What We Bring: New Immigrant Gifts

What We Bring: New Immigrant Gifts adds to the national dialogue on immigration, bringing into focus the cultural contributions of new immigrants. Focusing on the cultural contributions of immigrants who came to the U.S. in the fifty years since the Immigration Reform Act, What We Bring celebrates the rich layers of creativity, tradition, and increased cultural diversity that the law set in motion, especially in New York City, where six-in-ten residents are first generation or the children of immigrants.

January 7 – March 2

OPENING RECEPTION: THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2019 @ 6PM
Sangam: Confluence of Rivers presents Arts of the South Asian Diaspora, including Malini Srinivasan, Pritha Singh, and Chitra Singh

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2019 @ 2PM
Behind the Middle Passage: Stories and Songs about the Atlantic Slave Trade Performed By African Immigrants
Kewulay Kamara and West African Musicians

CLOSING EVENT: SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2019 @ 2PM
Ask Haifz: An Immigrant’s Journey, a storytelling, poetry, music, and dance performance telling the story of immigrant Sahar Muradi, describing her journey from Soviet-ruled Afghanistan to Queens

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