

# NC Institutional Galleries

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have captured the diverse and enigmatic nature of ritual and religion, and who has explored the subjective and often defining nature of belief, worship and culture. Like his predecessors - such as Walker Evans, Diane Arbus, Mary Ellen Mark and Robert Frank - Burns uses his cameras to probe a constantly shifting human landscape and to document the public and private aspects of culture and religion in transition, often working at the unclear and overlapping intersection of both. **Holden Community Gallery, Through June 22** - "Take 10: Collectors' Circle 10th Anniversary," celebrates the generosity of the Asheville Art Museum's Collectors' Circle, a membership group that encourages the exchange of ideas and interests, art learning, connoisseurship and collecting. As a vibrant and critical source of support, they are dedicated to growing the Museum's Permanent Collection through annual gifts of artwork, selected and presented in partnership with the curatorial staff. This exhibition presents a wide variety of gifts to the Museum by this dynamic group and includes works of art from the Circles' first 10 years. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Fri. till 8pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/253-3227 or at ([www.ashevilleart.org](http://www.ashevilleart.org)).



Work by Ruth Ilg

**Asheville Gallery of Art, Ltd.**, 16 College Street, Asheville. **June 1 - 30** - "Espressioni," featuring works by Ruth Ilg. A reception will be held on June 6, from 5-8pm. Artist Statement: "With these paintings, whether representational or abstract, I am seeking to express the luminosity and enchantment of evocative memories. I encourage viewers to see my experimental meditations as an invitation for their own emotive explorations." **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art by 28 local artists in oils, acrylics, watercolor, pastel, encaustic, and prints. Hours: M.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm and first Fri. of the month till 8pm. Contact: 828/251-5796 or at ([www.ashevillegallery-of-art.com](http://www.ashevillegallery-of-art.com)).

**Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center**, 56 Broadway, Asheville. **Ongoing** - An exhibition space dedicated to exploring the history and legacy of the world's most acclaimed experimental educational community, Black Mountain College. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/350-8484 or at ([www.blackmountaincollege.org](http://www.blackmountaincollege.org)).

**Flood Gallery Fine Arts Center**, 109 Roberts St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Dedicated to advancing the careers of emerging and mid career artists, as well as educating the public and furthering the understanding of contemporary art and its importance within the community and beyond. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/255-0066 or at ([www.philmechanicstudios.com](http://www.philmechanicstudios.com)).

**Guild Crafts of Southern Highland Craft Guild**, 930 Tunnel Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild in various media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/298-7903.

**NC Homespun Museum**, next to Grovewood Gallery, at Grove Park Inn, 111 Grovewood Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the Conway Collection of Appalachian Crafts, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Conway, who began collecting over 40 years ago while visiting the Southern Highland Craftsman Fair at the Civic Center in downtown Asheville. They also collected pottery & other traditional crafts from the Crafts Center during the State Fairs in Raleigh. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651.

**Southern Highland Craft Gallery**, 26 Lodge Street, former Biltmore Oteen Bank Building in Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a wide range of work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, including: pottery, glass, wood, jewelry, fiber, metal, paper, mixed media and natural materials. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828-277-6222 or at ([www.craftguild.org](http://www.craftguild.org)).

**The Folk Art Center of the Southern Highland Craft Guild**, Blue Ridge Parkway Milepost 382, Asheville. **Main Gallery, Through Sept. 14** - "Haywood Community College Graduate Show". Graduates of Haywood's Professional Crafts Program will showcase their talents in wood, clay, fiber, metal and jewelry. This exhibition continues the historical relationship between the Folk Art Center and Haywood, an Educational Center Member of the Southern Highland Craft Guild. Haywood Community College is located in Clyde, NC, just west of Asheville. The college's Professional Crafts Program began in recognition of the region's strong craft heritage. It was envisioned that students would learn the basics of craft media and how to transform that craft into a business. **Permanent Collection Gallery, Ongoing** - "Craft Traditions: The Southern Highland Craft Guild Collection". The Guild's Permanent Collection is comprised of approximately 2400 craft objects and dates from the late 19th century to present. Beginning with a donation from Frances Goodrich in 1931, the Permanent Collection serves the Guild's mission of craft conservation and education. This new installation will feature over 200 works that highlight our holdings in traditional art: woodcarving, pottery, dolls, basketry, weavings and furniture. The subject of this ongoing exhibition is craft history - that of the Southern Highland Craft Guild and the Studio Craft Movement. **Focus Gallery, Through July 29** - "Piecing It Together," features works by David Beyer (wood), Leo Monahan (paper), Betsy Morrill (fiber), Janice MacDonald (mixed media), Ann Vorus Parkhurst (fiber), and Jenny Lou Sherburne (clay). Hours: daily from 9am-6pm. Contact: 828/298-7928 or at ([www.southernhighlandguild.org](http://www.southernhighlandguild.org)).

**YMI Gallery**, YMI Cultural Center, 39 S. Market Street @ Eagle Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - "In the Spirit of Africa". Featuring traditional and contemporary African masks, figurative woodcarvings, beadwork, jewelry, and textiles. Discover the purpose of mask and sculptures, which reflect African ancestral heritage and learn to appreciate symbolism and abstraction in African art. **YMI Conference Room, Ongoing** - "Forebears & Trailblazers: Asheville's African American Leaders, 1800s - 1900s". The permanent exhibit offers a pictorial history of African-Americans from throughout Western North Carolina. Photographs of both influential and everyday people create a panorama of the variety of life among blacks in the mountain region. Here are the young and old, the prominent and the unknown, the men and women who helped create our city's life. **YMI Drugstore Gallery, Ongoing** - "Mirrors of Hope and Dignity". A moving and powerful collection of drawings by the renowned African-American artist Charles W. White. **Entry, Ongoing** - "George Vanderbilt's Young Men's Institute, 1892-Present". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-4614.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville  
**The North Carolina Arboretum**, Milepost 393, Blue Ridge Parkway, 100 Frederick Law Olmsted Way, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The Asheville Quilt Guild features a permanent, rotating quilt exhibit at Arboretum's Education Center. Visitors can also enjoy the Arboretum's Quilt Garden year-round, with plantings and patterns that change with the seasons. Admission: Yes. Hours: Education Center hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/665.2492 or at ([www.ncarboretum.org](http://www.ncarboretum.org)).

## Black Mountain - Swannanoa

**Black Mountain Center for the Arts**, Old City Hall, 225 West State St., Black Mountain. **Through June 14** - "8th annual Art in Bloom Exhibit," featuring regional art works on loan from a dozen galleries. This year's "Art in Bloom" takes place June 12, 13, 14 and includes a Gala Preview Party (June 12 at 6pm) with seated catered dinner, a gallery display of 22 Ikebana and Western floral designers interpretations of regional art work on loan from a dozen galleries, a two-day Cottage Garden Tour (June 13 and 14 from 10 am-4 pm), plein air painters in the gardens followed by a display of their works on June 16 - 18. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 10am-5pm; Thur. 11am-3pm; Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0930 or at ([www.blackmountainarts.org](http://www.blackmountainarts.org)).

## Blowing Rock

**Blowing Rock Art and History Museum**, corner of Chestnut and Main streets, downtown Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - the BRAHM will host exhibits, educational programs and classes that promote the visual arts, history and heritage of the mountains of western North Carolina. Admission: Yes. The Museum will be free on Thursdays from 4-7pm. Hours: Tue., Wed., Fri., & Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/295-9099 or at ([www.blowingrockmuseum.org](http://www.blowingrockmuseum.org)).

**Parkway Craft Center**, of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, at the Moses Cone Manor, Milepost 294, Blue Ridge Parkway, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild members in various media. Demonstrations offered each month. Hours: daily 9am - 5pm. Contact: 828/295-7938 or e-mail at ([parkwaycraft@bellsouth.net](mailto:parkwaycraft@bellsouth.net)).

## Boone

**Appalachian Cultural Museum**, University Hall Drive, off Hwy. 321 (Blowing Rock Road), Boone. **Ongoing** - The permanent exhibit area includes, TIME AND CHANGE, featuring thousands of objects ranging from fossils to Winston Cup race cars to the Yellow Brick Road, a section of the now closed theme park, "The Land of Oz". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/262-3117.

**Turchin Center for the Visual Arts**, Appalachian State University, 423 West King Street, Boone. **Galleries A and Mayer Gallery, West Wing, Through Aug. 2** - "Legacy, Tradition, Reinvention - Penland Resident Artists". Located just 45 miles from the Turchin Center, nestled in the Blue Ridge Mountains, is one of the most unique artistic educational facilities in the nation. Penland School of Crafts is a national center for craft education, hosting workshops of all varieties. Approximately 1,200 people come to Penland for instruction each year and another 14,000 visit the Penland Gallery and Visitor Center. **Gallery B, Through Aug. 2** - "Ivan Fortushniak: In Christ Alone". Heavily influenced by early Modern American Art of the 19th century, the motivation behind Ivan Fortushniak's recent work is to convey the dire state of man and their need for what the Gospel offers. Some of these paintings convey biblical references through collaged material from art historical texts while others use appropriated figurative imagery from Winslow Homer and are juxtaposed with water-towers, smokestacks and aircraft. The re-contextualization of these figures creates multiple time frames to convey that the concerns for the heart and soul are the same in the present as they were in the past. **Main Gallery, East Wing, Through June 7** - "William Dunlap - Geography Matters, North Carolina Collectors". The exhibition captures Dunlap's vast works from personal collections across North Carolina. Dunlap says that he became familiar with the power of place in art through southern literature. Surrounded by so much benevolence, talent, goodwill and glorious landscape, he was captivated by place and people in the creation of his works. **TCVA Community Gallery**, Through Apr. 26 - Behind the Scenes: Instructors of the Outreach Programs. The exhibition features the personal work of some of the artists who have worked as the instructors of the Turchin Center's outreach programs in the fall of 2013. These artists will also be hosting workshops at the Turchin Center in the spring and summer of 2014. These regional artists are committed to awakening the artist within each of us, to providing instruction that helps develop your own style and to helping each participant enjoy the process of creating art. **Mezzanine Gallery, East Wing, Through June 7** - "11th Appalachian Mountain Photography Competition". AMPC is a partnership program between Appalachian State University's Outdoor Programs in partnership with the Blue Ridge Parkway Foundation and the Turchin Center. One of the region's most prestigious photography competitions, AMPC attracts photographers by amateur and professional photographers from across the country with over 1,000 submissions last year. AMPC celebrates the unique people, places and pursuits of the Southern Appalachian mountains. Hours: 10am-6pm, Tue., Wed., Thur., & Sat. and Fri., noon -8pm. Contact: Hank T. Foreman at 828/262-3017 or at ([www.turchincenter.org](http://www.turchincenter.org)).

## Brasstown

**Folk School Craft Shop**, John C. Campbell Folk School, Olive D. Campbell Building, Brasstown. **Ongoing** - The shop represents more than 300 juried craftspeople and features an impressive collection of traditional and contemporary Appalachian craft, including jewelry, pottery, wood, fiber, ironwork, basketry and other disciplines. You'll find marquetry earrings, clay serving platters, turned-wood bowls, functional fireplace poker sets and many more unique items. The shop is also proud to be the home of the world-renowned Brasstown Carvers. A book room houses hundreds of instructional and celebratory books on everything from basketry to writing. Buy a few art supplies or a CD from our collection of traditional Appalachian music. You can take home a Folk School t-shirt, hat or bag as a souvenir. Find the perfect scenic postcard to tell everyone back home about your visit to the Folk School. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm; Thur. til 6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 800/365-5724 or at ([www.folkschool.org](http://www.folkschool.org)).

## Brevard

**Transylvania Community Arts Center Gallery**, 349 S. Caldwell St., Brevard. **June 6 - 20** - "Potters of WNC". A reception will be held on June 6, from 5-7pm. The Transylvania Community Arts Council has invited Potters from Transylvania County and WNC to be in this art exhibit. **June 21 - July 4** - "Arts & Culture Week 2014". Sponsored by: TC Arts Council & Jerome & Summery Insurance. Enjoy more than 60+ ART events in one week in downtown Brevard and Transylvania County. Example of events: Opening of the Brevard Music Center, Brevard's 4th Friday Gallery Walk, Street Dances, Music Jams, Open Mic Nite, Live Radio Variety Show, Art Show & Sale and the week ends with a BANG at the Heart of Brevard 4th of July Celebration and Fireworks Extravaganza! **June 27 - July 11** - "Transylvania Art Guild's Summer Arts Showcase". Enjoy artwork by members of the Transylvania Art Guild. An artist reception will be held on June 27, from 5-9pm as part of Brevard's 4th Friday Gallery Walk. Stop by and VOTE for your favorite piece of artwork. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/884-2787 or at (<http://www.tcarts.org>).

## Burlington

**Point of View Gallery**, 717 Chapel Hill Road, Burlington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by member artists: Kathy Alderman, Frances Baker, India Cain, John Dodson, Steven Durland, Debra Farmer, Bill Ferree, Brenda Garner, Wendy Gellert, Michael Kennedy, Cheryl Knox, Peggy McCormick, Jacqueline Mehning, Christine Seiler, Lane Watson, and Rose Wenkel. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat. & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/270-4998 or at ([www.PointOfViewGallery.com](http://www.PointOfViewGallery.com)).

## Burnsville

**Burnsville Gallery**, Toe River Arts Council, 102 W. Main St., Burnsville. **Through June 21** - "Paint Out Participants". **June 28 - Aug 1** - "Buettner Photography". **Ongoing** - Featuring works by artists from Mitchell and Yancey Counties sponsored by the Toe River Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at ([www.toeriverarts.org](http://www.toeriverarts.org)).

## Cary

**Throughout Cary, June 27, from 6-9pm** - "Cary Art Loop," featuring an evening tour of art spaces in Cary held on the final Friday of the month. Take the C-Tran to the Cary Art Loop! The free bus will make stops at Coffee and Crepes, Studio 180 Salon, Ashworth Village, Cary Arts Center and Page-Walker Arts & History Center/Cary Town Hall. Contact: ([www.caryartloop.org](http://www.caryartloop.org)).

**Bond Park Community Center**, 150 Metro Park Drive, Cary. **Through June 28** - "Debi L. Drew: Polymer Clay Refocused". A reception will be held on May 2, from 6-8pm. Debi L. Drew recently began creating polymer clay art panels, exploring new ways to manipulate the clay and push boundaries on existing techniques. Many of her abstract pieces result from experimentation and production techniques used in creating her one-of-a-kind polymer clay jewelry. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/462-3970 or at ([www.townofcary.org](http://www.townofcary.org)).

**Cary Arts Center Gallery**, 101 Dry Avenue, Cary. **Through July 19** - "Michael Roy Layne - Nature+Culture: Forms and Forces in Environmental Art". A reception will be held on May 30, from 6-8pm. Installed temporarily indoors or out (installation art) or created as permanently (environmental sculpture), his large-scale artworks focus on the interaction between people and their environment and often spotlight environmental concerns or employ aesthetically engineered solutions to solve ecological problems. Trained as a landscape architect and researcher as well as an artist, Dr. Layne's sculptured spaces encourage people to interact with and respond to the physical environment in personal and social ways and provide the individual or whole community a chance to be involved in the creative process. His approach insures that the final artwork protects and improves the natural and cultural systems present on the site and provides for continued community building opportunities of ritual and celebration. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-10pm & Fri.-Sat., 9am-11pm. Contact: 919/469-4069 or at ([www.townofcary.org](http://www.townofcary.org)).

**Cary Gallery of Artists**, 200 S Academy St, Ste 120, Ashworth Square, Cary. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers high quality art in a variety of styles. Paintings, pencil and colored pencil artwork varies from traditional still lifes and landscapes to abstracts. Portraits of people or animals are available. Photographic work captures magnificent landscapes, small moments in life, portraits, and far away places. The pottery and clay art includes edgy handbuilt pieces, thought-provoking sculpted masks, and decorative and functional pottery that captures images of nature. Our jewelry artists provide a wide range

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