Walking Tours of Campus Sculpture at Stanford University

Stanford University’s distinguished outdoor art collection includes important figurative and abstract works in a variety of media by artists of the late 19th century to the present. As part of the Cantor Arts Center collection, outdoor sculpture is maintained by the Center’s staff. Oversight of the outdoor art program is the responsibility of the Presidential Panel on Outdoor Art of Stanford University, the members of which are appointed each year.

Visitors are invited to join a docent-lead tour, or to view campus sculpture on their own.

Free Public Tours

Outdoor Sculpture Walk meets the first Sunday of each month at 2 pm (rain or shine) at Main Quad entrance, facing the Oval.

Beginning March 2011, another Outdoor Sculpture Walk meets on the third Sunday of each month at 11:30 am (rain or shine) in front of the Center.

Papua New Guinea Sculpture Garden tour meets the third Sunday of each month at 2 pm (rain or shine), at the Garden (PI on Map).

Group Tours by Reservation

For information, call 650-723-1469 or visit museum.stanford.edu. Tours are free to schools and non-profit groups.

Sun hats and comfortable walking shoes are recommended. We ask that you respect the sculpture to prolong its life. Touch only with care and avoid abrading surfaces with jewelry or other materials. Newest additions to the sculpture collection may not appear on this map.

Educational Services programs at the Cantor Arts Center are supported by the Center’s membership. For information on joining the Center call 650-723-1482.