

For immediate release: Museum of Art, University of New Hampshire presents
On the *EDGE* Exhibition
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DURHAM, NH -On the *EDGE* features drawings from 51 local artists who responded to the Museum of Art's open-call for submissions. The exhibition is currently on view through April 2, 2022, with a public reception to celebrate the closing of the exhibit on Thursday, March 31st 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.



Artists from New Hampshire, Maine, and Massachusetts submitted drawings created within the last two years that responded to the theme – “on the edge.” On the Edge implies a balancing act, a change in direction. The edge can be structural as in the separation between spaces or things or perceived in human terms: those on the margins, the fringe, or outsiders vs. insiders. On the Edge could open a dialogue on mental states, societal tension, or moments of equilibrium.

The Museum of Art received many entries and selected 62 works by 52

artists. The works simultaneously answer and question the theme and push boundaries of their own interpretation of “on the edge.”

Programs include three ArtBREAK artists talks featuring multiple artists from the exhibit. All talks occur on Zoom and require pre-registration.

Wednesday March 2nd 12:10 p.m.-1 p.m. Featuring: [Norajean Ferris](#), visual artist with work varying from bold realism to complex abstraction; New Hampshire printmaker [Sally Dion](#); and former UNH Lecturer of Art and Art History [Shiao-Ping Wang](#), whose work incorporates traditional and contemporary styles formed by intuition, memories, and experiences. [Register here.](#)

Wednesday March 9th 12:10 p.m.- 1 p.m. Featuring: painter, sculptor, and amateur ecologist, [Ashley Williams](#), who explores the relationship between art and nature; [Victoria Elbroch](#), who draws inspiration from trees and uses her art to address the current climate crisis; and [Allison Belolan](#) creator of mixed media and collage works which meditate on observations from the natural world. [Register here.](#)

Wednesday March 30th 12:10pm- 1pm. Featuring: painter [Tom Glover](#), UNH '84; Keene artist [Craig Stockwell](#), whose works show the meeting of gesture and formalism; and Lisa Addison, UNH '99, with a portfolio ranging from painting, installation, and drawing. [Register here.](#)

Exhibitions and accompanying programs are supported by [Friends of the Museum of Art](#). All exhibits and programs are free and open to the public.

The Museum of Art hours of operation during the academic year: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Thursday: 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday: 12 - 4 p.m., Closed Sunday; closed University holidays. Follow and subscribe to the Museum of Art on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [YouTube](#), and [Instagram](#). Masks are required in the Museum and the Paul Creative Arts Center where the Museum is located.



Image Credits: top left: Norajeane Ferris, *On these Pandemic Streets...*, 2021, pen, pastel, marker, and ink. Above right: Victoria Elbroch, *Nature On the Edge*, 2021, ink on paper. Below: Tom Glover, *Turmoil #1*, 2021, acrylic, gouache, and charcoal.



Exhibiting artists include:

Lisa Addison, Rollinsford, New Hampshire

Madison Albanese, Durham, New Hampshire

Allison Belolan, Mamaroneck, New York

Ben Berube, Nashua, New Hampshire

Kristine Biegel, Gorham, Maine

Christina Boutin, York, Maine

Greg Mason Burns, Brunswick, Maine

Peter Cady, Rye, New Hampshire

Joe Caruso, Charlestown, Massachusetts

Brian Chu, Somersworth, New Hampshire

James Chute, Freeport, Maine

Jane Cohen, Canterbury, New Hampshire

Nancy R. Davison, York, Maine

Matt Demers, Gardiner, Maine

Sally Dion, Derry, New Hampshire

David Donovan, Manchester, New Hampshire

Johanne Durocher, Kittery Point, Maine
Daniela Edstrom, Allenstown, New Hampshire
Victoria Elbroch, Kittery, Maine
Norajean Ferris, Portland, Maine
Marina Forbes, Rochester, New Hampshire
Julia Gittes, Durham, New Hampshire
Tom Glover, Rollinsford, New Hampshire
Anna Gun, Stratham, New Hampshire
Kate Higley, Eliot, Maine
Wayne Hopkins, Greenfield, Massachusetts
Eric Katzman, Portsmouth, New Hampshire
Colleen Kiely, Medford Massachusetts
Kris Lanzer, Dover, New Hampshire
Julianne LaRue, Exeter, New Hampshire
David Martsof, Windham, New Hampshire
Jennifer Minicucci, East Kingston, New Hampshire
K. Lee Mock, Hudson, New Hampshire
Carol Moses, Cambridge Massachusetts
Julio Muñoz Uribe, Ossipee, New Hampshire
Carrie Nixon, Worcester, Massachusetts
Thomas Perkins, Center Conway, New Hampshire
Rachelle Royer-Llamas, Conway, New Hampshire
Roland Salazar Rose, Biddeford, Maine
Judith Ellen Sanders, Lexington, Massachusetts
Kathryn Shagas, Belfast, Maine
Craig Stockwell, Keene, New Hampshire
Kirk Trombley, Durham, New Hampshire
Deb Vendetti, Rockport, Maine
August Ventimiglia, Wellesley, Massachusetts
Miranda Vitello, Cambridge Massachusetts
Shiao-Ping Wang, Somersworth, New Hampshire
Rebecca Waterhouse, North Adams, Massachusetts
Joyce Ellen Weinstein, Westbrook, Maine
Ashley Williams, South Hadley, Massachusetts
Cathy Wysocki, Greenfield, Massachusetts

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