the department of visual arts

Winter Schedule 2018

Looking Back
50th Anniversary Exhibition
January 8-30
Opening Reception: Saturday, January 13th > 7-9pm
Remarks: 7:30pm
The Department of Visual Arts at Western University continues to celebrate its 50th Anniversary with Looking Back, an exhibition featuring works from the McIntosh Gallery Permanent Collection.

This Looking Back Exhibition will also include a representative selection of publications by the Department’s art historians who, like their studio colleagues, have made a substantial contribution to their field.
Curated by Susan Edelstein & Tricia Johnson

Inward Outward
Western University Visual Arts Graduate Exhibition
February 8-14
Opening Reception: Thursday, February 8th > 5-7pm
Remarks: 6pm
Inward Outward is an exhibition of work by Western University’s Visual Arts Department’s graduate students. Claire Bertholon, Kate Currie-Thompson, Tyler Durante, Sharmista Karmakar, Graham Macaulay, Lydia Sansia, Matthew Traumman, Zhao Wang, Michelle Wilson, and Joy Wong.
Guest curated by MA students Regan Benner and Madeline Tripp

95% Invisible: The Art of Storage
February 1-15
Opening Reception: Thursday, February 1st > 5-7pm
Remarks: 6pm
95% Invisible: The Art of Storage will take visitors behind the scenes, exploring how objects are cared for, maintained, and occasionally warehoused in “deep storage,” never to be seen again.

@SENDERS Practicum Class Exhibition
March 23-April 10
Opening Reception: Friday, March 23rd > 6-8pm
Remarks: 7pm
@SENDERS brings together 16 graduating BFA students from Visual Arts Western. Working in mediums such as sculpture, painting, drawing, printmaking, installation and digital media, the artists will communicate their experiences, opinions, and ideas through their practices.

ArtLab Gallery Hours:
Monday-Friday: noon-6pm
Thursday: noon-9pm
For more information contact: Susan Edelstein, ArtLab Gallery Director at sedelst@uwo.ca

Department & ArtLab Events

Real Art Talks
February 8-13
Presentations: 7:30pm (doors open at 6:30pm)
Organized in collaboration with the ArtLab Gallery, students from Bealart will present a series of short lectures on their art practices.

Cohen Commons
February 8-14
A Proposal for the Incorporation of Synth-DIY and its Move into a Visual Arts Academy
Opening: Thursday, February 8th > 5-7pm
ArtLab Gallery Hours:
Monday-Friday: noon-6pm
Thursday: noon-9pm

Open Studios
February 8-9
Tour the studios of our graduate students, speak with the students and get an insider’s look at works in progress.

Filtered
March 8-15
Opening: Thursday, March 1st > 5-7pm
Remarks: 6pm
Curated by the Visual Arts Supporters Association (VASA), Filtered focuses on the ways in which digital technology shapes the way we think, interact with, and experience the world around us.

March Break Open House
Join in Saturday, March 10th to meet with our faculty, staff and students and learn why Western University offers Canada’s best student experience. To see student work go to our Department of Visual Arts website.