

UNRAVELLED

BRAIN HEALTH FESTIVAL

UnRavelled Outreach is a mission-driven, evidence-based, advocacy-minded "festival" of arts programming that runs concurrently with the award-winning play *UnRavelled* to transform the conversation around dementia, using the intersection of art and brain health to spread a message of hope, possibility, and creativity in the FTD ecosystem and beyond.

Thanks to the support of our sponsors, all programming is **FREE**.

UnRavelled is a play written by playwright Jake Broder that follows the true story of Anne Adams a gifted biologist who abandons her prestigious career to follow her new desire to paint, her consuming obsession with Maurice Ravel and his composition Boléro, and her fracturing marriage — at the heart of this dramatic transformation is a diagnosis of FTD.

Friday, Oct 17

**Wallis Annenberg Center
for the Performing Arts**
9390 N. Santa Monica Blvd.
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Cedars-Sinai Grand Rounds

Cedars-Sinai Susanne and Ervin Bard Pavilion · 127 S San Vicente Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90048 Pavilion PEC 6&7
Dr. Bruce Miller presents the case of Anne Adams. **Registration Required by October 3.**

9:30 am - 9:50 pm

Anne Adams Art Gallery

The Wallis: Promenade

A curated gallery exhibition showcasing the work of Anne Adams and exploring how neurodegeneration and compensation resulting from dementia can lead to transmodal communication.

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Movement Workshop: Brain Health Dance Social

*Facilitated by Magda Kaczmarek · The Wallis: Classroom A · **Registration Required***

Brain Health Dance Socials translate complex public health and neuroscience concepts into fun, accessible and engaging events that celebrate community and seed brain healthy habits.

Music and Movement Workshop

*Facilitated by Cathy Lopera · The Wallis: Classroom C · **Registration Required***

Focused on creative connection through singing, dancing, and playful group activities, this session invites participants to explore self-expression and social engagement in a supportive environment.

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Storytelling Workshop: Voices and Verses – A Journey Through Caregiving

*Facilitated by Laura Calderon Cuevas · The Wallis: Classroom A · **Registration Required***

This workshop invites caregivers to explore their personal journeys through reflective journaling and shared storytelling, offering space to process the emotional layers of daily life.

Visual Art Workshop: Stamping a Mandala

*Facilitated by Verónica Rojas · The Wallis: Classroom C · **Registration Required***

Participants will create a personal symbol to make their own stamp, each contributing to a collaborative community mandala. Participants will leave with a new tool: the act of stamping, which invites a calming, meditative state that supports focus and presence.

6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Interactive Lobby

The Wallis: Grand Hall, Goldsmith Lobby, Sculpture Garden, and Wallis Classroom B

An interactive lobby full of dementia VR experiences, representatives from top dementia organizations in LA and across the country, book giveaways, and pop-up brain health exhibits.

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm **UnRavelled Performance**

The Wallis: Goldsmith Theater

9:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Talkback: *UnRavelling Boléro*

The Wallis: Goldsmith Theater

This panel will explore the case that started it all through a blend of scientists, caretakers, and artists.

9:00 pm - 9:50 pm

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Saturday, Oct 18

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10:00 am - 11:00 am

Music and Movement Workshop

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12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

UnRavelled Summit

The Wallis: Classroom A · **Invitation Only**

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Talkback: What's Coming Next?

The Wallis: Goldsmith Theater

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Sunday, Oct 19

12:00 pm - 4:15 pm

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12:45 pm - 1:45 pm

The Wallis: Grand Hall

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1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Movement Workshop: Stories in the Moment

Facilitated by Magda Kaczmarek · Silverado Beverly Place Memory Care Community

Stories in the Moment uses movement-based improvisation, narrative, and gesture-based choreography to collaborate with people living with dementia and their caregivers to tell their stories and build new connections within their communities. Participants will leave with enhanced brain health, increased wellbeing and feelings of increased connection and expression. **Exclusive to Silverado Residents Only.**

1:30 pm - 1:50 pm

Talkback: *Doing Better Than Diagnosis To Death*

The Wallis: Goldsmith Theater

This panel will explore how we can change the narrative around dementia as storytellers and advocates.

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm **UnRavelled Performance**

The Wallis: Goldsmith Theater

3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

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