

# SC Institutional Galleries

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**701 Center for Contemporary Art**, 701 Whaley St., Columbia. **Main Gallery, Through June 24** - "SC Fellows Part II". In 2017, the South Carolina Arts Commission (SCAC) celebrated its 50th anniversary. As part of the celebration, the SCAC organized a series of exhibitions of artists who have been selected as the prestigious SCAC Fellows in the Visual Arts. These showings will be presented in museums and galleries throughout South Carolina. 701 CCA has been designated as the anchor venue. **July 12 - Aug. 26** - "Yvette Cummings Solo Exhibition: 701 CCA Prize 2016 Winner". A reception will be held on July 12, from 7-9pm. Reception Admission: members, free; non-members, \$5 suggested donation. This solo exhibition will feature work created throughout the duration of Cummings' residency that explores themes outlined in detail above. The show will be comprised of two-dimensional paintings and installations. **West side of the 701 Whaley building, Ongoing** - "Herb Parker: Olympia Dialogue," featuring an outdoor, architectural installation by Charleston, SC, artist Herb Parker. His architectural structure is 10 feet tall, 34 feet long and 18 feet wide and made of rebar, oat straw, jute, bamboo, reed and mulch. Parker created the work during his May residency at 701 CCA with several volunteer assistants. "Olympia Dialogue" is 701 CCA's first commissioned public art work. Hours: Wed., 11am-8pm; Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/238-2351 or at ([www.701cca.org](http://www.701cca.org)).

**SC State Museum**, 301 Gervais St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - "Eclipsing 50: The SC State Art Collection 1967 - 2017." This new exhibition features artwork collected from 1967 - 2017 and highlights the breadth and depth of work produced by artists in our state. Established in 1967 as one of the South Carolina Arts Commission's first programs, the State Art Collection now includes 493 works in a variety of styles and media from 287 artists. This exhibit includes over 80 pieces from the collection and centers on the spirit of dynamism and leaps of artistic faith revealed in this unique cultural document of South Carolina's changing art landscape. Featured artists include: Jasper Johns, Linda McCune, Robert Courtright, Mary Jackson, Mike Williams, Jorge Otero, Bing Jian Zhang, James Busby, and many more! **Ongoing** - "ART: A Collection of Collections." The SC State Museum is home to over 4,000 works of art, hand-made objects and various collections within its collection. Many of these pieces have never been on display in the museum. ART: A Collection of Collections will highlight some of these one-of-a-kind collections within the museum's entire collection. Guests will get to explore works of fine, folk and decorative art made by South Carolina artists that are being grouped into collections within the exhibit based on medium, subject or artist. This exhibit will showcase rarely seen artwork by South Carolina artists, enhanced by the fascinating stories of their inception and why they belong with other works of art to give us a new look at South Carolina and its visual culture. **4th Floor, beginning on May 19** - "Fill in the Gap," lets visitors discover items recently acquired by the museum within the last five years and learn about the process curators use to collect them, which includes artwork by Tarleton Blackwell, Catawba Indian pottery and a first generation Fender Stratocaster guitar. **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. Museum Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun., 1-5pm. Admission: Yes. Contact: call 803/898-4921 or at (<http://scmuseum.org>).

**Tapp's Art Center**, 1644 Main Street, Columbia. **Through June 30** - "BA AKHU ART SHOW," featuring works by Seitu Amenwahsu. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-7pm. Contact: 803/609-3479 or at ([www.tappsartscenter.com](http://www.tappsartscenter.com)).

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: 803/545-01181.

**Land Bank Lofts Gallery**, Federal Land Bank Building, 1401 Hampton Street, Columbia.

**Ongoing** - Land Bank Lofts Gallery is growing as a large-scale center for exhibiting home-grown original art. In 2016, the South Carolina Artists group set out to create a gallery in the historic building constructed in 1924. Home to the famous "Tunnel Vision" & "Haystacks" murals, the as it was originally known has been completely transformed into a modern masterpiece for today's lifestyle. Hours: call for hours. Contact: call 803/828-7790 or South Carolina Artists by calling 803/602-4814 or at (<http://www.southcarolinaartists.com>).

## 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.

## Elloree

**Elloree Heritage Museum and Cultural Museum**, 2714 Cleveland Street, Elloree. **Ongoing** - Stroll Cleveland Street as it appeared in 1900 and delight in the recreated stores, bank and hotel; Explore the train station, logging and butchering areas; Visit Snider Cabin, birthplace of William J. Snider, founder of Elloree; Learn about tenant farming and meet midwife Mary Ella Jones who was responsible for delivering many Elloree babies; Take a rest in the two-seater outhouse; Explore a plantation gin house with its original gin, cotton press, and mechanicals; Learn how cotton is grown, picked and ginned today; See the variety of horse-drawn plows, planters and cultivators that farmers used to work their land; Meet Ruby Doo and learn about the history of mules and the vital role they played in southern agriculture; and Visit the upstairs gallery for the latest show featuring work by local and regional South Carolina artists, a baseball exhibit, a postcard exhibit or any of a variety of changing exhibits. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803-897-2225 or at (<http://www.elloreemuseum.org>).

## Florence

**Florence County Museum**, 111 West Cheves Street, across the street from the Francis Marion University Performing Arts Center, Florence. **Special Exhibits Gallery, Through July 22** - "Women Artists of Black Mountain College Exhibit". North Carolina's Black Mountain College was an experimental and progressive landmark in American art. Its founders and faculty were among the most memorable men in 20th century art history: Josef Albers, Robert Rauchenberg, Buckminster Fuller, Willem de Kooning, Philip Cage, Merce Cunningham. But what about the women? Using twenty-seven artworks in a broad range of media, including painting, textiles, sculpture, ceramics, and photography, this exhibit explores the unheralded role of women artists at Black Mountain, whose own legacies often remain eclipsed by their male contemporaries. **Community Gallery, Through Sept. 23** - "Print Detectives," an interactive exhibit for children and families, explores the wide variety of printmaking processes exhibited throughout the Florence County Museum, along with tools and techniques used in each. Visitors will search for clues as they learn about relief printing, intaglio printing, lithography, and serigraphy. Become a Print Detective with our interactive FCM Detective Kit. Search the museum for clues with activities to help engage with prints throughout the museum. Make prints at home with a free take-away packet for visitors with simple tools and instructions. **Ongoing** - This exhibit introduces visitors to the history of the museum and its formative collections. This gallery also exhibits the histories and diversity of the City of Florence, and the incorporated municipalities of Florence County. Additionally, the Community Gallery communicates the lives, stories and accomplishments of significant past and present citizens of Florence County and members of its communities. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design. **Pee Dee History Gallery, Ongoing** - This is the largest gallery space in the facility, comprising 3,300 sq. ft. of exhibit space. This permanent collections gallery occupies the entire second floor, east wing of the building. Artifacts are supported by historical images and narrative interpretation, giving a comprehensive introduction to the Pee Dee region from prehistory to the present. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design. **Waters Gallery, Through July 13** - "In Absentia," featuring work by Fayetteville, NC, artist Austin Sheppard, whos

exhibition is presented by the Florence Regional Arts Alliance in collaboration with the Florence County Museum, as the third annual ArtFields Solo Exhibition Award. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: 843/676-1200 or visit ([www.flocomuseum.org](http://www.flocomuseum.org)).

**Hyman Fine Arts Center**, Francis Marion University, Florence. **Adele Kassab Gallery, Through Aug. 2** - "Befoul: Prints on Cloth by Jeff Murphy". This series of work mixes charcoal drawing with photographs in heavily edited collages with some charcoal drawing printed on fabric. All works in this series incorporate images of the sea, often including images of animals, some washed up on the shore. The images can be whimsical as well as disturbing, as in "Surfcasting," in which a figure casts a line into a rough sea while standing atop the eye of an alligator. Summer Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 843/661-1385 or at (<http://departments.fmarion.edu/finearts/gallery.htm>).

## 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. **June 7 - July 31** - "Anything Goes!" is open to local and area artists. The exhibit is a prelude to Gaffney's annual Peach Festival, July 20 - Aug. 4. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by Cherokee County artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 864-489-9119 or 864-489-9817.

## Greenville

**Downtown Greenville** - "First Fridays," featuring a gallery crawl presented on the first Fri, of the month from 6-9pm. Visit galleries throughout the downtown area. For info: ([www.fristfridaysonline.com](http://www.fristfridaysonline.com)).

**Clemson University's Center for Visual Arts - Greenville**, 5th Floor, ONE Building, 1 North Main Street, Greenville. **Through June 4** - "Supersystems," featuring works by Kathleen Thum. The drawings and paintings of Kathleen Thum's exhibition are a hybrid of various human physiological systems, which are depicted through abstract networks of forms, shapes, lines, marks and color. Like our internal anatomy, the structures in these works are layered, linear, flowing, clustered, open, dense and intertwined. Referencing medical illustrations, industrial systems and topographical maps, Thum playfully creates her own imagery to portray the fascinating inter-workings of our bodies. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: visit ([www.clemson.edu/cva/cva-greenville](http://www.clemson.edu/cva/cva-greenville)).

**Greenville Center for Creative Arts**, 25 Draper Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Home to 16 studio artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: call 864/735-3948 or at ([www.artcentergreenville.org](http://www.artcentergreenville.org)).

**Greenville County Museum of Art**, 420 College Street, Greenville. **Through Sept. 16** - "Impressionism and the South." On April 15, 1874, in an act of defiance against the official French government-sanctioned Salon exhibitions, thirty self-proclaimed Independent artists opened an exhibition at photographer Nadar's vacated Paris studio. Shortly after, a satirical review that mocked Claude Monet's Impression, Sunrise gave the movement its name. Impressionism was the first bombshell launched against academic tradition. The movement defined light as color, becoming the first modern language of paint. Sun-drenched and spontaneous, this selection of American Impressionist paintings from the GCMA permanent collection invites viewers to consider the ideas and techniques that opened the door to modern visual expression. **Through Sept. 16** - "Sidney Dickinson: A Connecticut Yankee in King Cotton's Court." Sidney Dickinson (1890 - 1980) studied with William Merritt Chase and George Bridgman at the Art Students League, where he later taught for more than twenty-five years. He exhibited extensively throughout the Northeast and was an active member of the National Academy of Design, serving as a jury member for a number of years before becoming a full Academician in 1927. Dickinson occasionally visited Calhoun, Alabama, where his parents worked with his maternal aunt, Charlotte Thorn, at the Calhoun Colored School. With guidance from Booker T. Washington, Thorn established the Calhoun Colored School in 1892. **Ongoing** - "South Carolina Icons." Consider the work of three African-American artists from South Carolina, David Drake, William H. Johnson, and Merton Simpson. Their work echoes the stories of slavery, the struggle for equality, and the Civil rights movement. Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/271-7570 or at ([www.gcma.org](http://www.gcma.org)).

**Lipscomb Gallery**, South Carolina Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities, 15 Uni-

versity St., Greenville. **Ongoing** - We feature several exhibitions throughout each year - our own students and faculty, plus many guest artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Visitors are asked to sign in at the Administration Building's front desk before entering campus. Contact: 864/282-3777.

**Metropolitan Arts Council Gallery**, 16 Augusta Street, Greenville. **Through June 1** - "One-Stop Open Studios Retrospective". This exhibit features the works of over 95 local artists who have participated in the fall Greenville Open Studios event between 2002 - 2017. Each artist is invited to submit a 12 x 12 (x12) inch piece to the exhibit which runs in conjunction with Artisphere, Greenville's premier art festival, and allows for greater exposure and awareness of Greenville-area visual artists. **June 16 - July 13** - "Flat Out Under Pressure", featuring works of art by local artists created in 24 hours. This is the 9th annual competition. Eight winners will be chosen to have their work reproduced on one of Greenville's downtown recycling bins next year. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Greenville area artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/467-3132, or at ([www.greenvillearts.com](http://www.greenvillearts.com)).

**Museum & Gallery**, Bob Jones University, Wade Hampton Boulevard, Greenville. **Ongoing** - "Likely and Unlikely Pairings," featuring a fascinating juxtaposition of art and mundane objects revealing a variety of viewpoints. Through this special comparative display, the unique presentation serves as an engaging tool for all viewers interested in understanding the many facets of art, culture, and thought. **Ongoing** - Permanent exhibition of the finest collection of religious art in America, including works by Rubens, Botticelli, and Van Dyck. Offering visitors a 60-minute audio-guided tour of over 40 favored works for a modest fee. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 864/242-5100, Ext. 1050 or at ([www.bjmg.org](http://www.bjmg.org)).

**RIVERWORKS Gallery**, Suite 202, Art Crossing on the Reedy River in downtown Greenville. **Through July 1** - "Passing Time: Photographs by Zane Logan and Patrick Owens". A reception will be held on June 1, from 6-9pm. Passing time could be lazily sitting on the porch, impatiently waiting for an appointment, surviving the ravages of neglect, or quietly bonding with past events or people, especially family. Through their photographs, Zane and Patrick are patiently, quietly reconnecting with their own pasts and with their respective families. Both stop time in their images and record particular moments in their own lives and familial relationships. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 1-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: call 864/271-0679 or e-mail to ([fleming.markel@gvltc.edu](mailto:fleming.markel@gvltc.edu)).

**Thompson Gallery**, Thomas Anderson Roe Art Building, Furman University, Greenville. **Through June 15** - "Surviving War is Hell: Healing the Emotional Traumas of War Through Art," featuring works by South Carolina native son and US Army combat veteran Brad Carraway, presented by the Furman Department of Art. It features work inspired by the artist's struggle with combat-related Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), and his desire to help others who are dealing with the condition. A reception and talk with the artist is set for Friday, May 18, 6-7:30pm in the Roe Art Building. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/294-2074.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenville **Centre Stage Theatre Gallery**, 501 River Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by visual art members of MAC. Exhibits are offered in collaboration with the Metropolitan Arts Council. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 2-6pm & 2 hr. prior to shows. Contact: MAC at 864/467-3132 or at ([www.greenvillearts.com](http://www.greenvillearts.com)).

**Whole Foods Market**, café area, 1140 Woodruff Rd., Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring rotating exhibits of works by members of Upstate Visual Arts (changing every 60 days). Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8am-9pm; Fri. & Sat., 8am-10pm & Sun., 9am-9pm. Contact: 864/232-4433 or at ([www.upstatevisualarts.org](http://www.upstatevisualarts.org)).

## Greenwood



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**Landscaped areas in Uptown Greenwood, June 1 - 6, 2018** - "Signature Topiaris". When it comes to flowers, everyone loves the topiaris—from the majestic elephant to the

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