

PAUL RUDOLPH AND UMASS DARTMOUTH April 16-28, 2018

CVPA Campus Gallery (Parking Lots: 7, 8, or 9)

Explore UMass Dartmouth's unique mid-century modern campus through photographs, drawings and 3-d models. Designed by Paul Rudolph, critics consider this public university an architectural gem. Lead curators, Dr. Anna M. Dempsey & Allison J. Cywin, along with their curatorial team of animators, graphic designers, artists and historians, situate the campus' architectural aesthetics within the period's cultural history and politics. The exhibition will also feature Viera Levitt's Brutalist buildings and Michael Swartz's spherical photographs of UMass Dartmouth LARTS building.

OPENING RECEPTION & PRESENTATION April 18, 2018 (4:00 – 6:30)

The AR/VR Mobile Tour Initiative of Paul Rudolph's Campus

The opening will include a short introduction to Paul Rudolph's design for the campus and will feature highlights from the augmented reality/virtual reality mobile project of the UMass Dartmouth campus sponsored by UMass President's Office Creative Economy Grant.

LARTS BUILDING NOMINATION TO THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES April 23, 2018 (4:00-5:30)

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Should we nominate UMass Dartmouth's LARTS building to the National Register of Historic Places? The register is a list of the nation's architectural gems—such as the Thomas Jefferson Memorial. Brown University's Dr. Marisa Angell Brown and her graduate students will discuss their nomination of Paul Rudolph's architectural masterpiece to this registry.

CONCRETOPIA April 18 2018 (6:00)

University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, College of Visual and Performing Arts, Rm 153

Join us for Concretopia by William Lepczyk. Shot on location at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, the film showcases the visionary beauty of Paul Rudolph's 1963 SMTI design (now UMASS Dartmouth) campus.

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