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Landscape Photomontage



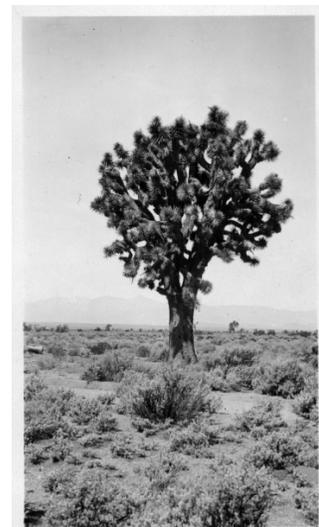
This weekend for Spring Break Photo Club, there will be three days of activities. The first is a landscape photomontage inspired by the [Scenes from the Collection: Trees](#) exhibition at UCR ARTS! This exhibition features photographs of trees in California including the ones below.



Willard Van Dyke, *Detail of Madrone*, 1932, Gift of the Forestry Library, University of California, Berkeley



John Sexton, *Mythic Forest*, Yosemite National Park, California, 1980, printed 1995, Gift of Herb Quick



Gerald D. Jeffers, *Yucca Tree*, 1932, Gift of the Forestry Library, University of California, Berkeley

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Supplies for Landscape Photomontage:

- A landscape of your choice
- A device that takes pictures (digital camera, disposable camera, or a phone)
- Scissors
- Cardstock
- Glue
- Printer

Instructions:

- 1) Go out into your backyard, the park, anywhere that has trees and plants.
- 2) Take pictures of the landscape. Feel free to experiment with angles and perspective. You want to take pictures that when fitted together, make one whole image.
- 3) Sort through your pictures and choose the best. Optional: On Windows there is a photo-editing device you can use to experiment with colored filters, or you can use free online photo-editing websites like Pixlr.com <https://pixlr.com/editor/>
- 4) Next, print your photos.
- 5) Using a pair of scissors, cut your pictures out into different, medium sized shapes.



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- 6) Play around with the arrangement of your photos on a piece of cardstock. You can choose a natural approach where everything fits together like a puzzle or you can get creative and arrange them in a random way to form an abstract image. You're the artist here!



- 7) Once you have your images sorted, glue them onto the cardstock and allow to dry.

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8) Step back and admire your photomontage!



Don't forget to share your photos with us on social media by tagging @UCRARTS!

