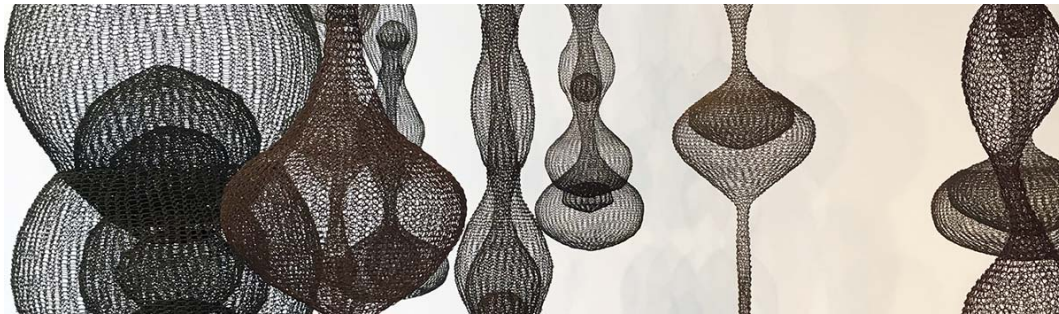


Nine Exhibitions Not to Miss This Spring

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We've selected nine exhibitions across Los Angeles that you will not want to miss!

From art icons such as Robert Mapplethorpe and Marcel Duchamp, to historic Japanese photography, and American baseball... LA's cultural landscape has got something for everyone.

(Plus, don't forget to visit our [Free Days List](#) to see if the venue you choose offers free admission.)

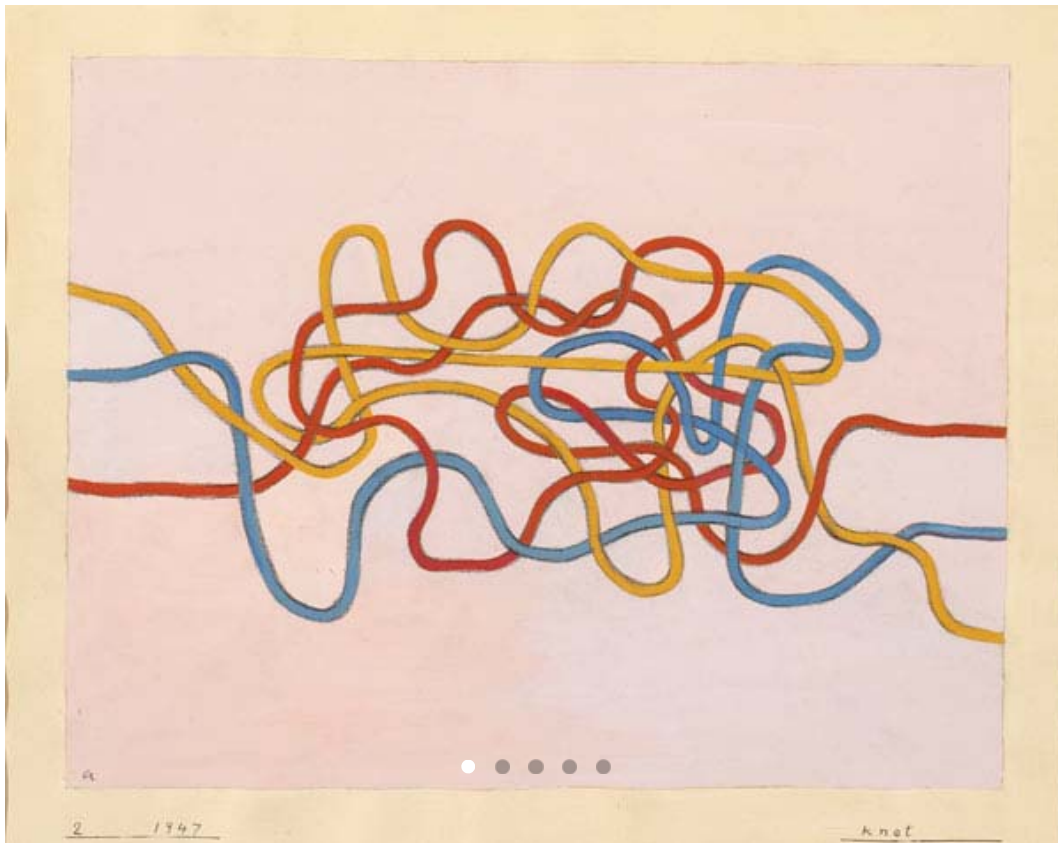
BE INSPIRED

1. Leap Before You Look: Black Mountain College 1933-1957

On view through May 15, 2016

[Hammer Museum](#)

The first comprehensive museum exhibition in the United States about the experimental liberal arts college where influential artists such as Robert Rauschenberg, John Cage, Josef and Anni Albers, and Merce Cunningham studied and taught.



2. Come In: DTLA!

March 24 – June 23, 2016
[A+D Architecture and Design Museum](#)

Explore the minds and studios of the most cutting edge, innovative designers of Los Angeles – from architecture, products, graphics, fashion, murals, and more.



LOST HISTORY

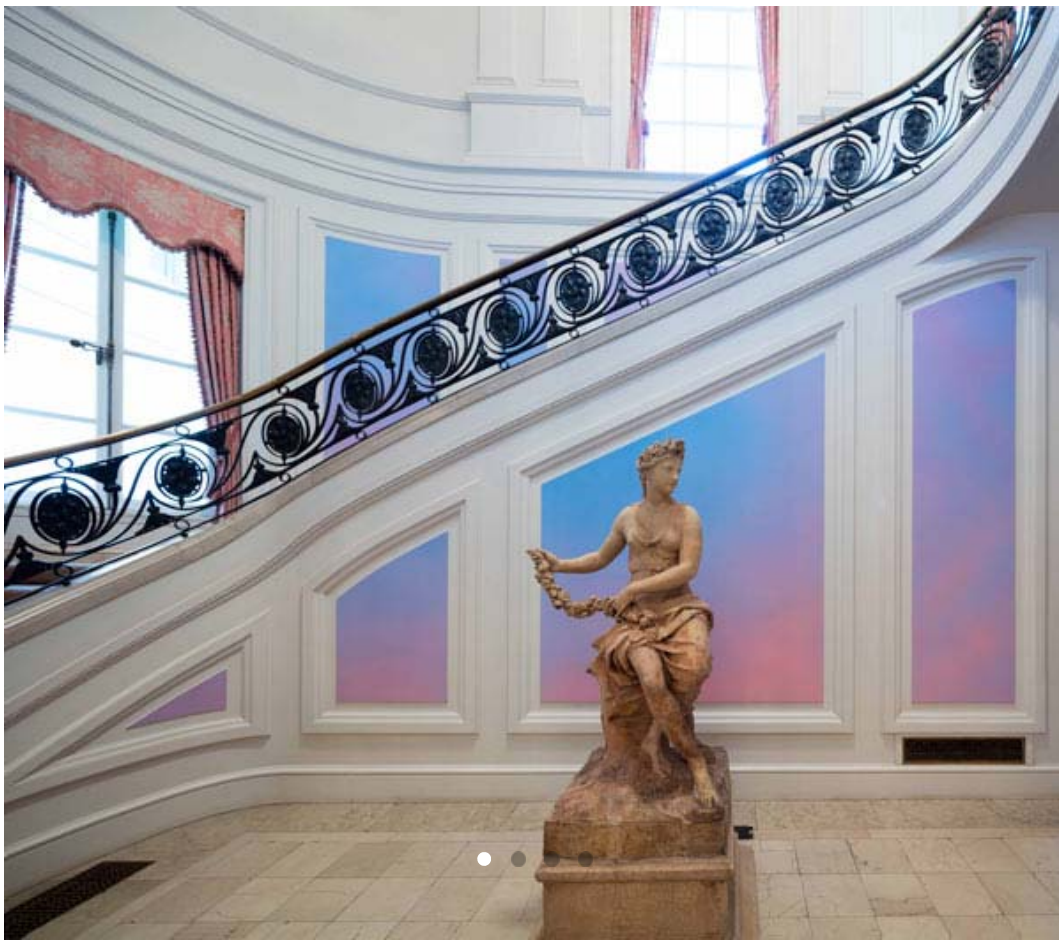
3. Making Waves: Japanese American Photography, 1920 – 1940

On view through June 26, 2016
[Japanese American National Museum \(JANM\)](#)

Many of the greatest avant-garde photographs of the early twentieth century were produced by young Japanese Americans on the West coast of the United States between the two World Wars. Unfortunately, most of their work was lost or destroyed when Japanese Americans were sent to concentration camps following Pearl Harbor. This exhibition is dedicated to some of the incredible works that remain.







GENERATION GAP

4. Alex Israel

On view through July 11, 2016
[The Huntington Art Gallery](#)

LA artist Alex Israel takes over The Huntington's celebrated European art collection. Israel's sculptures and paintings are strategically placed throughout the classical inspired galleries, creating an intervention and discourse between the the new and the old.



5. Robert Mapplethorpe: The Perfect Medium

On view through July 31, 2016

[Getty Center](#)
[LACMA](#)

Robert Mapplethorpe is among the most influential visual artists of the late twentieth century. This two-venue retrospective includes over 300 of Mapplethorpe's works, exploring themes of gender, race and sexuality.





TRAILBLAZER

6. Duchamp to Pop

On view through August 29, 2016

[Norton Simon](#)

Marcel Duchamp was a pioneer of the Pop Art movement and a pivotal influence of great artists such as Andy Warhol, Jim Dine, Ed Ruscha and others. Enjoy their eye catching works and see the American art evolution that took place.



WOMEN RULE

7. Revolution in the Making: Abstract Sculpture by Women, 1947 – 2016

On view through September 4, 2016

[Hauser, Wirth & Schimmel](#)

For it's inaugural exhibition, downtown LA's hottest new art space presents a historic display of nearly 100 works made by 34 woman artists.





WELL ROUNDED

8. Claire Falkenstein: Beyond Sculpture

April 17–September 11, 2016

[Pasadena Museum of California Art \(PMCA\)](#)

Falkenstein's body of work goes far beyond the sculpture she is best known for. This comprehensive exhibition includes examples of her extensive career including sculpture, printmaking, jewelry, glass, film, murals, and monumental architectural commissions.



9. Chasing Dreams: Baseball and Becoming American

April 7–October 30, 2016

[Skirball Cultural Center](#)

A celebration of America's favorite pastime, *Chasing Dreams* highlights the role of baseball's diverse game changers, who challenged the status-quo and inspired the nation.

[Join our "Chasing Dreams" VIP Tour & "The Sandlot" Screening on April 8!](#)

