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Opening Reception: March 7, 2–4 p.m.

First Day of Spring Is Today, a group exhibition, draws inspiration from the spring season's regenerative potential through paintings, sculptures, works on paper, and mixed media. As daylight begins to linger a little longer, and the color and warmth of the twilight hours change, we collectively embark on a new cycle of possibilities.

Works on view include fiber sculptures that give new life to weathered materials, mixed-media paintings that lean into the beauty of subcultural aesthetics, and others whose forms and sensibilities take inspiration from facets of contemporary art, graphic design, and fashion. As a collective, the works on view evoke a sense of revitalization, pleasure, and possibilities — not unlike those of a new season.

Image credit: Angie Stalker, *Skipped Fault*, 2022, digitally printed chiffon, thread, rock, spray paint, wood panel, 11.5 x 9.5 x .75 in.

Irvine Fine Arts Center

14321 Yale Ave.,
Irvine

Monday–Thursday:
10 a.m.–9 p.m.

Friday: 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.

*Admission, parking, and
opening reception are free.*



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