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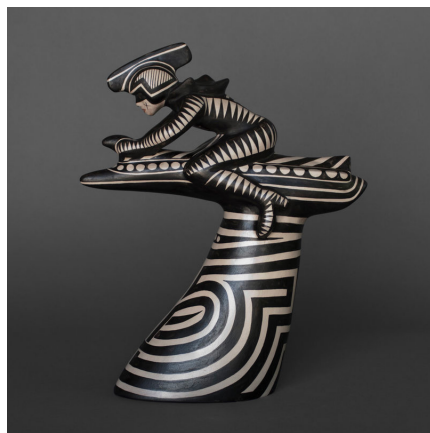
April 19th
5:00pm at the
CVA



Virgil Ortiz

About the Artist

Virgil Ortiz is a Pueblo artist known for his pottery and fashion design from Cochiti Pueblo, New Mexico. Ortiz makes a variety of pottery including traditional Cochiti figurative pottery, experimental figurative pottery, and traditional vessels. For nearly two decades Ortiz has told the story of the 1680 Pueblo Revolt through his artwork, simultaneously joining traditional pottery forms with sci-fi fantasy. His material choices and techniques draw from the past, while his imagery is both ultramodern and futuristic.



The Visiting Artist, Scholar & Designer Program fosters participation and collaboration with both the institution and the Metro community. An integral part of MSU Denver's mission, the Visiting Artist, Designer & Scholar Program is an invaluable resource for students, faculty, and the community. The Program is an interdisciplinary and culturally inclusive initiative, bringing nationally and internationally renowned artists, designers, and scholars to engage with the Department of Art. All lectures are free and open to the public and take place at the Center for Visual Art or online as Microsoft Teams live events.