



See Seattle from up high this season

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That fortified us for a visit to the [Seattle Art Museum](#), just a few blocks away. The stunning centerpiece of its lobby is *Middle Fork*, a huge suspended sculpture made of thousands of pieces of reclaimed old-growth cedar that recreates the contours of a 140-year-old western hemlock tree.

Inside its galleries, *Flesh & Blood* is a well-curated exhibition of 17th-century Italian masterpieces by renowned Renaissance artists, including Raphael and Titian and Baroque masters such as Cavallino, is on display until the end of January. And check out *Octopus Wrap* by Brazilian artist Regina Silveira, the latest installation at the museum's Olympic Sculpture Park — it wraps the Pavilion's walls in a mind-blowing pattern that questions our perception of reality.