

## Comedian D'Lo To Headline Tasveer's First South Asian Community Storytelling Open Mic

[\*Reflections Through HEART - a CommUNITY Open Mic\*](#) is a free event at the Broadway Performance Hall in Seattle on September 24, 2022 at 7PM PST.

SEATTLE, Sept. 6, 2022 : [Tasveer](#) presents its first ever South Asian Community Open Mic Night: Reflections Through HEART - a CommUNITY Open Mic. Tasveer proudly brings to stage [D'LO](#): the queer/transgender Tamil-Sri Lankan-American comedian known for unapologetically challenging Hollywood to tell trans stories. The event will also feature South Asian American singer Ashavari along with a lineup of South Asian artists and storytellers from the Greater Seattle community. Reflections through HEART – a CommUNITY Open Mic Event provides an in-person platform along with training and resources to support South Asian artists presenting prose, poetry, comedy, music, performance art, improv or other forms of artistic expression.




**Presents:**

**Reflections through heART**  
Community Open Mic

September 24, 7 PM PST  
Broadway Performance Hall

**Featuring:**  
Tamil-Sri Lankan-American performer D'LO  
and singer Ashavari

Funded By:  Seattle Neighborhoods

Check out our FREE storytelling workshop on September 3rd  
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The CommUNITY Open Mic, supported by the City of Seattle Neighborhood Matching Fund, is a part of a continuing effort by Tasveer to meet the urgent need for spaces that celebrate and nurture budding BIPOC artists, particularly under-represented South Asian artists. In preparation, community members are invited to participate in a [free storytelling workshop](#) conducted by Seattle's longest running improv theater, [Unexpected Productions](#) on September 2nd.

*"The CommUNITY Open Mic is an important platform for artists who need a nurturing space to grow and also for the next generation of South Asian artists and storytellers to see themselves represented. We're thrilled to have D'Lo headlining our talent showcase, as a South Asian performer who has succeeded in exploring his artistry onscreen and onstage, in both grassroots and mainstream spaces. We believe that the impact of D'Lo's work serves as inspiration for upcoming artists in South Asian diaspora communities."* -Rita Meher, Tasveer Executive Director.

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