



Great Basin-Inspired Art Exhibition Now Open

Between Earth & Sky: Exploring the Great Basin through the Eyes of Northern Nevada Artists at Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas



Artwork by Scott Hinton, *Black Rock Desert, Nevada*, digital photography, 36" x 24", 2019.

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A new exhibition is now on display at Nevada Humanities Program Gallery featuring paintings, photography, sculpture, and other artworks that explore the landscape and human experience of the Great Basin.

November 30, 2023—LAS VEGAS, NV—An exciting new exhibition of artworks inspired by the Great Basin is now on display at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas.

[*Between Earth & Sky: Exploring the Great Basin through the Eyes of Northern Nevada Artists*](#)

is on display from **November 30, 2023 – January 24, 2024**, at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery, which is located at 1017 South 1st Street, #190, in Las Vegas. *Between Earth & Sky* is curated by Rossitza Todorova, and this installment of the [*Nevada Humanities Exhibition Series*](#) explores the landscape of the Great Basin through painting, photography, sculpture, and mixed media by 13 artists, revealing perspectives on its expanse, fragmentation, and distinct vantage points, alongside the human experience of living in and exploring the Great Basin.

Artists featured as part of this exhibition include: Galen Brown, Grace Davis, Gerald Lee Franzen, Ahren Hertel, Scott Hinton, Asa Kennedy, Kirsten Mashinter, Melissa Melero-Moose, Elaine Parks, Austin Pratt, Gail Rappa, Rachel Stiff, and Sidne Teske. Each artist brings their unique approach and medium to explore the complexity of the Great Basin landscape, inviting viewers to experience the region in a new way.

“This exhibition is a tribute to Nevada and the high desert’s unique natural beauty that has inspired a wide range of artists who are creating distinctive artwork about the Great Basin,” said curator Rossitza Todorova who is a professional artist and a professor of art at Truckee Meadows Community College in Reno, Nevada.

“The open beauty of the Great Basin has long inspired creative investigations and representations of its landscapes and vistas,” said Christina Barr, executive director of Nevada Humanities. “This collection of works by artists who live in and explore the Great Basin gives us all an opportunity to understand our place within this vast and important ecosystem and our role as stewards and interpreters of this land.”

Join Nevada Humanities for a discussion about the *Between Earth & Sky* exhibition with the curator and guest artists from across Nevada via Zoom on **Thursday, January 11, 2024, from 6 to 7 pm PT**. Register for this online event at nevadahumanities.org.

Between Earth & Sky opens at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas on November 30, 2023, is on display as a virtual exhibition indefinitely at nevadahumanities.org, and is on display at the Program Gallery until January 24, 2024. Viewing hours at the Program Gallery are Tuesdays through Fridays from 1 to 4 pm PT and until 9 pm PT, the first Friday of the month for First Friday events at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery, 1017 South 1st Street, #190 in Las Vegas. Visitors may also make a viewing appointment by contacting Bobbie Ann Howell at bahowell@nevadahumanities.org or 702-800-4670. Visit nevadahumanities.org to learn more about this exhibition or use this QR code for more information.



About Nevada Humanities: Nevada Humanities is one of 56 independent, nonprofit state and territorial humanities councils that partner with the National Endowment for the Humanities. With offices in Reno and Las Vegas, Nevada Humanities creates public cultural programs and supports public cultural projects statewide that define the Nevada experience and facilitate the exploration of issues that matter to the people of Nevada and their communities. For more information about Nevada Humanities visit nevadahumanities.org.

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