Welcome to our new season of free public programs!

Picnic Day
Saturday, April 23 | 10 AM–5 PM | Manetti Shrem Museum

Stop by the Manetti Shrem Museum on Picnic Day for art viewing and art making! Join us under the Grand Canopy for creative activities in the shade. Head inside to experience From Moment to Movement: Picturing Protest in the Kramlich Collection, and the final few weeks of Mary Heilmann: Squaring Davis and William T. Wiley and the Slant Step: All On the Line.

ARTS & HUMANITIES 2022
GRADUATE EXHIBITION

Opening Celebration
Thursday, June 2
6–9 PM
Manetti Shrem Museum

UC Davis graduate students in the Arts and Humanities present their work at the Manetti Shrem Museum. The opening celebration features performances by master’s and doctoral students, as well as the presentation of the inaugural LeShelle and Gary May Art Purchase Prize, Keister & Allen Art Purchase Prize and the Savageau Award in the Department of Design.

The 2022 Annual Art History Graduate Colloquium
Friday, June 3
3–6 PM
Manetti Shrem Museum

Learn about this year’s UC Davis Art History master’s degree candidates through the presentation of their thesis work. Lectures are followed by the 2022 Art History Undergraduate Awards and reception.
CO-SPONSORED PROGRAMS

All programs take place at the Manetti Shrem Museum. Visit manettishrem.org for full descriptions and visitor protocols.

The California Studio
Beatriz Cortez
Thursday, April 14
4:30 PM
Organized by The California Studio in the Department of Art and Art History. Co-sponsored by the Manetti Shrem Museum.

The Eugene Lunn Memorial Lecture
Maya Phillips: Storytelling in the Multiverse of Madness
Thursday, May 5
4 PM
Organized by the UC Davis Department of History. Co-sponsored by the Manetti Shrem Museum.

The Betty Jean and Wayne Thiebaud Endowed Lecture
Wangechi Mutu
Thursday, May 12
4:30 PM
Organized by the Department of Art and Art History. Co-sponsored by the Manetti Shrem Museum.

Department of Art and Art History Visiting Artist Lecture Series
Connie Butler
Thursday, May 19
4:30 PM
Organized by the Department of Art and Art History. Co-sponsored by the UC Davis College of Letters and Science and the Manetti Shrem Museum.

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