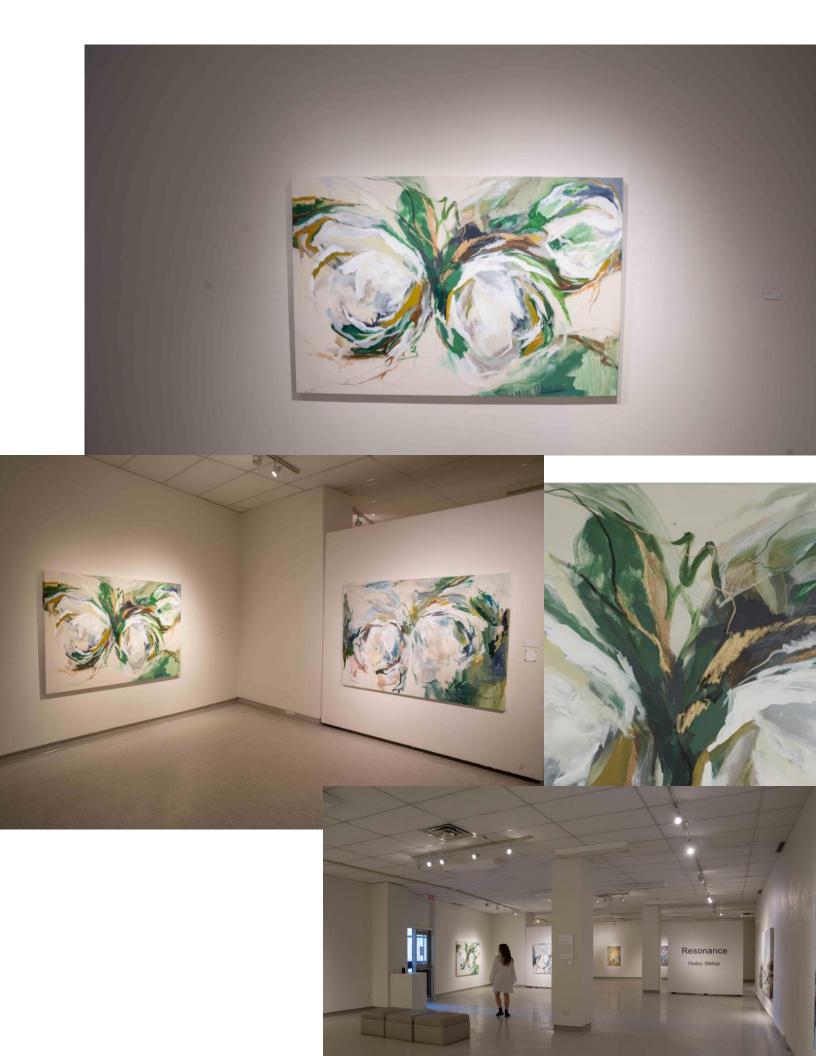




"I see you more so now than ever before"

mixed media on canvas 55" x 126"

This work is a large scale eight piece multipaneled work that explores identity and coming to terms with the many elements that make someone who they are. Clashing elements like the sky, trees, and land all come together speak to the way that each individual resembles an ecosystem. The multiple panels represent the different parts of who we are as they collide but also work together to create a sense of harmony. The panels are interconnected but also breaking away from each other which is emblematic of the way we develop as our life continues.



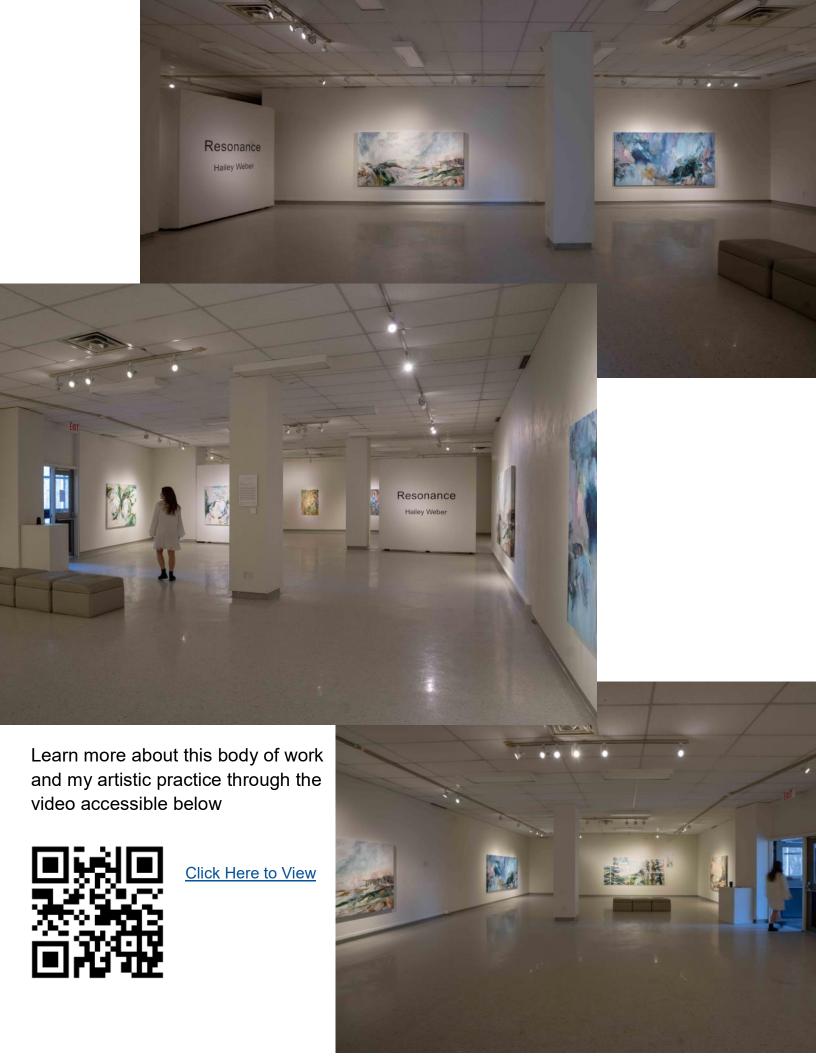


"wild is the wind that carries me home"

mixed media on canvas

48" x 72"

The experiences that define us can be wild. The white flowers are metaphorical for things lost and the colour growing around and through each flower symbolizes what has grown from each loss. The toughest moments are what carry us home, and often allow us to bloom even brighter than we could have before.



a Heartfelt Thank You





Something I learned very early on was that being an artist is really damn hard. I subsequently learned that most endeavours that are hard are often incredibly rewarding. I'll never be able to adequately thank you with words. Words won't do justice to how meaningful it felt to have 400 people come through to view my work. And beyond that, all the many years of interactions, likes, conversations, advice, and encouragement. I wouldn't be here without the community that lifts me up. Beyond thankful for this community as I finish this chapter of my BFA and embark on my next journey.

with nothing but love,