



Denver, Colorado

ULI Spring Meeting **ART TOUR**

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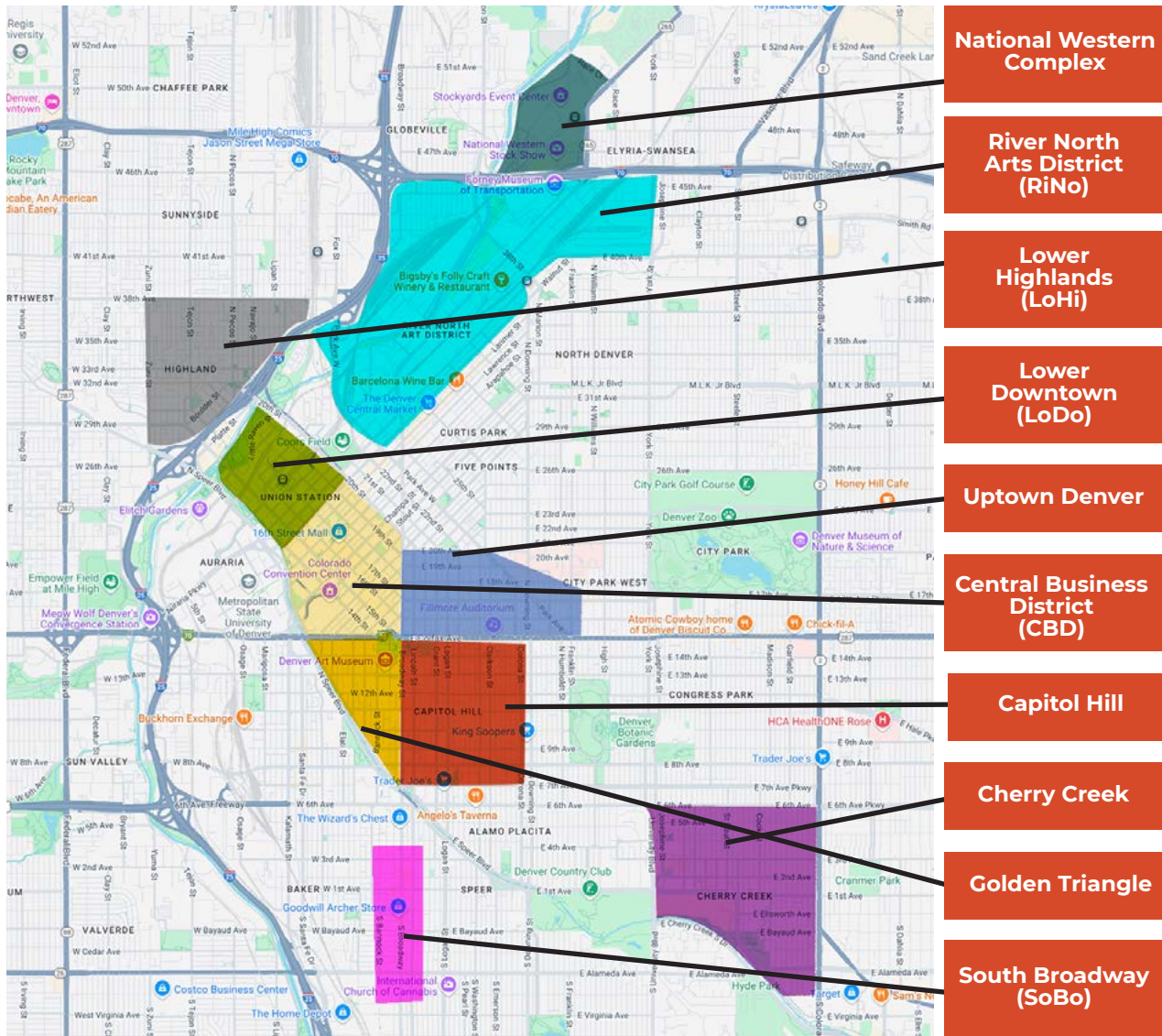
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Complement your ULI Spring Meeting experience with an engaging tour of Denver's visual arts scene - from landmark sculptures to eye-catching murals and everything in between.

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Denver Neighborhoods

Use this map to explore artwork in some of Denver's most popular neighborhoods.



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Throughout the conference

Take a break between panel sessions to enjoy the hyperlocal art program at the [Colorado Convention Center](https://www.coloradoconventioncenter.com/), including Rolan Bernier's "Wall of Words" installation under the stairs and Mindy Bray's mural "The Heavy is the Root of the Light."

<https://www.bernierart.com/>
<https://www.mindybray.com/>



During your stay

Staying at the [Hyatt Regency Hotel](https://www.hyatt.com/en/hotel/hyatt-regency-hotel-denver)? Grab a bite in the restaurant next to Pat Milbery's mural, "Odyssey Unleashed" or enjoy Bill Starke's bronze wall sculpture, "The Climbers," celebrating a collective effort toward a common goal.

<https://www.patmilberry.com/>
<https://www.billstarkesculpture.com/>



The Dairy Block

These sculptures are just a glimpse of the [Dairy Block's](#) vibrant local art program, which includes over 700 works throughout the alley, offices, Kachina Cantina, and The Maven Hotel. Find your favorite artwork as you stroll Denver's beloved microdistrict, winner of a ULI Americas Award for Excellence.

"Spilt Milk" by Airworks Studio honors the site's history as the former Windsor Dairy Plant.

Weighing over 500 lbs, "The Quantifiable and the Ineffable" by Andrew Tirado beckons people to The Maven Hotel while celebrating "makers" and "mavens" everywhere.

<https://www.airworks-studio.com/>

<https://andrewtirado.com/>





Historic Lower Downtown (LoDo)

The historic charm of Denver's "LoDo" neighborhood is thanks in large part to pioneering preservationist Dana Crawford, the namesake for [The Crawford Hotel](https://www.thecrawfordhotel.com/) at Union Station. This recently revitalized city landmark now boasts a modern portrait by local artist Annie Decamp titled "Mille Passuum" (a thousand paces), honoring Dana's legacy and her many strides to preserve the Mile High City.

<https://www.anniedecampart.com/>



And don't miss another recent addition to Union Station - the vibrant murals by local team Magik Studios, which were inspired by the historic Allen Tupper True murals traditionally commissioned for important buildings in the early 1900s.

<https://www.magikstudios.co/>



Another staple of the LoDo neighborhood is the award-winning [Rally Hotel](#) at McGregor Square, which sits directly adjacent to Coors Field, home of the Colorado Rockies. The hotel's art collection celebrates the MLB team and other points of pride for Denverites through a range of engaging mediums, creating a distinct and memorable sense of place – a place that can only be found in Denver, Colorado.



Through a partnership with the Colorado Rockies' archivist, the hotel showcases an extensive collection of memorabilia from the inception of the MLB team, including baseball bats signed by all players at the end of the season, going back to the first team roster in 1993.

<https://www.mauraallen.com/>



Also in LoDo is the new office building [1900 Lawrence](#). Riverside Investments leased the building next door to commission a large-scale mural titled "The Fire Within" by Taylor Herzog, giving employees a beautiful view to enjoy throughout the workday. Now that's a return-to-office strategy we can get behind.

<https://www.taylorherzog.com/>

River North Arts District (RiNo)

Fittingly located in the city's most popular creative hub, these installations certainly put the rhino in RiNo.

Officially titled, "Come Out, Come Out Rhino, Wherever You Are," this 992-lb bronze sculpture by artists Gillie and Marc portrays a rhinoceros peeking out of a city manhole, nodding to humankind's harmful effects on endangered animals. Affectionally named "Wilma," the sculpture has become a proud mascot for the [Catbird Hotel](#) and the RiNo neighborhood. Snap a selfie and rub her horn for good luck!

Another homage to the area are the steel rhino horns emerging from the entry of [Novel RiNo Apartments](#), created by local artist Stephen Shachtman whose studio is just a few blocks away.

And while the RiNo neighborhood has dozens of artworks to enjoy, you can't miss Oliver Vernon's largest-ever mural cascading over the parking garage of Rev 360 offices, stunning passersby with its scale and geometry.

<https://gillieandmarc.com/>
<https://www.shachtmanstudios.com/>
<https://www.oliververnon.com/>





The Golden Triangle

The Golden Triangle is yet another arts-centric district where sophistication meets grit. And what better way to reflect this duality than a real-life excavator arm (yes, you read that right) hanging from the ceiling of the neighborhood's premier [Citizen Apartments](#)?

Step inside the lobby of this signature community to experience Eric Dallimore's 17-foot-long by 9-foot-tall suspended sculpture, painted with local flora and fauna by muralist bunny M. and surrounded by Dallimore's sculptural porcupine quills made of sustainable Colorado beetlewood.

And if you can, ask to see the immersive doorknob installation disguising the property's speakeasy, the fob for which is hidden within one of the many "treasure boxes" mounted on the wall and filled with miniature oddities like liquor bottles and playing cards.

<https://www.ericrobertdallimore.com/>
<https://www.bunnym.com/>

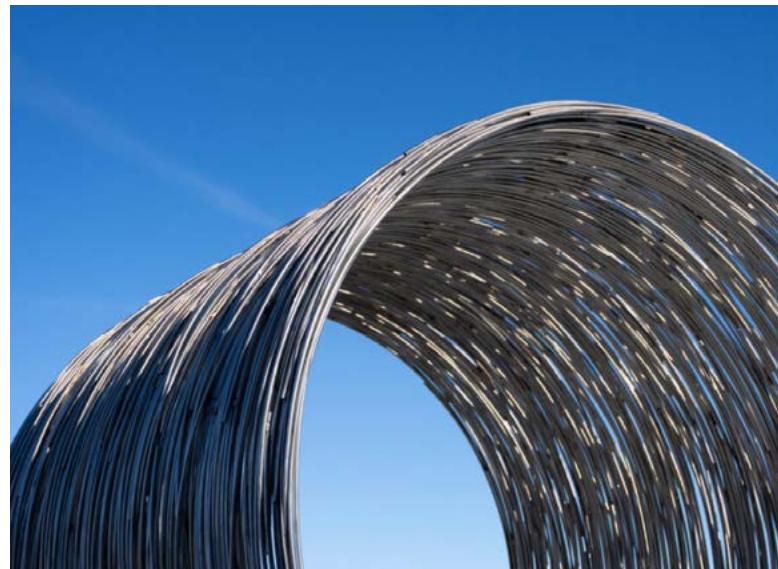


CSU Spur at National Western Center

The Colorado State University [Spur Campus](#) is the educational anchor of the National Western Center, where Colorado's highly anticipated annual Stock Show takes place. This world-class life science campus features three research buildings focused on food, water, and animal and human health - each with dynamic art installations that bring these topics to life.

Engage with Sandra Fettingis' suspended sculpture "Tomorrow's Food" and Patrick Marold's installation "The Bale" at the Terra Building to learn, play, and be inspired by the innovative agricultural solutions underway at Spur.

<https://www.sfettingis.com/>
<https://www.patrickmarold.com/>



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