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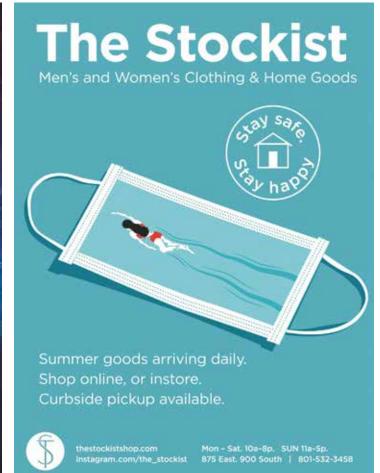


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CJ Anderson has shot photos for our monthly "Skate Photo Feature" and beyond since February 2017. One of the marks of a great skate photographer is that they're always out to get their fix of skate shots, and Anderson's always been hungry to get 'em! He chalks it up to continually striving to try new things and move around to get the shot. He counts his long-exposure photo of Tyson Bowerbank (Issue 359) and that of Coda Bonnell's HUGE heelflip grab over a West Jordan loading dock (Issue 368) as his favorite "Skate Photo Feature" contributions. This month, Anderson has captured **Britton Larsen**'s backside disaster at Solo on pg. 26. Anderson's skills range as well, from portraiture to his foray into fashion photography for our 29th anniversary fashion show. Whether it's skate photography or other assignments, Anderson is solid, and we love him for it.



ABOUT THE COVER: Daniel Everett's (@dbeverett on Instagram) Untitled photograph from his 2019 Marker series bestows invigorating imagery to the cover of our Local Photography issue. Pairing contrasting bursts of color with a glass building, the image demonstrates creative diversity in local photography.

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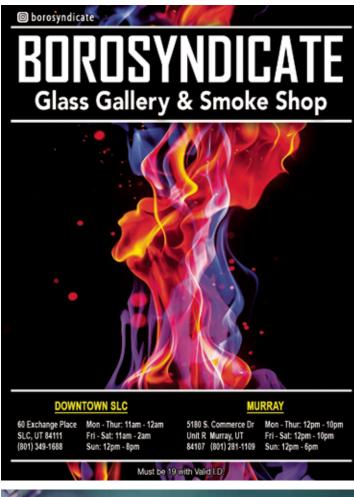


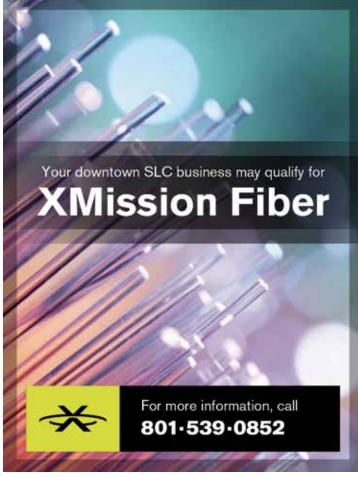
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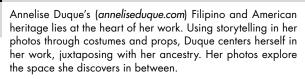




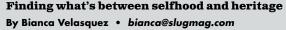
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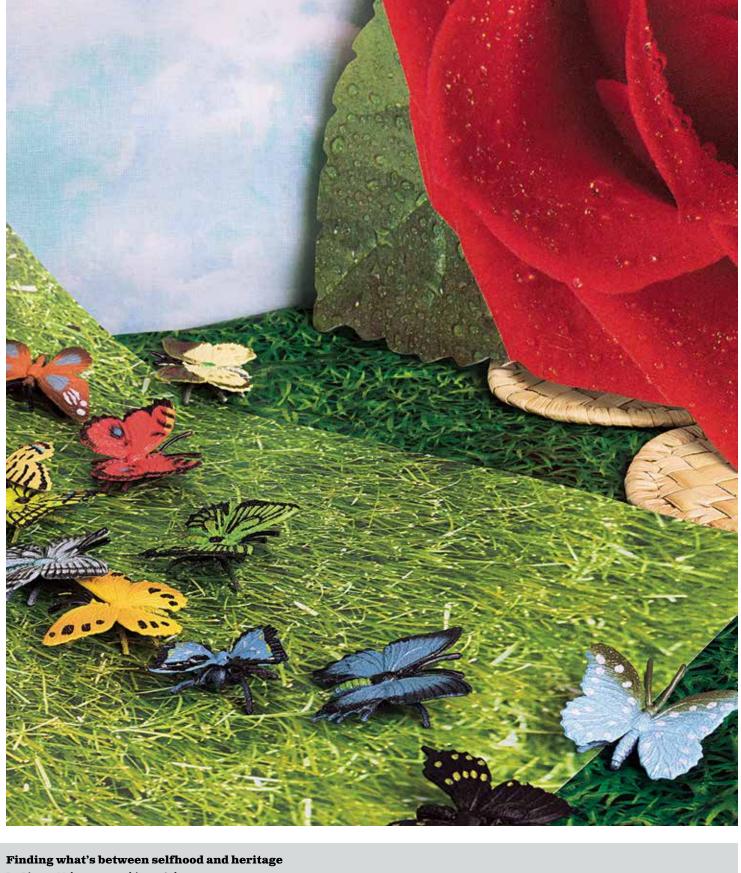
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"no. 1," 2019, from the $\it Remember\ Them\ Alive$ series.

"no. 1," 2019, from the $American\ Forgetting\ series.$







The COVID-19 constraints on bars/restaurants forced quick adaptions to takeout or delivery operations. These photographs are a testament to their resilience and the support of their customers.

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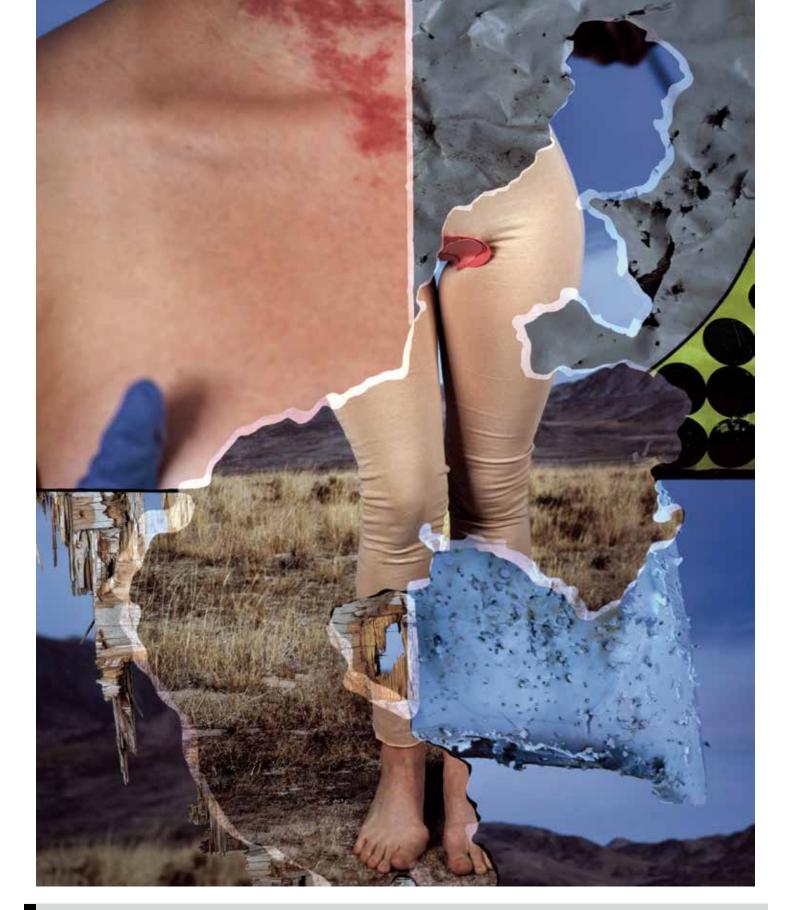
Amid shooting for local-business clients, Brent Courtney (brentcourtney.co) touts the well-earned talent of blending his visual-art disciplines seamlessly. "I take pride in being a one-stop design shop for my clients," he says. He also created the July 2018 and July 2019 SLUG covers—testaments to his exceptional craft.

PHOTOGRAPHY-PLUS

Brent Courtney, Image Sculptor By Alexander Ortega • alexander@slugmag.com

 $\hbox{``Mocha Composed Cone,'' 2019, from $Normal Ice Cream Monthly Flavors.}$

"Shireen Ghorbani and Bart the Bear," 2018, from Public Lands Campaign.



Jaclyn Wright's (jaclynwright.com) multimedia photography and performance art examine ecofeminism and colonialism of body and land. Wright's topography of her embodied experience brings this examination to light as she explores metaphors of power, annexation and alteration through her birthmark.

JACLYN WRIGHT's Multimedia Metaphor Leaves a Deep Mark By Paige Zuckerman • paigez@redwillowcounseling.com

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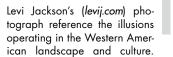
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Jackson, a Utah native, uses his art to explore place narratives and how people assign meaning to objects.

LEVI JACKSON Explores Illusions in the West's Promised Land By Hannah McBeth • hannahmcbeth22@gmail.com

Fishy, 2019, 44x35" Inkjet Print, from Jackson's portfolio







TOP LEFT: *Ms. September*, 2014, 35x44" Inkjet Print, from Jackson's portfolio. **TOP RIGHT:** *Mighty Ducks*, 2014, 35x44" Inkjet Print, from Jackson's portfolio. **BOTTOM:** Landscaper, 2019, 35x44" Inkjet Print, from Jackson's portfolio.







DOUGLAS TOLMAN

By Tim Schoof • t.schoof7@gmail.com

TOP LEFT: "Inland Sea 6," 2019, from the *Inland Sea* series.

TOP RIGHT: "Inland Sea 1," 2019, from the *Inland Sea* series.

BOTTOM: "Bonneville Assessment 1," 2020, from the *Bonneville Assessments* series.

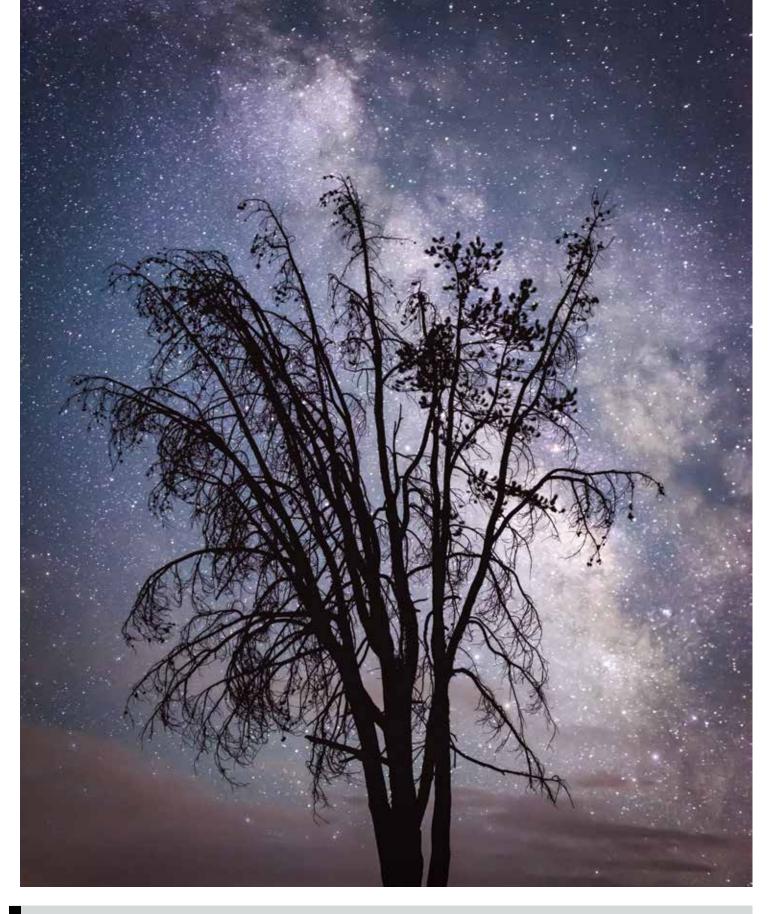
Douglas Tolman (douglastolman.com) began his journey in photography capturing the pure freedom, adventure and exhilaration of downhill longboarding. Tolman began taking photos in high school, capturing thrilling moments while adventuring in the outdoors. "I really got to witness and photograph some magical moments bombing hills with friends in beautiful morning light," he says. His appreciation for photography as an art quickly blossomed, and he expanded his focus to

include the deserts, mountains and the wilderness of Utah. His exploration, especially near the Great Salt Lake, exposed him to the consequences wrought by generations of settlement, industry and exploitation, affecting the health of both the indigenous ecology and neighboring communities. As a descendant of the pioneers who settled in Utah, his photography examines the conflict between conservation and industrialization in a striking, minimalist style.

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Christine Kenyon (christinekenyon.com) advocates through **Save a Star Foundation** to preserve dark skies. "My goal for the future isn't so much to be a famous photographer as it is to have a legacy that is protecting the night sky," she says.

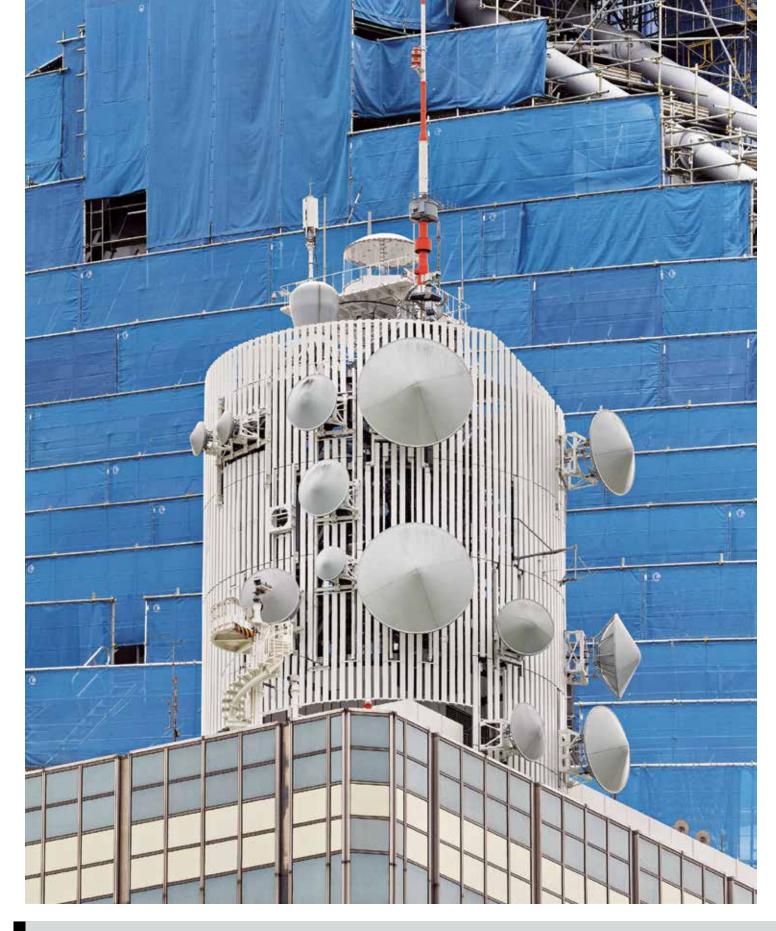
DEFENDER OF DARKNESS: Christine Kenyon's Night-Sky Advocacy

By Austin Beck-Doss • austinbeckdoss@gmail.com

THIS PAGE: Milky Way Magic, 2018, High Uintas, Utah.

NEXT PAGE: Alien Lands, 2019, Northern New Mexico.







Cover photographer Daniel Everett (daniel-everett.com) investigates how urban landscapes layer on top of each other, unraveling their

sense of order and progress. "I'm interested in how things that were once visionary tend to look pitiable in retrospect," he says.

PROGRESS KNOT: Daniel Everett's Cityscapes

By Parker Scott Mortensen • @_coldbloom

"Untitled (from Vantage Point), 2019."

"Untitled (from Vantage Point), 2018."







Photography may present the illusion of direct representation, but David Baddley's (davidbaddley.com) art can shatter this mirage in real time. "Part of the human condition is that we are of the land; we are of the air; we are of the water; we are of nature. At the same time, we've come to live in a way that sort of separates ourselves from it," says Baddley, veteran Utah

DAVID BADDLEY: Finding the Line Between Nature and Self By Connor Lockie • connor@slugmag.com

TOP LEFT, TOP RIGHT, BOTTOM: DEER CREEK, UTAH.

photographer and Professor of Art & Photography at Westminster College. Through Baddley's stark, minimal work, the viewer directly encounters this disconnect. While nature exists in Baddley's photos, the "true" image always seems just out of reach, obscured through the human/technology screen of photography—sometimes Baddley goes so far as to disrupt the organic flow of his ecological subjects with a blunt representation of his own humanness.



Megan Knobloch Geilman works as a Photographic Art Director, responsible for how the thematic design and expression of the photo is perceived by the viewer. Her work in *tableau vivant*, or "living picture," demonstrates how a photo is layered while involving many moving parts.

MEGAN KNOBLOCH GEILMAN

By Jamie Christensen • jamie.christensen@bcsdstudent.org

"Adam's Dilemma," 2014, from the Works of Translation series.







Michael Kunde (michaelkundephoto.com) is a professional commercial photographer with a penchant for images of travel and adventure. Kunde produces personal photography from his travels and is known for his striking themes, which are indicitive of life in rural areas of the United States. For more about Michael Kunde and to view his work, visit michaelkundephoto.com.

CAPTURING THE MOMENT WITH MICHAEL KUNDE

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TOP RIGHT: "Nutrien Soy Farmer," 2018, from the Nutrien AG Solutions campaign. **BOTTOM:** The Road to Mighty, 2015, from the "Road to Mighty" Tourism campaign.







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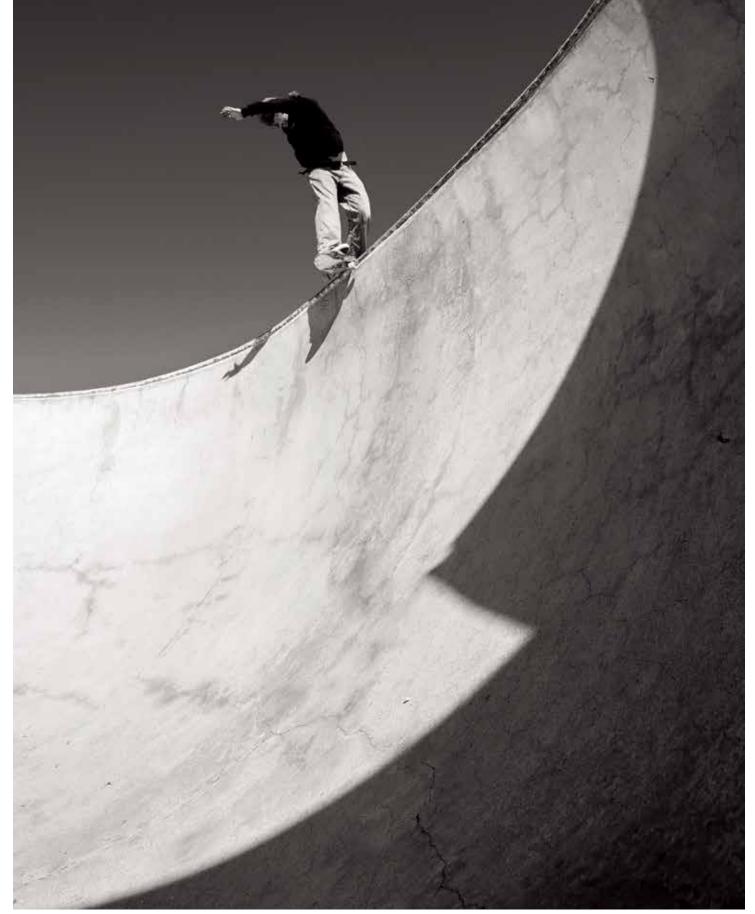
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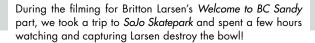
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TOP LEFT: Balloons Over Bagan, 2013, from Kunde's personal collection.

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SKATE PHOTO FEATURE

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Britton Larsen – Backside Disaster in the Deep End – South Jordan, Utah







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By Chris and Sylvia Hollands chris.hollands@porchdrinking.com sylvia.hollands@porchdrinking.com

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Beer Name: Slipstream India Pale Ale

Brewery: Salt Flats Brewing Co. ABV: 9%

Serving Style: 12-oz. can

Breweries and distilleries have had to get creative during these uncertain times. Countless adult-beverage businesses focused on beer to go, with some even manufacturing important sanitation products. In this case, Salt Flats Spirits, related to Salt Flats Brewing Co., used the distilling process to help the cause and create one such item: hand sanitizer. With this in mind, we headed there to get it—plus

much-needed, fresh brewskis.

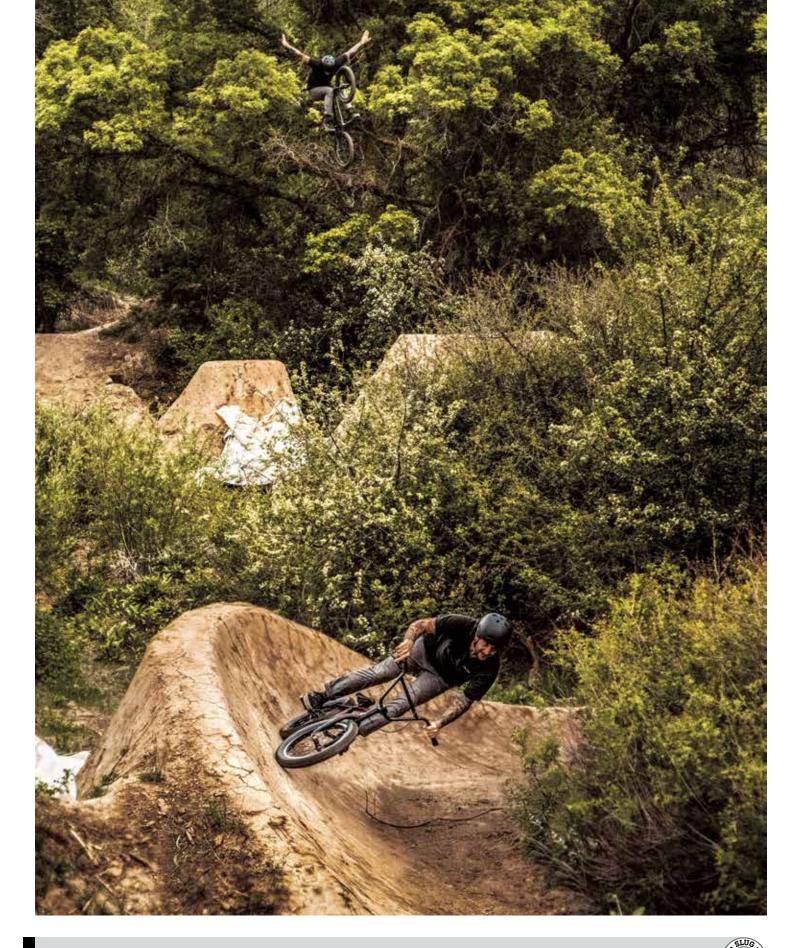
Deciding which of SFB's beer to pick was easy. We enjoy several of their brews; however, our chosen "Beer of the Month" is the Slipstream India Pale Ale. We couldn't wait to settle into the comfort of a West Coast DIPA after our journey.

Slipstream smells ultra-clean, with classic hints of pine, followed by bready sweetness and the aroma of an inner peel from a ripened orange. A medium-to-light mouth-feel showcases flavors of orange and grapefruit that lead into a noticeably biting finish—something we enjoy about this style, rarely finding it in modern hazy/juicy IPAs.



Read the full "Skate Photo Feature" at SLUGMag.com.

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At the beginning of trails season here in SLC, Chris Flook (@chris_flook) celebrates the dawn of warm spring days by floating a lofty tuck no-hander over

BMX PHOTO FEATURE

By Jon Tinsley • @jontinsley

Chris Flook - Tuck No-Hander - Salt Lake City

LOCAL MUSIC REVIEWS



Breakfast in Silence - CW: Loss

Self-Released (03.27) Breakfast in Silence = Prism Bitch + the Due Diligence

-Emilee Atkinson



Freaky Jason - Some Lovey Dovey Shit

Self-Released (02.08) Freaky Jason = Usher + Childish Gambino + Jinsang

-Taylor Hartman



Michael Barrow & The Tourists -Something New - EP

Self-Released (06.12.19) Michael Barrow & The Tourists = John Mayer + **Mumford & Sons**

-Mary Culbertson

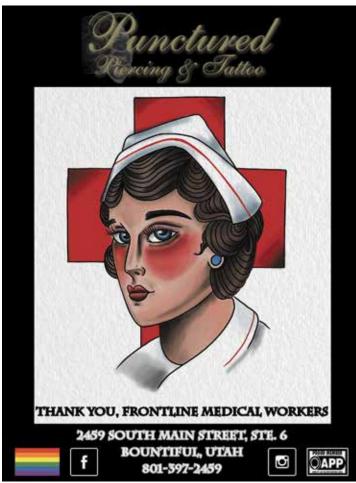


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High Vibe Recordings (03.20) Bird = Poliça + Lorde

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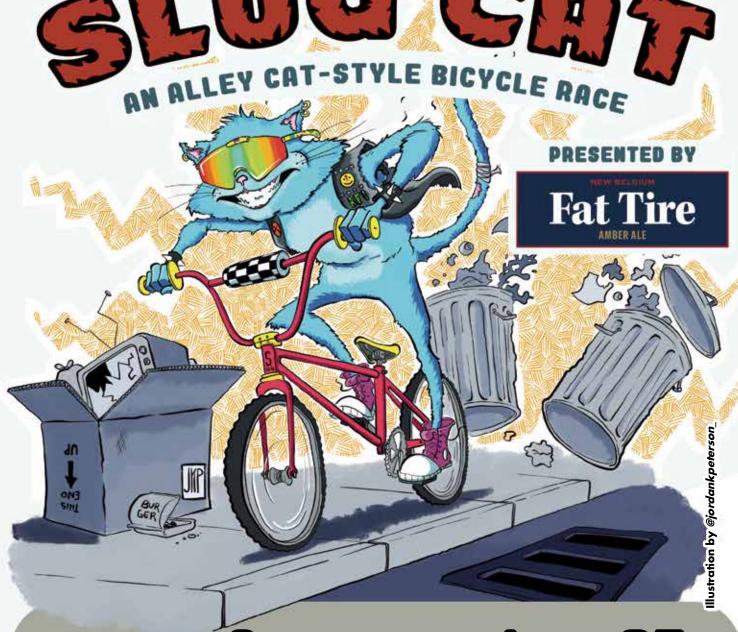








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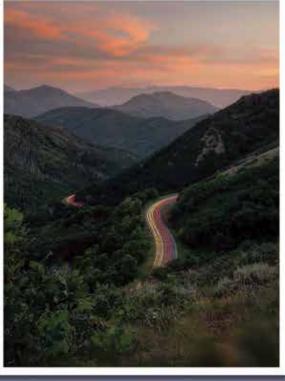












Capturing change, finding new perspectives

I grew up always being in the outdoors and landscapes have had a hold on me long before I ever got a camera, so it was only natural for landscape to largely inspire my photography. Hove the changing weather conditions and a wide array of lighting from storms, sunrise/sunset, to astro. I thrive on exploring new places and perspectives, the ability to see things differently than you would through your eyes. Picking out features and layers with a telephoto lens is my favorite way to shoot landscapes. I like to look for leading lines, layers, and an interesting foreground to frame my shot and add depth.

I was drawn to Sony and the A7iii for the image quality, low-light capabilities, compact mirrorless size for more space in my bag/travel, and awesome video specs for a solid hybrid camera. I love shooting multiple genres of photography and have loved the way it handles pretty much everything I throw at it.

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