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"Remembering Our Leaders"

A copper etching of Dr. Cheddi Jagan and Dr. Walter Rodney, two essential figures in the history of Guyana and the Caribbean. How have they as historical figures shaped the contemporary Caribbean landscape? What role does this history play in the diaspora? In the diaspora, certain histories are excluded from our everyday life; this etching attempts to look at the process of remembering one's history.

Tiffany Gurprasad is a practicing artist and a Dean's List scholar at the University of Toronto majoring in Visual Studies and Caribbean Studies. Her work has been featured in various exhibits such as "Deconstruction" at Hart House and the Visual Studies annual show, "Eyeball". In 2010, Tiffany curated the group show "Tracing Sources" at the University of Toronto Art Centre. Focusing mainly on the Caribbean diaspora, Tiffany has worked extensively with painting, installation and intaglio printmaking.

Etching on Copper 6 x 17 2010

