



# *Kites - Soaring Among the Clouds*

*Oviatt Library - Lobby Area  
Cal State Northridge  
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***This exhibition is a celebration of one of the world's most enduring inventions - Kites!***

*Found throughout the world, kites have been used as toys; artistic expressions; cultural and religious symbols; tools of war; and instruments of science and technology. While materials and designs may have changed over the years, kites have endured as devices with many applications and meanings. Kites have made significant contributions to history; the arts, sciences, and mathematics; and have broadened our cultural awareness. Kite flying and kite fliers, from Benjamin Franklin to Charlie Brown, are quintessential parts of American culture.*

***Kites continue to inspire the human spirit to soar.***

*Exhibition curated by Gina Hsiung*