

WTS International

Art in Your Community: Black History Month 2024

The WTS International team has researched and created a list of activities, museums, and public works by Black Artists in your geographic area. This is a starting reference point for our members as we celebrate and reflect on this year's Black History Month theme "African Americans in the

Arts." Share your own suggestions and discoveries on social media using hashtags **#WTSBHM24**, **#BHM2024**, **#BlackHistoryMonth2024**; **#CelebrateBlackHistory**; and **#CelebratingBlackArt**.

- **Arkansas** – [Mosaic Templars Cultural Center](#) (Little Rock); Muralist [Adaja Cooper](#)
- **Atlanta** – [Blackout Market](#) (Lawrenceville); [ZuCot Gallery](#) (Atlanta)
- **Baltimore** – [Uncovering 'Ghost Rivers'; Baltimore Neighborhood Murals](#)
- **Boston** – ["For Boston's Black artists, the City is a Canvas"; Phillis Wheatley: The unsung Black poet who shaped the US](#)
- **Central California** – [Public Art in Fresno](#)
- **Central Pennsylvania** – [Black muralists](#) (Harrisburg)
- **Central Virginia** – [Climate Justice Mural: Jae Johnson](#) (Charlottesville), [Sahar Clemons "Say Her Name" mural](#) (Charlottesville), [Christina Davis mural](#) (Lynchburg), [WattsStax Film Screening](#) (Charlottesville)
- **Charlotte Metro** – [Nellie Ashford](#) (Charlotte Douglas Intl Airport/Charlotte)
- **Chicago** – [Shinique Smith](#); [Growing Englewood](#); [CTA's Public Art Catalog](#)
- **Colorado** – [Denver public arts pieces by black artists](#) (Denver); [Denver Public Art](#) (Denver)
- **Columbus** – [Public places in Columbus to explore Black history](#)
- **Connecticut** – [Ed Johnetta Miller](#) (Hartford)
- **Delaware** – [Edward Loper: Mitchell Center for African American Heritage](#) (Wilmington)
- **Florida** – [Story of the Highwaymen](#); [Caron Bowman](#) (West Palm Beach); [Jacksonville's early Black architects](#) (Jacksonville)
- **Baton Rouge** – [Museum of Public Art](#)
- **Dallas/Fort Worth** – [African American Museum of Dallas](#) (Dallas); [Daisha Board Gallery](#) (Dallas)
- **Hampton Roads** – [Pure Lagos Gallery](#) (Norfolk)
- **Hawaii** – [Afro Aloha](#); [Forward Together: African American Prints from the Jean and Robert Steele Collection](#) (Honolulu)
- **Heart of Texas** – [Black History Walk Takes Tour of Waco's Past](#) (Waco)

- **Houston** – [Houston Museum of African American Culture; Kinsey African American Art & History Collection](#)
- **Indianapolis** – [Indianapolis murals that celebrate Black history and culture](#)
- **California's Inland Empire** – [Power of the Press: Black Voice News](#) (San Bernadino)
- **Iowa** – [Oracles of Iowa City, Kerry James Marshall: Monumental Journey](#) (Des Moines)
- **Kansas City** – [Kwanza Humphrey exhibit at Kansas City Airport](#)
- **Kentucky** – [E&S Gallery](#) (Louisville)
- **Los Angeles** – [Black Artists and the LA Metro System; Maren Hassinger](#)
- **Maine** – [Titi de Baccarat](#) (Portland)
- **Phoenix** – [Inside Phoenix's first Black-owned art gallery](#) ; [Black History Mural Project](#)
- **Michigan** – [Regeneration: Black Cinema, 1898–1971](#) (Detroit); [Mott Warsh Collection](#) (Flint)
- **Middle Tennessee** – [National Museum of African American Music](#) (Nashville); [Woodcuts Gallery and Framing](#) (Nashville)
- **Minnesota** – [Lissa Karpeh](#) (Minneapolis)
- **Mississippi** – [New Symphony Of Time](#) (Jackson); [The L.V. Hull Home and Studio](#) (Kosciusko)
- **Montreal** – [Shop with Librairie Racines](#)
- **NC Triangle** – [Celebrate Black Artists in the Triangle; Murals That Honor Black History and Culture](#) (Raleigh)
- **Nebraska** – [Black American Community Mural](#) (South Omaha); [Great Plains Black History Museum](#) (Omaha)
- **Nevada** – [April Bey: Atlantica, The Gilda Region](#) (Reno); [The Smith Center](#) (Las Vegas)
- **New Hampshire** – [Black Heritage Trail](#)
- **New Jersey** – [Arts Garage African American Heritage Museum](#) (Atlantic City); [Century: 100 Years of Black Art at MAM](#) (Montclair)
- **New Orleans** – [Stella Jones Gallery; Wangechi Mutu: Intertwined](#)
- **New York** – [Public Art Fund](#) (NYC)
- **North Dakota** – [Stories of Black History in Clay County](#) (Fargo)
- **Northeast Ohio** – [Deep Roots Experience](#) (Cleveland)
- **Utah** - [Lamont Joseph White: Skiing in Color](#)
- **Oklahoma Chapter** – [Descendants of the Black 1000](#) (Oklahoma City); [Greenwood Rising](#) (Tulsa)
- **Orange County** – [Tony Lewis: CASUAL T](#) (Costa Mesa)
- **Philadelphia** – [Barbara Bullock \(SEPTA/Philly\); Association for Public Art](#)
- **Pittsburgh** – [In Sharp Focus: Charles "Teenie" Harris](#)
- **Portland** – [Black Artists of Oregon; Works from Black Film Artists](#)
- **Rhode Island** – [Langston Hughes Community Poetry Reading](#) (Providence); [Edward Mitchell Bannister](#) (Providence)

- **Sacramento** – [Sojourner Truth African Heritage Museum](#)
- **Savannah** – [Telfair Museums](#); [Sabree’s Gullah Art Gallery](#)
- **San Antonio Region** – [San Antonio Airport Benches](#)
- **San Diego County** – [African American Museum of Fine Art](#) (San Diego)
- **San Francisco Bay Area** – [San Francisco Library: African American Center](#)
- **Seattle** – [Arte Noir](#) (Seattle); [Estelita’s Library](#) (Seattle)
- **South Carolina** – [Philip Simmons’ Ironwork](#) (Charleston); [Gallery Chuma](#) (Charleston)
- **South Florida** – [Gary Simmons: Public Enemy](#) (Miami); [Jamea Richmond-Edwards: Ancient Future](#) (North Miami)
- **Southwest Ohio** – [Charles White: A Little Higher](#) (Cincinnati)
- **Spokane and Coeur d’Alene** – [Image Collection of African Americans in Spokane](#)
- **St. Louis** – [Pillars of the Valley](#) (St. Louis)
- **SW Idaho** – [Erma Hayman House](#) (Boise)
- **SW Ontario** – [Curtia Wright: Intersection Between Femininity and Blackness](#) (Toronto)
- **Tampa Bay** – [Perry Harvey Sr. Park](#) (Tampa)
- **Toronto Chapter** – [Sunday School: Art Gallery of Ontario](#) (Toronto)
- **Tucson** – [Blue Lotus Artists’ Collective](#)
- **Vermont** – [Community Mural Magic](#) (Burlington)
- **Washington, D.C.** – [Torrents: Art in Transit](#) (WMATA/DC); [“Queen City”](#) (Arlington); [Medicine and Transportation](#) – painting by Thelma Johnson Streat (DC); [Amos Paul Kennedy Jr. - Art On the ART Bus](#) (Arlington)
- **West Virginia** – [Amplifying Black Musicians in Old-Time Music](#) (Floyd County)
- **Wisconsin** – [Greenwood Park Gallery and Framing](#) (Milwaukee); [Mahogany Gallery](#) (Milwaukee)