

SC Institutional Galleries

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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 Twiggs, Tjelda Vander Meijden, Mary Walker, Sue Simons Wallace, Joe Walters, Sam Wang, Enid 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).

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/>).

Chesnee

Carolina Foothills Artisan Center, 124 W. Cherokee Street, intersection of Hwy. 11 & Hwy. 221, Chesnee. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by over 60 North & South Carolina artists, including pottery, decorative and functional; paintings in oil, watercolor, acrylic and mixed media; textiles and fiber art; carved wood; jewelry; dolls; brooms; monotypes; pewter sculpture; mosaics; glass, stained, torched and fused; photography; baskets; fine wood furniture; books and cards. **Also** - Offering educational programming for all ages, from art classes to cultural events. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3:30pm. Contact: 864/461-3050 or at (www.cfacs.us).

Clemson Area



Work by Adrienne Litchlitter

Rudolph E. Lee Gallery, Center for the Visual Arts at Clemson University, Lee Hall, Clemson University, Clemson. **Through Apr. 11** - "Restrained, Resensitize," exhibits the thesis work of MFA printmaker, Adrienne Litchlitter. A gallery talk will be given on Apr. 9, from 2:30-3pm. A reception will be held on Apr. 11, from 6-8pm. This collection of prints and installation present a modest and restrained aesthetic, allowing the naturalness of the materials to share importance with the artist's hand. Through careful arrangements of colors, marks and ambiguous focal point the artist invites the viewer to come to peace with obscurities, experiencing tranquility through resisting categorization. **Apr. 14 - 24** - "Look Here, Not There," featuring works by BFA students including: oil paintings by Ashley Davis, Georgia Haas, and T. J. Fletcher; drawings by Chi-Chen Lee; photos by Sarah Phillips and Elisabeth Smith; and woodcuts by Annemarie Weekley. A reception and Artist Talk will be given on Apr. 18, starting at 6:30pm. The exhibit showcases the culmination of senior studio research for the graduating class of 2014. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 864/656-3883 or at (<http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/cva/index.html>).

The ARTS Center, 212 Butler St., Clemson. **Through Apr. 21** - "Art in the Garden." **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 **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

Columbia Museum of Art, Main & Hampton Streets, Columbia. **Lipscomb Family Gallery, Through Apr. 20** - "Japan and the Jazz Age". The exhibition features a dynamic range of material, enticing visitors to discover this rich period in world history and visual culture. This exhibition recreates the energy and excitement of the Art Deco age in Japan between the two world wars-from the 1920s to 1940s. The artists celebrated in this exhibition transformed the traditional motifs in Japanese art to reflect their more cosmopolitan lifestyle while capturing the rapidly changing and modernizing Japanese culture during the jazz age, including flappers and music halls. **Mamie and William Andrew Treadway, Jr. Gallery 15, Through May 18** - "Meiji Magic: Imperial Porcelain from Japan". After years of shogun rule, in 1868 Japan was once again ruled by an Emperor. He took the name Meiji which means "enlightened rule". This period is called the Meiji Restoration and lasted until 1912. The government realized that Japanese arts and crafts could be exported to answer the Western curiosity about Japanese culture and to help stabilize the Japanese economy. The province of Satsuma was a particularly important producer of porcelains and stoneware during this rich period of production. **BB&T Focus Gallery, Ongoing** - "Southern Traditions," will showcase the richness and diversity of the Museum's collection of furniture, ceramics, silver, basketry, sculpture and paintings by artists native to, or active in, South Carolina and its surrounding states. Among the works on view will be fine silver made by Charleston and Columbia silversmiths; a sweet grass basket by Mary Jackson (SC, born 1945); wood carvings by Edgar Alexander McKillop (NC, 1879-1950); and paintings by Charles Fraser (SC, 1782-1860), Xanthus Russell Smith (SC, 1839-1929), William Harrison Scarborough (SC, 1812-1871), William Aiken Walker (SC, 1838-1921), among others. **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.-Fri., 11am-5pm; first Fri., till 8pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).

Goodall Gallery, Spears Music/Art Center, Columbia College, 1301 Columbia College Drive, Columbia. **Apr. 4 - May 3** - "Awake & Unafraid," Annual BA Art Exhibition. A reception will be held on Apr. 12, from 3-5pm. An Artists' Gallery Talk will be held on Apr. 16, beginning at 12:30pm. The exhibit features works by seven senior art majors: Kaity Hallman, Jessica Hunt, Meg Padgett, Ashley Puckett, Kim Spade, Krystin White, and Clare Williamson. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 10 am-5pm, Thur.-Fri., 10am-7pm, and Sat.&Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: call Rebecca B. Munnerlyn at 803/786.3649 or e-mail at (rbmunnerlyn@colacol.edu).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. **3rd Floor Lobby, Through May 10** - "The Photography

of the Rural South," exhibit is a product of the course of the same title offered by the Institute for Southern Studies and the Department of Art. It is a unique course that instructs students with no prior experience in photography about the theory and practice of photography. As part of its training, the course asks students to work together in groups to create photographic studies of rural communities around North and South Carolina. It introduces students to the long history of photographic and documentary projects of the South, and provides opportunities to interact with internationally acclaimed artists and photographers. **Ongoing** - "Diverse Voices: Discovering Community Through Traditional Arts". Dedicated to the late George D. Terry, "Diverse Voices" explores deeply-rooted traditions that help create and maintain the cultural landscape of South Carolina and the surrounding region. Each year the exhibit will focus on a specific theme or tradition. Year one of "Diverse Voices" offers a comprehensive presentation of objects from the museum collection that represent the work of celebrated NEA National Heritage Fellows and Jean Laney Harris Folk Heritage Award recipients. **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/>).

McMaster Gallery, room 119, basement level, McMaster Building, 1615 Senate Street, University of South Carolina, corner of Pickens & Senate Streets, Columbia. **Apr. 1 - May 31** - "MFA Exhibitions". Weeklong exhibitions of works by graduating MFA candidates. Individual dates TBA. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: Mana Hewitt, Gallery Director at 803/777-7480 or at (http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/art/mcmaster_gallery).

Richland County Public Library, Gallery at Main, 1431 Assembly St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring 20 pieces of public art on permanent display. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat, 9am-6pm; Sun, 2-6pm. Contact: 803/988-0886 or at (www.richland.lib.sc.us).

701 Center for Contemporary Art, 701 Whaley St., Columbia. **Main Gallery, Through May 4** - "Madame Magar's Workshop," featuring a unique presentation by Charleston, SC, artist, Leigh Magar. Magar is holding a residency at 701 Center through Apr. 30. Explore the contemporary world of millinery and fashion design through an innovative, imaginative installation by Charleston artist Leigh Magar. Magar transforms the gallery into a workshop and showroom environment that for six weeks takes us through her highly individual creative process, played out in real time and culminating in a fully realized Mill Collection of work garments. **Hallway: Community Gallery, Through Apr. 27** - Featuring Prints and drawings by Grace Rockafellow. Hours: Wed., 11am-8pm; Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/238-2351 or at (www.701cca.org).



Work by Edwin Forbes

South Carolina Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum, 301 Gervais Street, same building with the SC State Museum, Columbia. **Through Aug. 15** - "An Artist's Story: Civil War Drawings of Edwin Forbes". Like thousands of young men, twenty-three-year-old John Edwin Forbes went to war in 1862, but he did not shoulder a rifle or carry a saber. A classically trained artist, Forbes joined a group of reporters known collectively as the Bohemian Brigade. Sent south by northern newspapers, they fed a home front population hungry for information about the war and the men engaged in it. For two and a half years Forbes documented the Union and Confederate armies in Virginia in camp, on the march, and in battle. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & 1st Sun. of the month, 1-5pm. Contact: 803/737-8095 or at (www.crr.sc.gov).

SC State Museum, 301 Gervais St., Columbia. **Through 2015** - "The Coming of the Civil War," will look at the origins of the disagreement between South Carolina and the federal government, beginning with the nullification crisis of 1832-33. The exhibit will be augmented by five more single-topic exhibits through the sesquicentennial war years (2011-2015) until the expansion space is filled. **The Crescent Café**, second floor mezzanine of the Museum. The house menu offers a variety of baked goods, juices, coffee, hot chocolate and tea. Lunchtime offerings include deli sandwiches and alternating daily soups, as

well as grilled chicken salads and sandwiches. And let's not forget the house specialty: spectacular fudge, handmade on-site. Café Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm and Sun. 1-4pm. Museum Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm ; Sun., 1-5pm. Admission: Yes. General admission to the South Carolina State Museum is only \$1 to guests on the first Sunday of every month. Contact: Tut Underwood at 803/898-4921 or at (www.southcarolinastatemuseum.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia area **Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center**, 1101 Lincoln St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists throughout the convention center, including works by Mike Williams, Liisa Salosaari Jasinski, Tyrone Geter, Peter Lenzo, Jamie Davis, Tom Lockart & Mark Woodham, Angela Bradburn, Virginia Scotchie, Denise Dent, Sue Grier, Brian Rego, Heather LaHaise, Howard Hunt, Robert Campbell, Ernest Lee, David J.P. Hooker, Ralph Waldrop, Elena Madden, Debbie Martin, Blue Sky, Laura Spong, Jean McWhorter, Claire Farrell, Justin Guy, and Jonathan Green. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/545-0001 or at (www.columbia-conventioncenter.com/phototour/phototour/).

Conway

The Rebecca Randall Bryan Art Gallery, located in the Thomas W. and Robin W. Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts Building, Coastal Carolina University, Conway. **Through Apr. 4** - "Out of Hobcaw," featuring an exhibition of watercolor and mixed media paintings by artist and Coastal Carolina University Professor of Painting Maura Kenny. Kenny, a former resident on the barony, shares her insights into the people, landscape, conservation, and preservation occurring within Hobcaw Barony and provides unique access to its storied history. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/349-2711 or at (www.coastal.edu/bryanartgallery/).

Due West

Bowie Arts Center, Bonner St., Erskine College, Due West. **Ongoing** - Permanent Collections, 19th c. furniture, cut-glass, clocks and decorative arts. Also, 19th & early 20th c. music boxes & mechanical musical instruments. Hours: M-Th, 1-4:30pm or by appt. Contact: 864/379-8867.

Florence

New Hours
Art Trail Gallery, 185 West Evans Street, just around the corner from their old location on Dargon Street, Florence. **Apr. 4 - 24** - "Animals," featuring works of any creature - real or imagined by regional artists. A reception will be held on Apr. 4, from 5-7pm. **Ongoing** - Also the home of Alex Palkovich's sculpture studio. New at the Gallery is "Shoebbox Art", 8x10 paintings donated by local artist to be sold for only \$20! All proceeds go to the gallery for operating expenses. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/673-0729 or at (www.art-trail-gallery.com).

Hyman Fine Arts Center, Francis Marion University, Florence. **Apr. 1 - May 3** - "Senior Shows by FMU Visual Arts Majors". Senior shows are required of all students majoring in Visual Arts. These shows give students hands-on experience in selection and installation of artworks, publicity of exhibition, and external review by the University community and the general public. **Apr. 22 - May 1** - "Works by Ceramics and 3D Design Classes". A showcase of new works created during the current semester by students learning skills in visual arts classes. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 843/661-1385 or at (<http://departments.fmarion.edu/finearts/gallery.htm>).

Fort Mill

Fort Mill History Museum, 310 N White Street, Fort Mill. **Ongoing** - Our mission is to promote the collection, preservation, educational interpretation, and display of those artifacts, documents, and events most representative of Fort Mill, South Carolina - its pre-history and history, its people and institutions, and its cultural and economic development. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/802-3646 or at (www.fortmillhistorymuseum.org).

Gaffney

Cherokee Alliance of Visual Artists Gallery, 210 West Frederick Street, located in the former Old Post Office building one street over from the Main Street with the City of Gaffney Visitors Center, Gaffney. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by Cherokee County artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 864/489-9119 or e-mail at (cavagallery@yahoo.com).

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