

Sask Science Centre Presents Towers of Tomorrow with LEGO® Bricks for Summer 2021

(March 15, 2021) – Regina, SK – The Saskatchewan Science Centre is proud to announce the reopening of our second floor along with a brand-new visiting exhibition: *Towers of Tomorrow with LEGO® Bricks. Towers of Tomorrow with LEGO® Bricks* features 20 of the world's most astonishing skyscrapers from around the world constructed with breathtaking architectural detail and accuracy by Australia's Ryan McNaught, the only certified LEGO® professional in the Southern Hemisphere.

The exhibition, which opens to the public on Friday, April 2nd, includes some of the most iconic and eye-popping towers from across the world including Toronto's CN Tower, Los Angeles' Wilshire Grand Center, Chicago's Willis Tower, Atlanta's Bank of America Plaza, New York City's famous landmarks the Empire State Building and Chrysler Building, Kuala Lumpur's twin Petronas Towers, and much more.

On a scale of 1:200 and built with stunning precision and attention to detail, the LEGO® towers offer visitors a birds-eye view of these extra-ordinary buildings and are just as impressive in model size. The installation of the giant LEGO® creations will happen between March 16th and 18th and will be overseen by Canada's only LEGO® Certified Professional, Robin Sather. Robin will be on site and is available for interviews on Thursday, March 18th.

The second floor of the Saskatchewan Science Centre has been closed since March 13th, 2020 and its reopening marks a significant date in the future of the Science Centre. In that time the Science Centre has been making changes including the removal of the *Space Stadium Stage*, new flooring and paint, and the planning of a completely revamped Richardson Ag-grow-land exhibit. These much-needed enhancements set the stage for future improvements.

"We're excited to be able to open the second floor of the Science Centre to visitors once again, and to provide our guests with a safe and engaging hands-on exhibition in *Towers of Tomorrow*," says Sandy Baumgartner, Saskatchewan Science Centre CEO. "In addition to the scale towers, this exhibition provides visitors the opportunity to build their own LEGO® creations with a nearly unlimited supply of LEGO® bricks that have been thoroughly cleaned and disinfected just for them." Many other safety protocols are in place at the Science Centre and Kramer IMAX Theatre for visitor safety. They can be viewed at https://www.sasksciencecentre.com/covid-19.

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About the Saskatchewan Science Centre

The Saskatchewan Science Centre is a non-profit, non-governmental educational facility with the mission of igniting scientific curiosity and innovation in Saskatchewan communities through interactive, dynamic and engaging opportunities. Our vision of the future, in fulfilling that mission, is inspired minds through science and innovation. The Science Centre is one of Saskatchewan's largest family tourist attractions with more than 6 million visitors since its opening in 1989.

About Robin Sather

Robin has been a professional LEGO® artisan and builder since 2004. He is based in Abbotsford, British Columbia, Canada. His company, Brickville DesignWorks, uses LEGO® bricks to build amazing creations for public events, exhibits, and private clients. He also creates exciting build opportunities for kids of all ages, does personal appearances, and conducts other interactive workshops. Robin is one of only 18 LEGO® Certified Professionals" in the world and is the sole Canadian. He enjoys all aspects of building, but especially likes building big stuff – rockets, castles, dinosaurs, skyscrapers, robots, and more!