

## Six Must-See Winter Art Exhibitions in and around Boston

Check out new exhibitions open this season at the MFA, Boston University, Harvard Art Museums, Krakow Witkin Gallery, and others.

by **SOPHIE NUNNALLY** • 11/15/2018, 9:00 a.m.



Sign up for our weekly home and property newsletter, featuring homes for sale, neighborhood happenings, and more.



Courtesy photo

### “TransAtlantic”

A World War II–era map covering the floor and walls. A series of wooden planes and ships crossing the ocean blue. You’ll find all of the above in TransAtlantic, a large-scale installation on view at Boston Sculptors Gallery. Dreamed up by Jessica Straus, a Somerville-based artist with French and American roots, the piece offers new perspective on the importance of alliances.

12/12–1/27/19, 486 Harrison Ave., Boston, 617-482-7781,  
[bostonsculptors.com](http://bostonsculptors.com).

### “A Litany for Survival”

An interest in social issues has long permeated the work of Alexandria Smith, who shares her politically charged drawings and paintings this winter at Boston University’s Stone Gallery. Relying on a moody palette of black, blue, purple, and gray, Smith crafts mirrored images of female forms to explore issues of identity and subjectivity.

Runs through 1/27/19, 855 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, 617-353-3329,  
[bu.edu/art](http://bu.edu/art).