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MILA HAJJAR'S "I DECIDE. I DECIDED." - A Powerful Exploration of Empowerment at MIFA

Miami, FL – On September 5th, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m., Miami International Fine Arts (MIFA) will host the opening of the exhibition "I Decide. I Decided." by Italo-Venezuelan artist Mila Hajjar. Curatorial advice is provided by Aurora Molina, with text by Carola Bravo.

About the Exhibition: "I Decide. I Decided." is an impactful exhibition composed entirely of two-dimensional textile works and large-scale soft sculptures that delve into the complex theme of abuse of power in all its forms. Through her work, Hajjar explores how individual growth empowers us to break free from toxic ties and make our own decisions.

"These works reflect my personal journey," explains Mila Hajjar. "The audience will see themselves reflected in one or more situations, as most of us have been victims of some form of constraint, whether through political or religious abuses of power, family manipulation, or social and media pressures. The choice to use only textile art in this exhibition is symbolic: the past is unstitched, wounds are mended, toxic relationships are cut, and new ones are woven."

This exhibition marks a significant milestone in Hajjar's career, inviting viewers to reflect on their own experiences and find the courage to make decisions for themselves.

Event Details:

- **Date:** September 5, 2024
- **Time:** 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- **Venue:** Miami International Fine Arts (MIFA), Miami, FL

About Mila Hajjar: Mila Hajjar is an Italo-Venezuelan artist, architect, and writer committed to social issues and respect for nature. She employs various techniques, including acrylic, oil, encaustic, collage, and textile art. Her work has been exhibited internationally and awarded by several institutions. Her works can be found in museums such as the Museo Torre del Molino in Ischia, Italy; FIU in Miami, USA; and Museo Placido Maneiro in Venezuela. She maintains her studio in Coral Gables.

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About Miami International Fine Arts (MIFA): MIFA is a space dedicated to promoting art, providing a platform for visual and performing artists, and offering art classes for adults and children.

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