

# Exhibit opens featuring new work by Sarah Bird

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**L**A GRANDE — Art Center East is now featuring works by local oil painter Sarah Bird in the main gallery. The show opened Feb. 4 and continues through March 26.

Bird developed her own techniques in oil painting after graduating in 2014 from New York-based Grand Central Atelier, where she undertook a four-year intensive course of study in traditional realism and authentic classical art.

"New Works by Sarah Bird" showcase Bird's oil paintings of traditional altar-like arrangements of natural objects set against cloth backgrounds and also her nontraditional landscape compositions of plants, leaves and branches.

Bird's original oil paintings have been shown in Los Angeles, Massachusetts, New York and Rhode Island. She is currently a Master of Fine Arts candidate at Sierra Nevada University.



Sarah Bird

There will be a closing reception for the show on Friday, March 11, from 6-8 p.m. All are welcome at this free event at ACE, 1006 Penn Ave.

Find out more about this exhibit and other events at [artcentereast.org](http://artcentereast.org).

ACE is open Wednesday-Friday, noon-5 p.m., and Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Exhibits can also be viewed online at [artcentereast.org](http://artcentereast.org) thanks to a partnership with John J. Howard Real Estate. Art Center East galleries are open to the public and admission is free.



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Oil painter Sarah Bird is the featured artist in Art Center East's main gallery through March 26.



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