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Artists Council collaboration with UCR Palm Desert will be one of the largest exhibitions of Coachella Valley artists

PALM DESERT — A unique collaboration between the University of California, Riverside-Palm Desert Center and the Palm Springs Art Museum Artists Council will result in one of the largest ever exhibitions of local, living artists in the Coachella Valley.

This large-scale exhibition, “Artistic Expressions,” features only Artists Council members and is designed to engage, educate, and enlighten the community in the Coachella Valley. This is a curated but non-juried show, representing a variety of artistic styles and media for the general public.

The community is invited to attend an opening reception from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 3 at UCR Palm Desert Center, 75080 Frank Sinatra Drive. The event will feature light refreshments, and many of the artists will be in attendance.

“Artistic Expressions” will be on display from March 3 to April 22 at UCR Palm Desert Center. A special morning of art demonstrations will take place from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Saturday, April 9, also at UCR Palm Desert Center.

About the Palm Springs Art Museum Artists Council: More than 400 members make up the Palm Springs Art Museum Artists Council, many of whom are professional artists. The council is dedicated to arts activities, including exhibitions and workshops, programs that encourage fellowship among the arts communities, and promoting the roles of artists in the Coachella Valley. All council proceeds support Palm Springs Art Museum’s exhibitions, acquisitions, and general operations.

About UCR Palm Desert: Established as a teaching and research center, UCR Palm Desert is a catalyst for diversification of the inland desert region by providing relevant regional research, offering innovative graduate programs that attract and retain world class talent to the region, convening and creating partnerships that advance the public good, and impacting the cultural life of the community.

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