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Jerica Khosla Appointed as Director of Learning

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(PUEBLO, COLO JULY 9, 2021) The Sangre de Cristo Arts Center has appointed Pueblo native Jerica Khosla as Director of Learning. The Director of Learning oversees the operation of the Buell Children's Museum as well as artistic learning classes for children and adults. Khosla graduated from the University of Denver with a double B.A. in Theater and French, with a Distinction in Acting. She returned to Pueblo as the Drama Director at Centennial High School prior to joining the Arts Center.

"I have fond memories of attending the Arts Center with my family when I was a child, where I discovered my love of performing on the main stage," says Khosla, "My mantra has been to create a space where students can be challenged and feel comfortable taking artistic risks while being supported in a safe, compassionate environment."

CEO Jim Richerson states, "We are thrilled to welcome Jerica Khosla back home to the Arts Center. We are now seeing the next generation take the lead on our campus which is very exciting to us. Our mission, to provide artistic learning experiences for everyone, is central to our very existence. To have one of our own return to work at the Arts Center is very meaningful to us."

The Sangre de Cristo Arts Center and the Buell Children's Museum is open Wednesday – Saturday 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM and Sundays 12:00 Noon – 4:00 PM.

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About the Sangre de Cristo Arts Center:

The cultural hub of Southern Colorado, the Sangre de Cristo Arts Center gives visitors the tools to think and act creatively through a three building complex including seven galleries offering the best in historic and contemporary art by artists of local, regional and national renown. The Arts Center offers the Buell Children's Museum, recognized as the second-best for art by Child magazine, a 500-seat theater featuring a variety of performing arts programs, both local and national, and two gift shops. Over 100 fine arts, dance, and leisure classes are available quarterly providing unique offerings to everyone from children to adults of all skill levels. Admission to the Arts Center is \$10 for adults, \$8 for children, seniors 65+, and military. For more information, please call 719-295-7200; stop by the Arts Center located at 210 N. Santa Fe Ave., just off of I-25, exit 98B, or visit online at www.sdc-arts.org.

