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Acknowledgment

This event was hosted by OCAD University in Toronto, Canada. OCAD University acknowledges the ancestral and traditional territories of the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Haudenosaunee, the Anishinaabe, and the Huron-Wendat, who are the original owners and custodians of the land on which we stand and create.

Because we gathered in a virtual space, we came together from many different traditional territories. And as you read the proceedings, our readers also stand on and come from multiple lands. So we would like to allow a moment for each one of you to acknowledge and consider the significance of where you are and your relationships to the lands and the original peoples who called that place home.

As Pivot has a commitment to decoloniality, we also acknowledge the several Indigenous persons worldwide who are murdered defending their lands every year. Dispossession of lands is not a tragic past, it is still happening.