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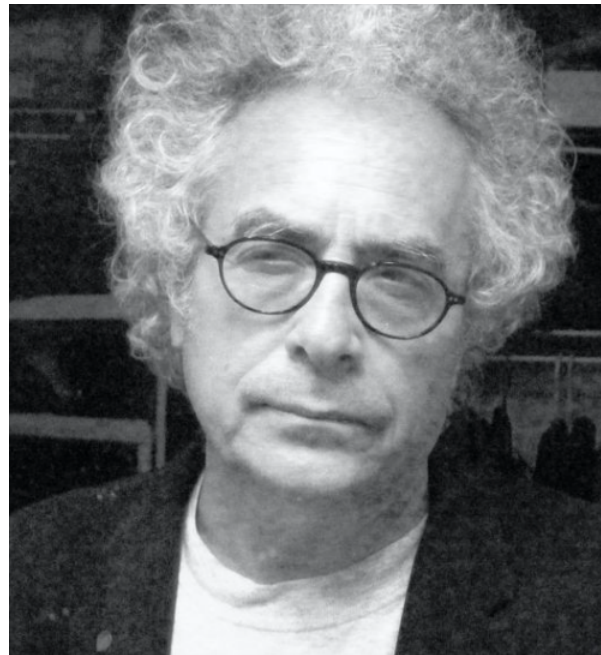
Jerry Ross Studios – Eugene Artist’s work now in NY Museum

“Portrait of Martin Sostre” moves into permanent collection at Burchfield Penny Museum

Buffalo, New York— 02/10/2021 — Jerry Ross, 1969 anti-war defendant, Chair of the Martin Sostre Defense Committee, arts activist from Eugene, Oregon, has portrait accepted into the Burchfield Penny Art Center in Buffalo.



Martin Ramirez Sostre



Jerry Ross

The painting was donated by collector Ron Ford (author, photographer) of Pennsylvania.

“Martin Sostre was a Black Puerto Rican anarchist, organizer, teacher, and former political prisoner. He was also an accomplished self-trained lawyer, who secured significant civil and religious rights for incarcerated people over nearly two decades inside New York state prisons.” -- Garrett Felber. Sostre was recently featured in the New York Times in “Overlooked No More: Martin Sostre, Who Reformed America’s Prisons From His Cell”.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2019/04/24/obituaries/martin-sostre-overlooked.html>

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