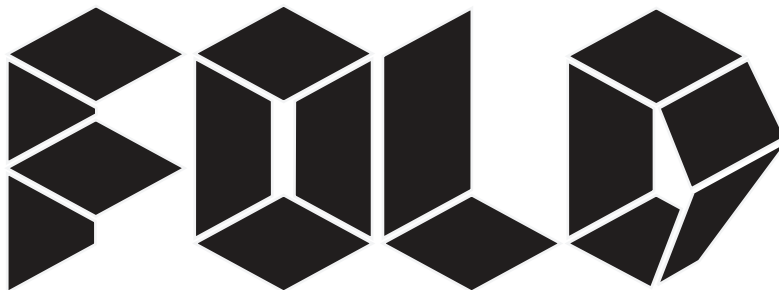


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Giannina Coppiano Dwin
Title: Like the Ocean, Medium, Performance,
Salt Installation/Performance, Size: Variable
Year: 2018

FOLD features an exhibition of contemporary works by thirteen female artists and lectures by seven scholars from different disciplines in the arts, humanities, social sciences and physical sciences, who each explore the concept of the fold in terms of form and conceptual metaphor.



Art, Metaphor and Practice



Events are free and open to the public

FOLD Calendar

February 2 – April 1, 2018



Exhibition 1

Location: **International Museum of Art and Science (IMAS)**

Address: **1900 W Nolana Ave, McAllen, Texas 78504**

Phone number: **956-682-0123**

<http://theimasonline.org>

Artists: **Laleh Mehran, Sibel Kocabaşı, Giannina Coppaino Dwin, and Anja Marais**

Exhibition dates: **February 2 - April 1, 2018**

Opening reception: **Friday, February 2, 2018 | 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Exhibition 2

Location: **Visual Art Gallery at University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (UTRGV)**

Address: **2412 S. Clossner Blvd. Edinburg, TX 78539**

Phone number: **956-662-3480**

<http://www.utrgv.edu>

Artists: **Linda Behar, Isabel Gouveia, Rojhaneh Hosseini, Dorothea Grace Lemeh, and Amber Scoon**

Exhibition dates: **February 15 - March 29, 2018**

Opening reception: **Thursday, February 22, 2018 | 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Exhibition 3

Location: **Visitors Center at UTRGV**

Address: **1201 W University Dr, Edinburg, TX 78539**

Phone Number: **956-665-2353**

<https://calendar.utrgv.edu>

Artists: **Misoo Filan, Gulia Huber, Sibel Kocabaşı, and Golnar Shahyar**

Exhibition dates: **February 27 - March 30, 2018**

Opening reception: **Tuesday, February 27, 2018 | 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.**

PERFORMANCE

Location: **Performing Arts Complex at UTRGV**

Address: **1201 West University Dr, Edinburg, Texas, 78539**

Phone Number: **956-665-3881**

www.patron.utrgv.edu

Artist: **Niurca Marquez | Flamenco Dancer Jose Luis de la Paz | Guitar**

Time: **Monday, February 26, 2018 | 7 p.m.**

FOLD ARTIST TALK

Laleh Mehran

Professor, Emergent Digital Practices
University of Denver

Title: "Calculations to Enfold: conversation with the artist and curator"

Location: International Museum of Art and Science (IMAS) | McAllen

Time: Friday, February 2, 2018 | 5:30 p.m.

Giannina Coppiano Dwin

Title: "Playing with Food"

Location: School of Art | Edinburg

Time: Tuesday January 30, 2018 | 5:00 p.m.

FOLD LECTURES

Faculty presenter: Dr. Riccardo Pizzinato

Assistant Professor of Art History

School of Art at UTRGV

Lecture's title: "Fold as Meaning in Medieval Art"

Location: School of Art | Edinburg

Time: Thursday, March 8, 2018 | 4:00 – 05:00 p.m.

Lecturer: Dr. Brian McConnell

Professor of Art History & Classical Archaeology
Department of Visual Arts & Art History, School of the Arts, Florida Atlantic University

Lecture's title: "FOLD: Let the Metaphor Reveal"

Location: School of Art | Edinburg

Time: Thursday, March 22, 2018 | 12:00 p.m.

Faculty Presenter: Dr. Katherine McAllen

Assistant Professor of Art History

School of Art at UTRGV

Lecture's title: "Luxuries of Trade: Folding Screens in Colonial Latin America"

Location: International Museum of Art and Science (IMAS) | McAllen

Time: Saturday March 31, 2018 | 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

PANEL DISCUSSION

Unfolding Social Issues

Location: Visitor Center at UTRGV | Edinburg

Time: Tuesdays, February 26, 2018 | 5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

UTRGV Faculty Presenters :

Panel Moderator: **Dr. Friederke Brühöfener**

Assistant Professor, Department of History

Assistant Program Director, Gender and Women's Studies Program

Panelists :

Dr. Young Rae Oum

Lecturer

Department of Sociology and Anthropology

Title of the paper: "Immigrant Identities in the Folds of Narratives "

Dr. Ruby Charak

Assistant Professor of Psychology

Department of Psychological Science

Title of the paper: "Caught in the Folds of Sexual (Re) Victimization "

Dr. Cathryn Merla-Watson

Assistant professor in the literatures and Cultural Studies

Department of Literatures and Cultural Studies

Title of the paper: "Difference, Feminism, and FOLD "

Dr. Mariana Alessandri

Assistant Professor of Philosophy and Mexican

- American Studies

Department of Philosophy

Title of the paper: "Unfolding the UTRGV students "