

NC Institutional Galleries

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discover distinctive, affordable art for your home or office--or to find a truly unique gift. Visit our Gallery and Studios pages to see what's currently on exhibit--and on our easels! Community Artists Gallery & Studios supports working studio space for fifteen artists and exhibits nearly a dozen additional artists at any given time. Our members are engaged in creating jewelry, photography, weaving, found object art, sculpture, ceramics, digital art, watercolor, oil, baskets, stained glass, and acrylic paintings. Hours: Tue., Thur., Fri., & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/571-8566 or visit (www.communityartistsgallery.org).

North Wilkesboro

Wilkes Art Gallery, 913 C. Street, North Wilkesboro. **Through May 13** - "ART MIX: Creative Women Making Art," featuring works by Kim Abernethy, Gilda Aita, Orna Bentor, Cindy Carbonneau Breden, Nancy Church Canter, Teresa Cerda, Lori L. Hill, Margaret Carter Martine, Judy McNeill, JoAnn Pippin, Betty Powell, and Susan Van Wyk. **Ongoing** - Founded in 1962 in the parlor of Annie Winkler's home, the Wilkes Art Gallery has experienced transformations over the years. The most dramatic of these was the 2004 move into the renovated 1925 North Wilkesboro Post Office building. WAG offers a variety of classes, workshops, meet-the-artists events and special outreach projects. WAG hosts exhibitions that offer community members a chance to show their work and admission is always free. Visit our online gift shop. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/667-2841 or at (www.wilkesartgallery.org).

Old Fort

Arrowhead Artists and Artisans League Inc., 78 Catawba Avenue, Suite C-D, next to the parker hosiery building, 2 minutes from Exit 73 on Interstate I-40, Old Fort. **Ongoing** - The main Gallery space is about 1800 square feet, with an open, industrial feel. Art, ranging from traditional to abstract and mixed media, hangs on the walls. On the main floor are displays of various types of fine crafts, such as jewelry, pottery, fiber art, hand crafted baskets, and hand turned wooden bowls. You might even see a welded "junk yard" critter or two. After viewing all of the various arts and crafts, visitors can walk through a wide archway on the right to view more fine art and craft work and talk to the artists and students in several studios and the AGS classroom. If a studio door is open, visitors are being invited to step inside and enjoy the work. Currently, our Gallery and studio artists and artisans include: Lorelle Bacon, Ann Whisenaut, Karen Piquette, David Kaylor, Dawn Driebus, Len Eskew, Wayne Stroud, Susan Taylor, Cathy Green, Anne Bevan, John Sullivan, Evelyn Chrisawn, Tim Muench, Chuck Aldridge, Charles Davis, Fredreen Bernatovicz, Anne Allison, Darlene Matzer, Billie Haney, Marguerite Welty, Jean Ryan, Kasha Baxter, Linda Magnus, Kim Hostetter, Bonnie Burgin, Sonya Russell, Helen Sullivan, Janet Bennett, and Sabrina Miller. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/668-1100 or at (<http://arrowhead-art.org/>).

Outer Banks Area

Dare County Arts Council, 300 Queen Elizabeth, Manteo. **Courtroom Gallery, May 3 - 28** - "25th Annual Mollie Fearing Memorial Art Show," juried by studio jeweler, metalsmith and enamelist Kathryn Osgood. There will be a special opening reception at Dare County Arts Council's Gallery in downtown Manteo from 2-4pm on Sunday, May 1. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/475-4843 or at (www.DareArts.org).

Pembroke

A.D. Gallery, University of NC at Pembroke, Locklear Hall, 1 University Dr, Pembroke. **Ongoing** - The A.D. Gallery is sponsored by the Art Department of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Serving the university and local community, the gallery provides a venue for student and faculty work, as well as that of local, regional, national and international artists. The gallery helps fulfill the department's goal of providing outstanding educational opportunities for its students by bringing quality visual arts to the university and the community at large. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm. Contact: e-mail to (joseph.begnaud@uncp.edu) or visit (www.uncp.edu/departments/art/ad-gallery).

The Museum of the Southeast American Indian, Old Main (first floor) at the University of North Carolina Pembroke, 1 University Drive, Pembroke. **Ongoing** - As part of the Southeast

American Indian Studies Program at UNC Pembroke, The Museum of the Southeast American Indian maximizes the capacity of the University to address the complex historical, cultural and contemporary issues facing American Indian communities in North Carolina and the American Southeast. The Museum's cross-disciplinary collaborations greatly enhance the University's programs of research, service, outreach and instruction. The Museum is a multi-faceted museum and resource for scholarly research and community outreach. While the Museum contains exhibits of authentic Indian artifacts, arts and crafts from Indian communities all over the Americas, our primary focus is on tribes from the American Southeast. Many items come from North Carolina Native communities, with special emphasis on Robeson County Indian people. Specific focus is placed on the largest North Carolina tribe, the Lumbee, but our outreach activities have extended into Virginia and South Carolina with plans for further outreach throughout the Southeast. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. We typically close for lunch from noon-1pm. Contact: call 910/521-6282 or e-mail to (nativemuseum@uncp.edu).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Pembroke **Artist Market Pembroke**, at the UNCP Entrepreneurship Incubator, 202 Main Street, Pembroke. **2nd Sat. every month** - Featuring handmade art and jewelry by local artists. Hours: 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/775-4065.

Penland

Penland Gallery & Visitors Center, Penland School of Crafts, 3135 Conley Ridge Rd, Penland. **John & Robyn Horn Exhibition Gallery, Through June 25** - "Instill: The Art of Making and Teaching". What takes place in Penland School's educational studios is an intersection of creativity and generosity. Penland instructors are all makers - some are fulltime studio artists, some have woven together a vocation that oscillates between studio and classroom, and others balance being a career educator with making. **Focus Gallery, May 3 - June 5** - "In/Finite: Process, Pattern, Play," featuring works by Jason Burnett and Adrienne Eliades.. **Ongoing** - On display outside the Penland Gallery are sculptures by ceramic artist Catherine White, large steel sculptures by Daniel T. Beck, and works by Hoss Haley. There is also an interactive, outdoor installation by Jeff Goodman titled, "The Kindness for Imaginary Things.. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/765-6211 or at (<http://penland.org/gallery/>).

Raleigh



(L) Martha Clippinger, (M) Jerstin Crosby, and (R) Martha Clippinger

Block Gallery (inside Raleigh Municipal Building), 222 W. Hargett St., Raleigh. **Through July 22** - "Martha Clippinger + Jerstin Crosby: color/form," curated by Ashlynn Browning, showcases the artworks of Martha Clippinger and Jerstin Crosby, whose paintings, textiles, and sculptures boldly celebrate color and form. While they both use a vibrant, saturated palette and share a common aesthetic of organic/geometric hybrids, each artist navigates their creative process in very different ways. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:15pm. Contact: Stacy Bloom Rexrode, Curator of Exhibitions and Collections, Raleigh Arts, call 919/996-4687 or at (<https://raleighnc.gov/SupportPages/hue-untitled-process-color>).

CAM Raleigh, 409 W. Martin Street, between Harrington and West streets, Raleigh. **Main Gallery, Through Oct. 31** - "UNSEEN: Clarence Heyward". Born and raised in Brooklyn, NY, Clarence Heyward is a painter and collagist. He relocated to North Carolina to study Art Education at North Carolina Central University. He creates paintings and collages as an exploration of his culture. Clarence's artistic practice is based in the questioning of his identity and circumstance. He seeks ways to engage in dialogues that ultimately leave him connected to those who experience his work. His work is personal. Although creating from his perspective, the human element present in the work creates a connection for all. **Indepen-**

dent Weekly Gallery, Through Aug. 14 - "Titus Heagins". Exhibition Development for Transgender Series, photography. In the fall of 2021, CAM Raleigh will begin working with photographer Titus Heagins on the development of a major new exhibition devoted to the artist's long involvement photographing the transgender communities in the United States and Cuba. Exhibition Lab will provide the public with a real time, behind the scenes look at the development of a future CAM exhibition. During this yearlong experimental phase visitors will witness the difficulties of exhibit development within a complex, multilayered subject dealing with issues of race, gender, fairness, community, family, and Love. Exhibition Lab will culminate in a Main Gallery multi media exhibition, publication, and public programming series dedicated to the artist's work, opening in the fall of 2022. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon., 11am-6:30pm; Wed.-Fri., 11am-6:30pm; Sat. & Sun., noon-5pm; and 1st & 3rd Fri., open till 9pm. Contact: 919/513-0946 or at (<http://camraleigh.org/>).

Collective Arts Gallery & Ceramic Supply, 8801 Leadmine Road, Suite 103, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and nationally renowned artists on permanent exhibit. Hours: Tue.-Fri. 11am-7pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/844-0765.



Work by Rosalia Torres Weiner

Diamante Arts & Cultural Center, 5104 Western Blvd., Suite B, Raleigh. **Through May 13** - "Mi Gente, Un Reflejo / My People, A Reflection," featuring a solo exhibition of works by Rosalia Torres Weiner, a Charlotte-based artist, activist, and LatinX community leader, (including a few AR, augmented reality works. which with a downloaded app on your iPhone or iPad, which allows people to hear each painting's subject speak their own story). Torres Weiner's work celebrates the rich history and changing demographics of the South. She uses her art to document social conditions and raise awareness about issues affecting immigrant communities like family separation, racism, and moving beyond common stereotypes. **Ongoing** - The Diamante Arts & Cultural Center is a non-profit (501c3), a community grounded, arts and culture organization dedicated to the preservation, development, and promotion of the culture, heritage, and artistic expressions of the diverse Latino/Hispanic population in North Carolina. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/852-0075 or at (www.diamanteacc.org).

Frankie G. Weems Art Gallery, Gaddy-Harrick Art Center, Meredith College, 3800 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh. **Through Sept. 22** - "The 39th Annual Juried Student Art Exhibition". **Through May 6** - "Senior Exhibition". A reception will be held on Apr. 19, from 4:30-6:30, with a Gallery Talk at 5:30pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat.-Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 919/760-8600 or at (<https://www.meredith.edu/gallery>).

Gregg Museum of Art & Design, The Historic Chancellor's Residence, NC State University, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh. **Through Dec. 3** - "Reic Serritella: Trompe l'Oeil Ceramics". Chapel Hill artist Eric Serritella creates his ceramic sculptures as conduits to emotion through inquiry, recognition, and familiarity. Through aging and decay, Serritella's sculptures challenge the viewer with both the nature of the material and the messages within. Each organic creation is filled with metaphor, both literal and implied. Anthropomorphic elements and vessel forms link humanity as timelessly inseparable from its interactions and relationships to its natural surroundings. Each sculpture in Eric Serritella-Trompe l'Oeil Ceramics fosters awareness to affect viewers' behaviors toward the environment. Through this consciousness they can acquire new appreciations and ways of seeing. **Through Aug. 20** - "Frank Lee Craig: Near Distance". Of the many forms of visual art that have emerged in the last two centuries, collage and its three-dimensional sibling, assemblage, probably come closest to representing the process of human memory. Most of us summon up the past only in scattered bits and pieces that require instantaneous reassembly in order to literally "make sense" of recollected experiences each time we need to remember something. Every memory is a new collage of ephemeral thoughts, feelings, and impressions. "Frank Lee

Craig-Near Distance" features multimedia work, collages, paintings, and sculptures by the late architect and NC State College of Design Graduate, Frank Lee Craig (B. Arch '77). The bulk of the very substantial body of work we celebrate in this exhibition parallels his efforts to make sense of the mortal circumstance he suddenly confronted when diagnosed with a fatal illness, as well as his need to keep seeing the world through the lens of endless opportunities and possibilities. The exhibition was co-curated by Dr. Margret Kentgens-Craig and Roger Manley. **Through Nov. 12** - "Across the Threshold of India: Photographs by Martha Strawn," features photographs that make up a work of visual ecology that perceptively portrays one of India's and the world's longest and least-known religious practices—the art of sanctifying space through the creation of threshold diagrams. Objects from the Gregg Museum's permanent collection will also accompany the photographs. Many of Strawn's photographs are in the permanent collection of the Indra Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, the nation's foremost research center for Indian culture and art, and are featured in her book, "Across the Threshold of India: Art, Women, and Culture". **Ongoing** - One of NC State University's most historic buildings is now the permanent home of the Gregg Museum of Art & Design. The Historic Chancellor's Residence, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, along with a 15,000 sq. ft. addition, increases the museum's visibility while significantly adding to its exhibition and programming space. Hours: The Gregg Museum is suspending the need for timed entry reservations. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. The Gregg does ask that larger groups (15+) call ahead at (919) 515-3503, to avoid crowding in the galleries. Contact: Zoe Stirling, Curator of Education at 919/513-7244 or at (<https://gregg.arts.ncsu.edu/>).

North Carolina Museum of Art, 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh. **Through May 15** - "Container/Contained: Phil Freelon Design Strategies for Telling African American Stories". Exhibition highlights the career of the storied NC architect who designed the National Museum of African American History and Culture in DC. The exhibition celebrates the accomplished North Carolina architect Philip G. Freelon (1953-2019) and his remarkable career of over four decades designing public buildings with his firm, The Freelon Group, and later as design director of Perkins&Will North Carolina. "We're honored to help tell the story of Phil Freelon and his incredible accomplishments. The symbolism and metaphors in the buildings he designed celebrate Black communities and histories in a lasting way," said Museum Director Valerie Hillings. "Freelon served on the North Carolina Museum of Art Foundation Board from 2008 to 2012, so we are especially pleased to present this exhibition focused on his groundbreaking career." This exhibition, organized by a team of faculty and students led by Dr. Emily Makas from the School of Architecture at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, debuted at the Harvey B. Gantt Center for African American Arts and Culture in Charlotte, NC. It examines Freelon's work, which includes museums, libraries, cultural centers, and public parks, with a focus on projects that embrace Black communities and identities.

Meymandi Exhibition Gallery and in the Ann and Jim Goodnight Museum Park, Through July 17 - "Fault Lines: Art and the Environment," highlights contemporary artists' responses to current environmental concerns through an immersive multimedia exhibition and outdoor sculpture installations. Curated by the NCMA, Fault Lines includes works by 13 artists, including John Akomfrah, Olafur Eliasson, LaToya Ruby Frazier, Allison Janae Hamilton, Richard Mosse, Jennifer Steinkamp, and Christine and Margaret Wertheim. **Ongoing** - "Break the Mold: New Takes on Traditional Art Making". The exhibit showcases contemporary artists who use traditional modes of art making and crafting to tackle timely subject matter. Innovative takes on embroidery, ceramics, quilting, furniture, interior design, and fashion accessories serve to explore diverse topics such as gender assumptions and inequalities, prison reform, racial justice, memory, and loss, as well as how objects transmit and transform social and cultural history. This show features 25 contemporary artists, including Sanford Biggers, Elizabeth Brim, Maria Britton, Julie Cockburn, Rodney McMillan, Rachel Meginnes, Katy Mixon, Gabriel de la Mora, Yasumasa Morimura, Thomas Schmidt, Shinique Smith, and Do Ho Suh, whose artworks are displayed alongside some of their historical predecessors. **West Building, Through Apr. 10** - "To Be Young: Coming of Age in the Contemporary". Where does childhood end and adulthood begin? Using both figurative and abstract images from the Museum collection, "To Be Young: Coming of Age in the Contemporary" offers an introspective overview of coming of age across various communities throughout the 20th and 21st centuries. The exhibition explores how youths process development through concepts such as identity, community, and kinship to form new perspectives on the world. **East Building, Through July 3** - "PARTICIPATE: Activate the Senses

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