

For Immediate Release: May 15, 2019

***The Experiment* Opens at Dunlop Art Gallery**

The natural world takes centre stage in *The Experiment*, a new group exhibition opening at Central Library on Friday, May 17.

The Experiment brings together artists who work in collaboration with nature and rely on natural processes to make their work. At various points in the creative process, each artist created conditions where their works were left to develop according to the laws of nature, without artist intervention.

“For me what is most interesting about this exhibition is that it demonstrates that art and science are so highly connected,” said Wendy Peart, Curator of Education and Community Outreach. “Both practices are driven essentially by the same thing, a deep curiosity and a desire to know more.”

Featuring works ranging from photos of neural stem cells to a living portrait of Wascana Lake created from local mud, water and microbes, *The Experiment* reminds viewers of the existence of entities that are larger and more powerful than human forces. It encourages its audience to look more closely, and think more deeply, about the natural world and humanity’s relationship to it.

The Experiment opens at 6:00pm on Friday, May 17 with an artist talk with Nicole Clouston in the RPL Film Theatre. A reception will follow at 7:00pm in Central Gallery, where the exhibition will run until June 30.

For more information about Dunlop Art Gallery exhibitions, please visit www.reginalibrary.ca.

-30-

Media contact:

Brandi Book
Marketing and Communications Consultant
Regina Public Library
bbook@reginalibrary.ca
306.777.6182