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University of Arizona



An exhibition of art, created from and inspired by the solar system and the scientific data with which we explore it.



All volunteer effort, all graduate students, going on year 3!

Support for the event also comes from LPL and the Space Imaging Center.



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OCTOBER 17-19, 2014

OPENING RECEPTION FRIDAY, OCT. 17TH 2014, FROM 5-9PM
WEEKEND HOURS: SATURDAY & SUNDAY, OCT. 18-19TH 2014, FROM 1-5PM
LOCATION, KUIPER SPACE SCIENCES BLDG., 1629 E. UNIVERSITY BLVD., UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA CAMPUS

Open competition for artists and scientists of all levels and types

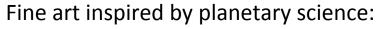
SUBMISSIONS DUE BY SEPTEMBER 19TH 2014

For an exhibition prospectus and event information visit: www.lpl.arizona.edu/art









Paintings

Drawings

Digital/Print

Photography

Sculpture

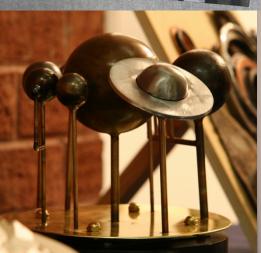
Glass

Textiles

Poetry

Film













Art created from or representing scientific data/ideas: spacecraft, laboratory, observation images figures from papers images of scientific equations incorporation of data into artwork









Creating knowledge requires creativity.

Knowledge is useful, but also beautiful in the same way that art is.







Outreach Scope

The Adult Community

The Art Community

The Business Community

Adults have control over how science is viewed in society, and over public policy.







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Creation of Knowledge vs. Creation of Self-expression:

How does the art community view science? How do they see what we do? What inspires them?





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The Business Community

Made connections between the department and variety of businesses and organizations:

Flandrau Planetarium

Tucson Museum of Art

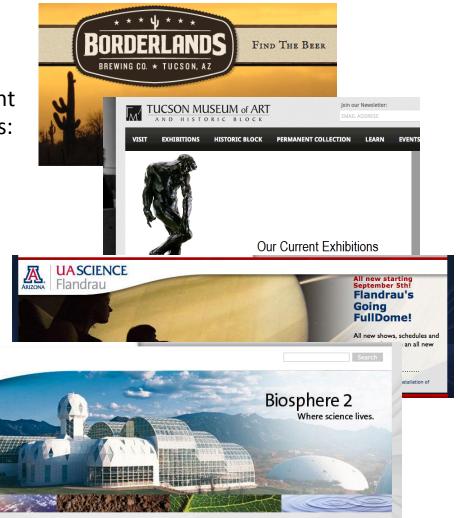
DPS (in the exhibit hall!)

Borderlands Brewing Co.

Biosphere 2

Skybar

...and more!





Who participated?

Artists and Scientists

Public Attendance and Reception

90 artists and scientists submitted artwork!

Artists (mostly local)

Professionals and amateurs

Scientists and graduate students

Science and non-science undergraduate students

We displayed over 200 pieces of artwork, on three floors of the Lunar and Planetary Laboratory.







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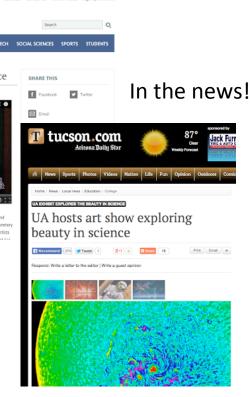
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Event Length:
Soft Opening Thursday
Friday Night Opening Reception
Saturday and Sunday daytime hours









Lower limit estimates indicate we had at least 800 people come through the doors!





Future Plans?

Keep building!!