

MOVING AT A SNAIL'S PACE IN GEOLOGIC TIMEFric Stoner

Combining original photographs and artwork, journals, woodworking elements, vintage album covers and other mixed media, the complex and allegorical collage works by Orange County-based artist Eric Stoner have been in the making for more than a decade. Their autobiographical nature highlights the interconnectedness of events, people and places that have shaped the artist's life, while remaining open to multiple interpretations by the viewer. The work's surreal and highly detailed narratives follow in the tradition of Northern European masters like Hieronymus Bosch and Pieter Bruegel.

EXHIBITION DATES:

June 16-Aug. 11

ARTIST TALK: ARTIST'S RECEPTION:

Saturday, July 14, 3–4 p.m. Saturday, July 14, 4–6 p.m.

LOCATION:

Irvine Fine Arts Center, Heritage Community Park 14321 Yale Ave.

HOURS:

Monday-Thursday: 10 a.m.-9 p.m.
Friday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. | Saturday: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Closed on Sundays
Admission, parking and artist's opening reception and talk are free.

For more information, visit *irvinefinearts.org* or call 949-724-6880.

Multimedia Collage Workshop with Eric Stoner

Saturday, Aug. 4, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Go behind the scenes of Eric Stoner's multimedia collage process and learn the wide variety of techniques and materials the artist employs in his work. Participants will be guided through the process of storytelling through collage and illustration and take home a composition reflecting their own personal story. Ages 18+.

Cost is \$59. Registration required. yourirvine.org (Course #8150)

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Shown on reverse: Eric Stoner, *The Ivory Tower of Babel*, mixed media. 72" x 47". 2007-2008

