

confluence

EXPLORE OUR DIVERSE RELATIONSHIP WITH WATER

FEBRUARY 18 – DECEMBER 4, 2021 *Enjoy two EXHIBITIONS at the Utah Museum of Fine Arts!*

UTAH MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

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Wednesdays, 10am-8pm
Thursdays-Saturdays, 10am-5pm
(advance tickets required)

▪ **ACME Lab | Confluence**

Where does water in Salt Lake Valley come from? Where does it end up? In *Confluence* the Utah Museum of Fine Arts, in collaboration with six local organizations, explores this essential component of our daily life. From mountain streams to Great Salt Lake, the exhibition illuminates the idea of water – environmentally, culturally, and historically. Discover perspectives from Ute Spiritual Leader Larry Cesspooch, saltfront, Seven Canyons Trust, Natural History Museum of Utah, Great Salt Lake Institute at Westminster College, and Framework Arts that highlight our diverse relationship with water.

▪ **Permanent Galleries | Think Water Through Art**

The UMFA has a global collection that spans human creativity. Water is a universal theme that can be found in art from Africa to Europe to Asia. During the run of *Confluence*, explore how water plays a role in artwork by looking for special labels throughout the museum.

APRIL 17, 2021 | 1:00-4:00pm
At the Museum

Confluence Celebration

Explore local waterways in *Confluence* and through take-home activities and outdoor art explorations with the Museum and some of its exhibition partners.

ONLINE **Confluence Exhibition Self-Guide**

Explore *Confluence* in more depth with this self-guide that encourages close looking at the exhibit as well as activities to do outside – pick up one in the gallery or download a copy online at umfa.utah.edu/sites/default/files/2021-02/Confluence_Self-Guide.pdf

ONLINE **Third Saturday for Families | Make a Sketchbook**

The *Confluence* exhibition explores the idea of water from several perspectives. Where does water come from? Who uses it? How do we help keep our water systems healthy? Learn about water in the exhibition, and then create a sketchbook at home to record your own exploration of water. Find activity instructions at umfa.utah.edu/third-saturday-sketchbook

ONLINE **UMFA in the Wild | Make your own Watercolors**

Get outside to experience nature through art. Paint Utah's amazing landscapes with watercolors and brushes you make at home from natural materials. Find activity instructions online here umfa.utah.edu/watercolor-landscapesactivities

We are excited to welcome you to the UMFA! Face masks and social distancing are required at events and inside our building.

Confluence is part of *Think Water Utah*, a statewide collaboration and conversation on the critical topic of water presented by Utah Humanities and its partners. Find out more about statewide events as part of this project here:

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