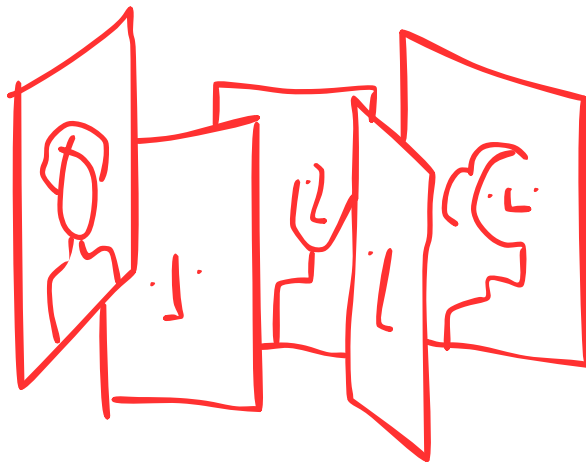


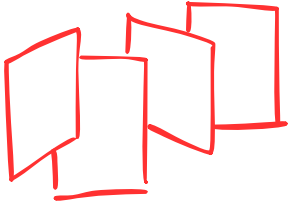
IDENTITIES

By Hidemi Takagi

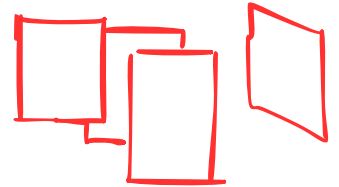


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How would you describe your identity?
Where is your family from, and how does
where you live shape who you are?



The Artwork

In *IDENTITIES*, Hidemi Takagi celebrates the stories behind our identities, with portraits of mixed race teenagers from New York City and around the world. Each portrait is carefully created with conversations and planning between Hidemi and the subject. You can listen to the conversations to learn more about these people.

The Artist

Hidemi Takagi's own life contains a mix of cultures and identities. She is an immigrant from Japan and is married to a Haitian partner. She is currently raising a biracial daughter in Brooklyn. As you can see in this exhibit, her identity is a big inspiration in her art work.

What Does Identity Mean to You?

Think about it- if you were taking a portrait with Hidemi, what would you wear? What would you bring with you? It could be an accessory, or sports equipment, an object or a special item of clothing. Where would you take your picture?