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This exhibition surveys five decades of his photography, including disorienting compositions such as *Arizona Landscape* 1943 , a horizonless image that only gradually resolves its components into a desolate desert scene, and equally bewildering subjects such as *Max Ernst* 1946 , in which Sommer experimented with layered negatives, superimposing an image of a rock onto a portrait of the pioneering Dada and surrealist artist to create the illusion of a human morphing into rock.

**Placenta (Getty Museum)**

Included is a rare suite of macabre yet poignant photographs the artist made in 1939 using chicken parts collected from his local butcher. We encourage your input to enhance our understanding of our collection. Frederick Sommer: An Exhibition of Photographs at Philadelphia College of Art, exh.

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