

## Special Thanks

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## Tough Questions Café

**Peel's Arts and Culture: Canadian  
Enough, eh?**

November 26, 2013

5:30 pm - 8:00 p.m.

Art Gallery of Mississauga (AGM)

**AGM**  
ART GALLERY OF MISSISSAUGA

Promoting respect and equity within organizations and institutions  
for a respectful and harmonious community

## Event Schedule

**5:30 p.m.** Opening Remarks, Varsha Naik,  
RDR Chair

**5:45 p.m.** Tina Chu, Panelist #1

**5:55 p.m.** Gular Mustafa, Panelist #2

**6:05 p.m.** Linda Thomas, Panelist #3

**6:15 p.m.** Break

**6:25 p.m.** Discussion

**7:50 p.m.** Closing Remarks, Stuart Keeler,  
AGM Director

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## About our Speakers

### Tina Chu

Tina Chu is the AGM's Engagement Officer. She has been involved with the arts through collaborations with artists, galleries, and community groups, including McMaster University's Arts Matter and Artists Anonymous, Art Gallery of Hamilton, Hamilton Youth Arts Network, and Gallery 1313. At the AGM Tina forms and leads meaningful partnerships to cultivate the public's cultural literacy.

### Gular Mustafa

Gular Mustafa graduated from the Fine Art Academy in Baghdad. She lived in Netherlands for 15 years and studied art jewelry in Amsterdam. Her work has been exhibited in galleries and museums around the world and has been published in magazines and books about jewelry. She immigrated to Canada in 2012.

### Linda Thomas

Linda Thomas is the Director of the Mississauga Arts Council and has been a member for almost 14 years. She served as Executive Director of the Social Planning Council of Peel and Bereaved Families of Ontario. She has also acted as a consultant to the Peel Regional Police Sunshine Foundation. Linda has lived in Peel for over 30 years and is an active member of the Mississauga "Pops" Concert Band.

### Sarala Uttangi - Moderator

Sarala Uttangi is the Multicultural Services Coordinator at Brampton Library and has been instrumental in initiating and developing collaborative Library programs and services for the community. Sarala has been a member of the Regional Diversity Roundtable since 2005, contributing through working groups, steering committee and as a board member.