

MoMA PS1

Melissa Cody: Webbed Skies

Museu de Arte de São Paulo Assis Chateaubriand, São Paulo, October 20, 2023 - January 21, 2024

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Center Gallery

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Into the Depths, She Rappels

2023

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

87 × 51 9/16" (221 × 131 cm)

Gochman Family Collection

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

The Three Rivers

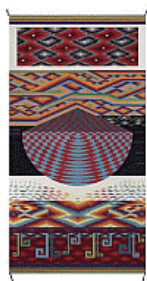
2021

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

127 × 42" (322.6 × 106.7 cm)

Collection Shah Garg

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

World Traveler

2014

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

90 × 48 7/8" (228.6 × 124.1 cm)

Stark Museum of Art. Purchase of Nelda C. and H. J. Lutcher Stark Foundation

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Walking Off No Water Mesa

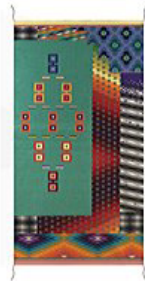
2021

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

127 × 38" (322.6 × 96.5 cm)

Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Untitled

2022

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

106 × 56" (269.2 × 142.2 cm)

Collection Ashton Alexander and John Kline

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Left Gallery

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Spider Woman Greet the Dawn

2013

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

16 1/2 × 27 1/2" (41.9 × 69.9 cm)

Collection Keet D'Arms, Atlanta

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Path of the Snake

2013

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

36 × 24" (91.4 × 61 cm)

Collection Suzanne and Walter G. Riedel III

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Photographic Memory

2010

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

32 × 22" (81.3 × 55.9 cm)

Collection Miles and Kimberly MacGregor, Los Angeles

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

The Carbidopa-Levodopa Release

2009

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

27 × 17" (68.6 × 43.2 cm)

Palm Springs Art Museum. Gift of L.J. Cella

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Deep Brain Stimulation

2011

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

40 × 30 3/4" (101.6 × 78.1 cm)

Minneapolis Institute of Art. The Patricia and Peter Frechette Endowment for Art Acquisition

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Dopamine Regression

2010

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

70 × 48" (177.8 × 121.9 cm)

Courtesy the artist and Garth Greenan Gallery, New York

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Coagulation

2010

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

27 × 27" (68.6 × 68.6 cm)

Collection Wanesia Spry and Fritz Casuse, Phoenix

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Pocketful of Rainbows

2019

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

19 × 10 3/4" (48.3 × 27.3 cm)

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Under Cover of Webbed Skies

2021

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

36 3/4 × 25 1/4" (93.3 × 64.1 cm)

Museu de Arte de São Paulo Assis Chateaubriand, Gift Alfredo Setubal and Rose Setubal

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

White Out

2012

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

21 1/4 × 17" (54 × 43.2 cm)

Collection Steven and Eileen Yazzie

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Lightning Storm

2012

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

20 × 14" (50.8 × 35.6 cm)

Charlene M. and William E. Woodcock Family Trust

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Germantown Sampler

2011

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

22 1/2 × 20 1/2" (57.2 × 52.1 cm)

Collection Kenneth and Anita Baldwin

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Egyptian Fields

circa 2011

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

34 1/16 × 23 1/16" (86.5 × 58.5 cm)

Collection Kevin and Jan Cody

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Navajo Tree of Life

2011

Vegetal dyes, and three-ply aniline dyed wool

24 × 20" (61 × 50.8 cm)

Collection Kevin and Jan Cody

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Right Gallery

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

I am Navajo Barbie

2012

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

15 × 15" (38.1 × 38.1 cm)

Courtesy the artist and Garth Greenan Gallery, New York

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Native American Art Magazine

2019

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

34 1/2 × 27" (87.6 × 68.6 cm)

Courtesy the artist and Garth Greenan Gallery, New York

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Home

2016

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

24 × 16" (61 × 40.6 cm)

Collection Adam and Melissa Gianotti

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Us Lust Dust

2013

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

37 × 16" (94 × 40.6 cm)

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Sweet lovable... You

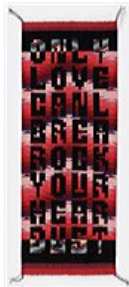
2016

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

27 × 43 1/2" (68.6 × 110.5 cm)

Collection Alain and David Macklovitch

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Only Love Can Break Your Heart (Dust)

2013

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

34 1/2 × 12 3/4" (87.6 × 32.4 cm)

Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence. Helen M. Danforth Acquisition Fund

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Scaling the Caverns

2023

Jacquard wool tapestry, and fringe aniline dyed wool

98 × 48" (248.9 × 121.9 cm)

Courtesy the artist and Garth Greenan Gallery, New York

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Power Up

2023

Jacquard wool tapestry

94 3/4 × 48 1/2" (240.7 × 123.2 cm)

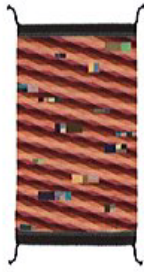
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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Dreamscape

2016

Wool warp, weft, selvedge cords, and aniline dyes

24 × 12" (61 × 30.5 cm)

Courtesy the artist and Garth Greenan Gallery, New York

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Cliff Dweller

2017

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

32 × 44" (81.3 × 111.8 cm)

Collection Miriam Weeks Schulman

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Navajo Transcendent

2014

Three-ply aniline dyed wool

19 1/8 × 21 1/16" (48.5 × 53.5 cm)

Collection Miguel Montgomery, Los Angeles

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Navajo Whirling Log

2019

Aniline dyed single-ply threads, and hand-dyed variegated wool

12 × 7" (30.5 × 17.8 cm)

Collection Antonio Mejia, Pomona

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Right Gallery (Vitrine)

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Batons

Component: 36 1/2 × 2 1/4 × 1/4" (92.7 × 5.7 × 0.6 cm)

Component: 29 1/2 × 1 5/8 × 1/4" (74.9 × 4.1 × 0.6 cm)

Component: 24 × 1 × 1/4" (61 × 2.5 × 0.6 cm)

Component: 24 × 1/2 × 1/8" (61 × 1.3 × 0.3 cm)

Component: 24 × 3/4 × 1/8" (61 × 1.9 × 0.3 cm)

Component: 23 × 1/2 × 1/4" (58.4 × 1.3 × 0.6 cm)

Component: 24 × 1 1/4 × 1 1/4" (61 × 3.1 × 3.2 cm)

Courtesy the artist

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Banded Blanket

1988

Vegetal-dyed wool

19 × 12" (48.3 × 30.5 cm)

Collection Alfred and Lola S. Cody

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Samples of Raw Wool

Dimensions variable

Courtesy the artist

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Samples of Aniline-Dyed Wool

Dimensions variable

Courtesy the artist

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Finishing Needles

Component: 8 × 2" (20.3 × 5.1 cm)

Component: 8 × 1/8" (20.3 × 0.3 cm)

Courtesy the artist

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MELISSA CODY (Navajo, born 1983)

Combs

Component: 5 3/4 × 1 × 1/2" (14.6 × 2.5 × 1.3 cm)

Component: 9 × 1 1/2 × 3/8" (22.9 × 3.8 × 1 cm)

Component: 9 1/2 × 2 × 5/8" (24.1 × 5.1 × 1.6 cm)

Component: 9 × 2 1/2 × 1/2" (22.9 × 6.4 × 1.3 cm)

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Courtesy the artist

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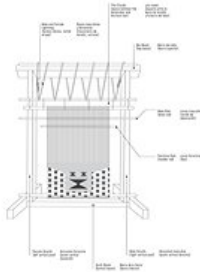
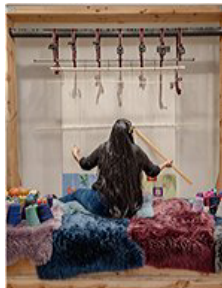


Diagram of an Upright Navajo Loom

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GRAHAM NYSTROM

Melissa Cody Working in Her Studio

Six inkjet prints on paper

Component: 6 × 8" (15.2 × 20.3 cm)

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