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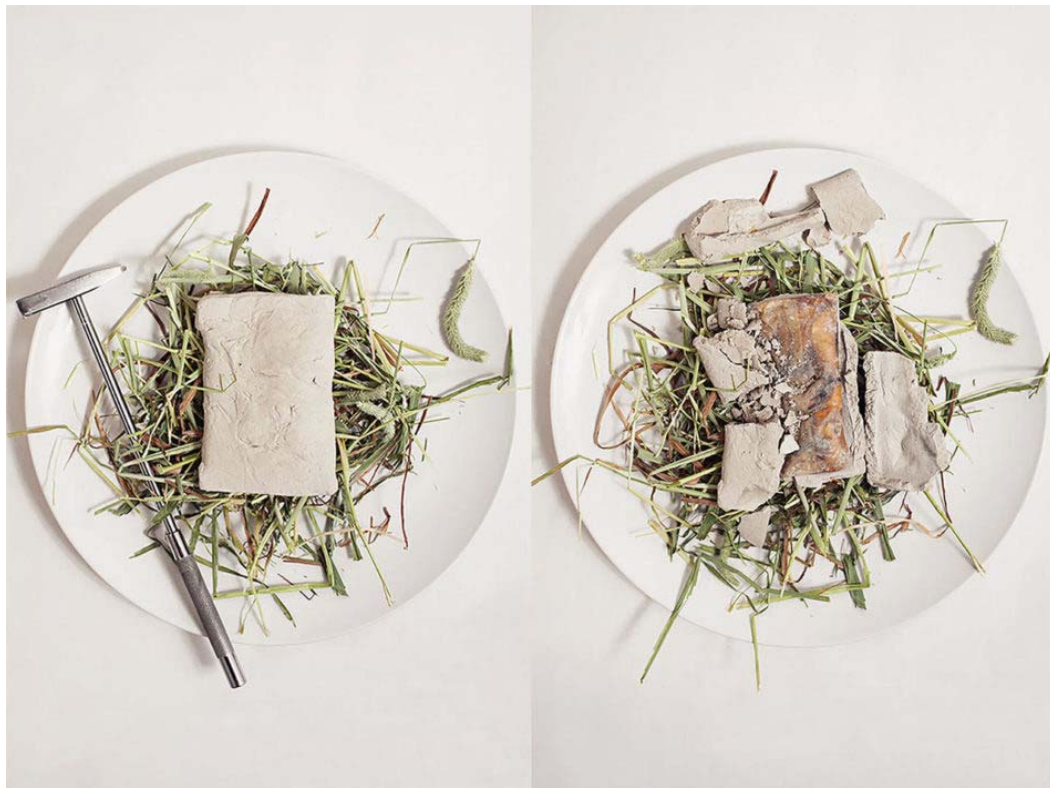
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## Barnsdall Takes Part in Food-Themed Citywide Art Show

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Part of the New Shores installation by Julio César Morales and Max La Rivière-Hedrick. Photo courtesy of artists.

BARNSDALL PARK — Two new installations on view at Barnsdall’s Los Angeles Municipal Art Gallery through November 5th draw parallels between art and food as part of a free citywide exhibit on the topic of food issues.

*New Shores: The Future Dialogue Between Two Homelands* focuses on the immigrant experience and the ethnic diversity in the neighborhoods surrounding the park.

Artists Julio César Morales and Max La Rivière-Hedrick collaborated with local chefs and listened to personal accounts of food and migration for the exhibit, which they used to create a multi-sensory installation and a series of performances inspired by the night markets commonly found in East and Southeast Asia.

Also showing at Barnsdall is a fictional take on “the Big One” by nonprofit arts and food organization LA Eats Itself. The installation presents the imagined pantry of an end-of-the-world “prepper,” full of survivalist-staples, both traditional and quirky.

The Barnsdall exhibits are part of a citywide art exhibition called CURRENT:LA FOOD. All events are free, easily accessible via public transportation, and welcoming to all ages.

Visitors will be able to see, hear, and interact with never-before-seen art experiences like a replica of an Iraqi palace and a flaming hot Cheetos structure, as well as see live performances by the S.H.I.N.E. Mawusi Women’s African Drum Circle and participate in fermentation workshops, among other community-driven and celebratory food events.

For a full list of associated events, visit [currentla.org](http://currentla.org)

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