

SC Institutional Galleries

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captured by residents of Charleston dating to the late 19th and early 20th centuries. **Mar. 28 - Dec. 18** - "Explore Charleston in Sports: A Photographic History, 1890s-1960s". **Ongoing** - "Becoming Americans: Charleston in the Revolutionary War". Charleston played a critical role in the Revolutionary War. South Carolina was the wealthiest of the thirteen rebellious colonies and Charleston was its key port to maintain its trade with the outside world. The British would make three attempts against the city during the Revolutionary War. Their defeat at the Battle of Sullivan's Island on June 28, 1776 was a crucial patriot victory, which convinced many that independence could be achieved. The Siege of Charleston, meanwhile, was the longest siege of the Revolutionary War and the largest battle in South Carolina. These events and others are chronicled in the new exhibit, which will also feature artifacts and period images that have not been exhibited at the Museum before. **Ongoing** - Featuring the most extensive collection of South Carolina cultural and scientific collections in the nation, it also owns two National Historic Landmark houses, the Heyward-Washington House (1772) and the Joseph Manigault House (1803), as well as the Dill Sanctuary, a 580-acre wildlife preserve. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & through the Summer months, Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2996 or at (www.charlestonmuseum.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston **Ashley River Tower**, Public area at Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston. **Ongoing** - "Contemporary Carolina Collection @ Ashley River Tower," featuring the largest collection of original, contemporary South Carolina art on permanent display, including 885 works by 53 talented artists, sculptors and photographers in South Carolina. Artists included are: Lucille Akinjode, Jack Alterman, Thomas Blagden, Jr., Carl Blair, Patti Brady, Keith Brown, Julia Cart, Eva Carter, Jocelyn Châteauevert, Lese Corrigan, Townsend Davidson, Linda Fantuzzo, Buddy Folk, Squire Fox, Mary Edna Fraser, Cassandra Gillens, Anthony Green, Jon Holloway, Ann Hubbard, Lisa Salosaari Jasinski, Erik Johnson, Kim Keats, Arianne King Comer, Kit Loney, Paul Mardikian, Nancy Marshall, Paul Matheny, John McWilliams, Sue Middleton, Marge Moody, Gordon Nicholson, Jane Nodine, Marcelo Novo, Karin Olah, Matt Overend, Rick Rhodes, Ed Rice, Molly B. Right, Susan Romaine, Kristi Ryba, Virginia Scotchie, Laura Spong, Tom Stanley, Christine Tedesco, Colleen Terrell, Leo Twigg, Tjelda Vander Meijden, Mary Walker, Sue Simons Wallace, Joe Walters, Sam Wang, Erid Williams, Manning Williams, and Paul Yanko. Hours: daily, 8:30am-5pm. Contact: Kathleen Ellis, Director of National Communications, MUSC, at 843/792.5602 or e-mail at (ellisk@musc.edu).

Garden & Gun Headquarters, 701 East Bat Street, Suite 115, Charleston. **Through Apr. 3** - "Birdwatching". Visit the first-floor gallery of the magazine's Cigar Factory offices to view works by the exhibition's featured artists, together drawing attention to avian histories long-vanished. By Clare Celeste Börsch, a collection of Earth Deity suits are on display, as well as an immersive chandelier installation titled Making the "Invisible Visible". In addition, Brandon Balengée's "Frameworks of Absence" prints will be shown alongside his commissioned "Birdwatching" creation, "RIP Carolina Parakeet: After John James Audubon". **Also** - Outdoor projection viewing. Each evening, keep your eyes peeled for striking images of extinct and endangered birds by Clare Celeste Börsch projected on the smokestack outside the building, accompanied by a powerful soundscape by J. Drew Lanham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Outdoor projections: Mon.-Sun. 6pm-midnight. Contact: 843/795-1195 or at (gardenandgun.com/birdwatching).

Joseph Manigault House, 350 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Through Apr. 3** - "Birdwatching". Drawing from nature, the splendors of bird watching, and the interconnectivity between humans and the natural world, this unique visual experience takes viewers on a journey between the Joseph Manigault House, The Dewberry hotel, and Garden & Gun's Cigar Factory offices, each location sparking wonder and awareness of avian conservation. Curated and artistically directed by Kelly S. Turner, and produced by Garden & Gun, the exhibition centers on an immersive installation at the Joseph Manigault House, where viewers will step into a spectacular avian menagerie inspired by nineteenth century artist-naturalists. The exhibition features original works from contemporary artists Brandon Balengée, Clare Celeste Börsch, and J. Drew Lanham, as well

as historical specimens and objects from the Charleston Museum's expansive collections. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2996 or at (<https://www.charlestonmuseum.org/historic-houses/joseph-manigault-house/>) or at (gardenandgun.com/birdwatching).

The Charleston Night Market, located between Church and East Bay streets in the heart of The Charleston City Market, Charleston. **Fridays & Saturdays, 6:30-10:30pm** - "The Night Market". We are the largest art market in the Southeast and have won Charleston's choice for Local Art in 2018 and 2019, 2020. The Night Market began as an Artisan/Hand Crafted only market in 2013, and now has over 200 various artists represented. This dynamic and diverse group has become an integral part of the Charleston City Market. The Night Market is located between Church Street and East Bay Street, each Friday & Saturday night, 6:30-10:30pm, from March - December. We are open some Thursday and Sunday evenings. Located in the heart of downtown Charleston, the Night Market provides the opportunity to discover quality, unique, local and handcrafted items, and is one of the largest and most diverse Artisan markets stretching 3 blocks! For info e-mail to (chasnightmarket@gmail.com).

The Dewberry Hotel, Living Room, 334 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Through Apr. 3** - "Birdwatching". A site of the Garden & Gun Birdwatching exhibition, the Living Room hosts a one-of-a-kind topiary installation depicting the great North American wood stork. A treasured bird of the Southeast, the wood stork is a once-endangered species now on the cusp of reemergence thanks to recent environmental stewardship efforts. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 7am-noon & 3-11pm; Fri.-Sat., 7am-2pm & 3pm-2am; and Sun., 7am-2pm & 3-11pm. Contact: 843/872-9063 or at (www.thedewberrycharleston.com) or at (gardenandgun.com/birdwatching).

The Old Slave Mart Museum, 6 Chalmers Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The Museum recounts the story of Charleston's role in this interstate slave trade by focusing on the history of this particular building and site and the slave sales that occurred here. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: The Office of Cultural Affairs at 843/958-6467 or at (<http://www.charlestonarts.sc/>).

Clemson Area

Lee Gallery, 1-101 Lee Hall, Clemson University, 323 Fernow Street, Clemson. **Through Mar. 9** - "An Archive of Loose Leaves," an exhibition based around questions of the influence and hierarchy of memory within contemporary art. Featuring the works of Rachel Lin Weaver, Joann Quiñones, Cristina Molina, Allison Janae Hamilton, April Dauscha, & Matthew Anthony Batty. This exhibit hopes to explore how artists address silences in the traditional archive or collection, as well as investigating how ephemera and oral history influence a reflection on the past. The works curated go between physical material and digital elements in order to fully realize their concerns at hand. Using collected material, passed down objects and narratives, the works begin to create a new archive of sorts that no longer relies on a privileged lineage. Each artist works to ensure their space in a collective cultural memory that is at once collapsing and being built. The exhibition has several artists talks taking place during the exhibition along with a panel discussion. On Feb. 7, a consortium of regionally based experts will participate in a panel discussion focusing on the contemporary influence of systems and archives in a communities history. Interrogating how institutions and creative production in the contemporary struggles to address the role of memory in a community. This panel will consider broad themes while examining the current points of inflection in the Upstate region of South Carolina, and how their work and fields influence the understanding of community memory. The panel discussion will take place at the Watt Center for Innovation and Technology at 6pm in the large auditorium and will be moderated by curator Rachel de Cuba. This presentation is presented by Lee Gallery, Clemson University Art Department in partnership with Tiger Strikes Asteroid Greenville. On Mar. 3, artists April Dauscha & Matthew Anthony Batty will present on their work in room 1-100 Lee Hall at 6pm. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am- Noon, then 1-4:30pm. Contact: Denise Woodward-Detrich, Lee Gallery Director by calling 864-656-3883 or at (<http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/cva/>).

The ARTS Center, 212 Butler St., Clemson. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm & Fri.,

10am-2pm. Contact: 864/633-5051 or at (www.explorearts.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Clemson **Brooks Center for the Performing Arts Lobby**, Clemson University, 141 Jersey Lane, Clemson. **Through Apr. 29** - "Outer Banks by Anderson Wrangle". The Clemson Visual Arts welcomes Associate Professor in Photography, Anderson Wrangle for a solo exhibition, "Outer Banks," at the Brooks Center for the Performing Arts Lobby. The artworks in this exhibition showcase Wrangle's collection of large-scale photos highlighting the Outer Banks in North Carolina. Wrangle is from Houston, TX. He received his BA in English and Studio Art from the University of the South and his MFA from the University of Houston. He lived in Prague, Portland, New York, Colorado and Houston before Clemson. Wrangle is a 2021-2023 Creativity Professor in the College of Architecture, Arts and Humanities. He was a 2019 Hambidge Center Resident. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1 - 5pm or 90 minutes before Brooks Center calendar performances. Contact Susan Sorohan at 864/656-7951 or at (www.clemson.edu/brooks).

Madren Conference Center, Clemson University, Clemson. **Ongoing** - Featuring wood and steel bird carvings by Grainger McKoy. Hours: regular building hours. Contact: Peter Kent at 864/656-0382 or e-mail at (peter.kent@clemsonnews.clemson.edu).

The Fran Hanson Discovery Center, South Carolina Botanical Garden, Clemson University, Clemson. **Featured Artists Gallery, Ongoing** - Featuring works by Nancy Basket, Sue Figliola, Sue Grier, Sandy King, Jo Ann Taylor and Phil Garrett, on a rotating basis. **Elizabeth Belser Fuller Gallery, Ongoing** - This collection of watercolors, mixed media and pen & ink drawings was generously donated by a dear friend of the SC Botanical Garden, Elizabeth Belser Fuller. This incredible collection ranges from 1947 to 1992. New pieces have been added this year in celebration of Belser's 97th birthday. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Closed University Holidays and Home Football Game Saturdays. Contact: 864/656-3405 or at (www.clemson.edu/scbg/).

Columbia Area



Auguste Rodin (French, 1840-1917). "Meditation (with Arms)", modeled about 1880, enlarged about 1896; Musée Rodin cast 8, 1979. Bronze, 62 x 31 x 26 in.; Coubertin Foundry. Lent by Iris Cantor.

Columbia Museum of Art, Main & Hampton Streets, Columbia. **Mar. 16 - June 26** - "Richard Tuttle: Loose-Leaf Notebook Drawings". This exhibition of radically simple paintings offers a glimpse at an important post-Minimalist artist. Richard Tuttle (b. 1941) began working in the 1960s when Minimalism emerged as a major art movement. Minimalist artists wanted the viewer to respond to the materiality and abstraction that was in front of them, and not to any type of imitation of reality. Tuttle countered the cool precision and machine-tooling of many Minimalist artworks, as well as the idea of monumentality, with a handmade quality. Created in the '80s, these humble notebook pages, softly marked with watercolor gestures, are like stray thoughts caught in mid-air, quiet haikus, or restrained fireworks. Together, they question the preciousness of fine art and replace it with intimacy in a quietly exuberant progression. **Through May 29** - "Anila Quayyum Agha: Let a Million Flowers Bloom". Pakistani American artist Anila Quayyum Agha's immersive installations upend traditional ideas about sculpture. Brilliantly lit from within, they cast their own images onto the walls around them like lanterns and create intricate patterns that dance over visitors as they move through the exhibition. The works in "Let a Million Flowers Bloom" use floral and geometric shapes inspired by Islamic architecture to explore notions of masculine and feminine, public and private, religious and secular, and particularly space and refuge, taking on the pain of losing one's home and agency and the hope of establishing them both anew. Agha's unforgettable art envelops viewers in an

enchancing visual environment that inspires awe and invites contemplation about sanctuary and belonging. **Through May 15** - "Rodin: Contemplation and Dreams / Selections from the Iris & B. Gerald Cantor Collections". Auguste Rodin saw the body as an envelope for the spirit, and the flickering surfaces of his modeled forms express this tension. His sculptures' poses, directly inspired by Michelangelo's powerful marble works, capture the human condition in all its elation and anguish. Rodin holds a prized place in the history of art, straddling the decades of the late 19th and early 20th centuries when the world was striving for a new modern form of expression. Visitors will learn about his processes for drawing, modeling, and casting as they immerse themselves in more than 40 examples of the artist's works in bronze. **Guignard Gallery, Through May 22** - "22 South Carolinians" features the work of Cameron Alexander, Tarleton Blackwell, Jai-Anna Carter, Ija Charles, Robert Coffey, Angela Corbett, Michael Dantzer, B. Dukes, Raishad Glover, Malik Greene, Sanford Greene, Tonya Gregg, Roni Henderson-Day, Terry K. Hunter, Dogon Krigga, Ernest "Chicken Man" Lee, J. Renee, Ce Scott-Fitts, Isaac Udogwu, Cedric Umoja, Sabrina White, and Thomas the Younger. **Through Jan. 1, 2025** - "The Collection". Come see the newly organized collection. We've gathered ancient and modern works of art, together in one space, that explore our shared archetypes, myths, and ideals. **Galleries 5 & 6, Ongoing** - "Modern & Contemporary Art from the Collection". Celebrating some of the CMA's greatest hits, this exhibition features over 30 paintings, drawings, photographs and sculptures from the Museum's collection that have not been on view recently. It offers the visitor experiences both serious and sensual and is designed to both entertain and enlighten. Notable works included are by Jasper Johns, Howard Thomas, Sally Mann and Edward Ruscha, whose famous image of the Hollywood Hills (on view) has become a staple of the art world. **Ray Taylor Fair Gallery, Ongoing** - Featuring a new and permanent installation of its ancient art collection. The installation includes approximately 50 objects that introduce the major ancient civilizations from the Mediterranean and Near East. Examples of the earliest form of writing from 12th century B.C. Mesopotamia, are shown next to Egyptian scarabs and Greek painted vessels. The world of the ancient Romans is represented by 2nd century glass and bronze items and portrait sculpture. Many of these works have not been seen since the Museum moved to its location on Main Street in 1998. The collection has grown over the last several years with the donation of 12 fine Roman sculptures in 2002 from Pennsylvania collector Dr. Robert Y. Turner. Admission: Yes, but there is no admission charge on Sun. Hours: Tue.-Sun., from 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. **Through Mar. 5** - "Artists Inside Outsider Art," featuring works by well-known self-taught southern artists like Thornton Dial, Bessie Harvey, and R.A. Miller. Outsider art can have many definitions, but most agree that it includes forms of creative expression that exist outside accepted cultural norms or the realm of "fine art". Primarily self-taught, these "outsider" artists create on the fringes, using bright colors and utilitarian materials like wood, clay, and metal to craft their messages. **Through July 15** - "Inheritance: Sustainable Farms of the South". Brett Schenning's photographs aim to capture the hope that drives southern sustainable farmers. Hope that they will succeed in raising foods to nourish their communities, pay their bills, and ensure that their land will continue to support future generations. These photographs present selected southern farms that differ in many ways but are united in their stewards' belief that sustainable agriculture can make the world a better place. **Through July 15** - "Wild Bees: Photography by Paula Sharp & Ross Eatman". The exhibition asks us if we really know what our native pollinators look like. When most people think of bees, they think of the honeybee. However, honeybees are a single non-native species among thousands of native bees that inhabit North America. This exhibit showcases a collection of stunning macro photographs by Paula Sharp and Ross Eatman depicting the world of America's native bees. **Ongoing** - "Highlights from the Permanent Collections of McKissick Museum". **Permanent** - "Baruch Silver Collection," a collection of the Baruch family silver. And, "Natural Curiosity: USC and the Evolution of Scientific Inquiry into the Natural World". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/777-7251 or at (<http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/mcks/>).

701 Center for Contemporary Art, 701 Whaley St., Columbia. **Main Gallery, Through Mar. 6** - "South Arts Southern Prize & State Fellows Exhibition". Launched in 2017, South Arts' Southern Prize & State Fellows project supports some of the best contemporary art in the American South. This exhibition presents work from the nine 2021 fellowship recipients, one

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