

# NC Commercial Galleries

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**Aug. 5 - Sept. 12** - "The Awakeners: Teachers, Mentors, Friends," featuring an exhibition of the gallery's art class and workshop instructors. A reception will be held on Aug. 15, from 1-5pm. Participating in the show are: Ruth Cox, oil; Jane Staszak, pastel; Terry Sellers Harrison, watercolor; Pat Smelkoff, batik; Jane Truesdale, pottery; Jamie Futera, pottery; Ginny Lassiter, acrylic; Sterling Edwards, acrylic; Joe DiGiulio, acrylic; and Freeman Beard, watercolor. **Ongoing** - A unique eclectic gallery showcasing over 200 local artists in virtually every medium. Enjoy gourmet coffee, tea and treats as you stroll through the 10,000 square-foot space. Art classes and custom framing are offered on-site. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/575-5999 or at ([www.sunsetrivermarketplace.com](http://www.sunsetrivermarketplace.com)).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Ocean Isle Beach **Silver Coast Winery**, 6680 Barbeque Rd., Ocean Isle Beach. **Ongoing** - Art gallery featuring local artists, David McCune, Steven Schuman, and Suzanne C. Hunady, as well as daily tours, tastings and the art of wine making. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11-6pm & Sun. 12-5pm. Contact: 910/287-2800 or at ([www.silvercoastwinery.com](http://www.silvercoastwinery.com)).

## Cary

**Emerge Fine Art**, 200 S Academy Street, Ste 110, Cary. **Ongoing** - The gallery specializes in abstract and contemporary art. The 1,000 square foot space maintains an extensive inventory of fine art pieces across a variety of mediums including paintings, photography, and hand-blown glass, that even the most discerning collector will find of great interest. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 919/380-4470 or at (<http://www.emergefineart.com/>).

**Michael Lecher Gallery**, 115A W. Chatham St., Cary. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists, including paintings, photography, jewelry, sculpture and more. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. till 8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/481-2939.

**Stonehaven Jewelry Gallery**, 101 Ledge Stone Way, Stonecreek Village Shopping Center, corner of Davis Drive and High House Rd., Cary. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom design, jewelry repair, original oil paintings, limited edition prints, and fine art glass. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/462-8888 or at ([www.stonehavenjewelry.com](http://www.stonehavenjewelry.com)).

**The Nature of Art Gallery**, 106-D Colonades Way, Waverly Place Shopping Center, Cary. **Ongoing** - Featuring whimsical and eclectic artworks for interiors and gardens with a native flair. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm, except Wed. till 9pm. Contact: 919/859-6004.

## Celo

**Toe River Crafts**, 6274 on Hwy. 80 South, 7 miles north of the Blue Ridge Parkway, Celo. **Ongoing** - Providing a showcase for handmade objects in many media such as clay, wood, fiber, glass, paper, metal, jewelry, photography, printmaking, and painting. Hours: e-mail for hours. Contact: e-mail at ([toerivercrafts@gmail.com](mailto:toerivercrafts@gmail.com)) or at (<http://www.toerivercrafts.com/>).

## Chapel Hill - Carrboro

**Chapel Hill/Carrboro Art Walks - second Friday of each month from 6-9pm. Info at ([www.2ndfridayartwalk.com](http://www.2ndfridayartwalk.com)).**

**Animation and Fine Art Galleries**, University Mall, 201 S Estes Dr., Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary works of art and animation art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/968-8008 or at ([www.animationandfineart.com](http://www.animationandfineart.com)).

**Black Mountain Gallery**, 1800 #9 E. Franklin Street, Eastgate Shopping Center, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring handwrought designer jewelry by artisans from throughout the United States. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/967-8101.

**Blackwood Station Gallery**, 6113 Hwy. 86N., Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional & fine art, sculpture and fine art prints. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm, & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/968-1360.

**Cameron's**, University Mall, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary American crafts and pottery, folk art and functional art objects. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/942-5554.

**Chapellier Fine Art**, 105 Arlen Park Drive, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Fine, investment quality 19th & 20th century American art. Hours: Mon. - Fri. by appointment. Contact: 919/967-9960 or at ([www.citysearch.com/rdu/chapellier/](http://www.citysearch.com/rdu/chapellier/)).

**Dirt Road Gallery**, 8218 Bright's Way, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring handcrafted items - including paintings, carvings, molas, textiles & fabrics, ceramics, beads and jewelry from West Africa, the Middle East, Central America, and the US collected over years of traveling. Hours: Sat. & Sun., 11am-6pm & by appt. Contact: 919/933-6999 or at ([www.dirtroadgallery.net](http://www.dirtroadgallery.net)).

**Fat Black Cat-Art Lounge**, 103 W. Weaver Street, kitty corner from Carr Mill Mall, Carrboro. **Ongoing** - Mostly Representational works by local, regional and national artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm & sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/260-7420 or at ([www.FatBlackCat-ArtLounge.com](http://www.FatBlackCat-ArtLounge.com)).

**N.C. Crafts Gallery**, 212 W. Main St., corner of Weaver and West Main Sts., Carrboro. **Ongoing** - Offering a wide assortment of items handcrafted by North Carolina artisans. You'll find contemporary and traditional pottery, blown glass, wood, jewelry, metalwork, toys, folk art, garden sculpture, kaleidoscopes, baskets, fiber art and more. The Gallery currently carries the work of more than 500 North Carolinians, from the mountains to the shore. The gallery also hosts two shows a month. Shows begin the first of each month and give the featured artist the opportunity to showcase an entire body of work. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 919/942-4048 or at (<http://nc-craftsgallery.com/>).

**Studio 91 Fine Art Gallery**, Meadowmont Village, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Jean Abadie, Thomas Arvid, Dimitri Danish, Michael Flohr, Edward Lewis, and Fabian Perez. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-8pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/933-3700.

**Tyndall Galleries**, University Mall, 201 S. Estes Drive, at the corner of Fordham Blvd. (US 15-501 Bypass) and S. Estes Drive, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - In 2002 the Tyndall Galleries relocated from Durham to a beautiful award-winning contemporary space designed by architect Philip Szostak at University Mall in Chapel Hill. We have always been pleased and honored to represent a renowned group of the finest painters, sculptors, photographers, ceramicists and textile artists in the Southeast. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 1-6pm. Contact: call 919-942-2290 or at ([www.tyndallgalleries.com](http://www.tyndallgalleries.com)).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Chapel Hill **Luna Lee Ray Studio**, 101 The Hollow, google map at (<https://goo.gl/maps/8SE3F>), Chapel Hill. May 9 & 10 - "Mother's Day Weekend Garden Art Show and Plant Swap". This 4th annual art show featuring a group of locally and nationally recognized artist offering art, metal, wood, ceramics, porcelain, paintings and jewelry. Held at the private studio and garden of Luna Lee Ray. Hours: 11am-5pm both days. Contact: 919-929-8780 or at ([www.lunaleeray.com](http://www.lunaleeray.com)).

## Charlotte Area

**North Davidson Street Arts District Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month.**

**Uptown Gallery Crawl - From 6-8pm on the 1st Friday of each month.**

**SouthEnd Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on the 1st Friday of each month.**

**Allison Sprock Fine Art**, 600 Queens Rd., the gallery shares space with The Nichols Company in one of Myers Park's oldest houses, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents many well-known artists from all over the world. Some of the featured artists are very famous; others are emerging including: Andre Bludov, Constantin Chatov, Marc Chatov, Roman Chatov, Gee Gee Collins, Larry Davis, Noah Desmond, Margaret Dyer, Sabre Esler, Stephen Fry, Benjamin Hollingsworth, Linda James, Dimitri Kourouniotis, Stan Mullins, Anne Neilson, Becky Ollinger, Spencer Reid, Felice Sharp, Tracy Sharp, Louis St. Lewis, Elizabeth Stehling, Harry Stewart, Cate Wagoner, Karen Weihs, Alice Williams, Sean Williams, and Kathy Wochele. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 404/274-5829 or visit ([www.allison-sprockfineart.com](http://www.allison-sprockfineart.com)).

**Anne Neilson Fine Art**, Suite 16, Dilworth Artisan Station, 118 East Kingston Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents

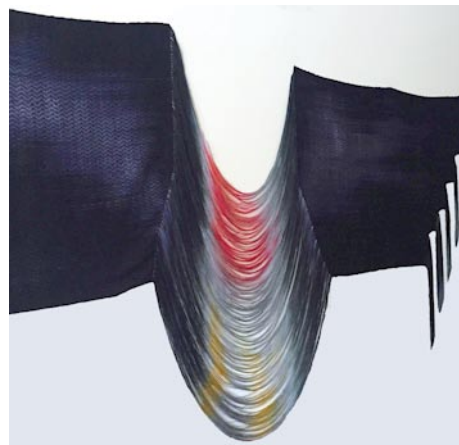
over 30 esteemed national and international artists, as well as works by noted painter and author Anne H. Neilson. The gallery is an outgrowth of Neilson's ever-growing popularity sparked by her Angels Series paintings and book. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat. by appt. Contact: 980/253-9566 or at (<http://www.anneneilsonfineart.com/ourgallery>).

**Art House Studios**, 3103 Cullman Ave., off 36th Street in the NoDa District, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring a complex of working studios by area artists. Hours: during Gallery Crawls and by appt. Contact: 704/577-4587 or e-mail at ([arthouse\\_noda@earthlink.net](mailto:arthouse_noda@earthlink.net)).

**Artists' Atelier Carolina**, located in the Pentes Artworks Gallery & Studios bldg., 1346 Hill Rd., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Jim Fales, Fay M. Miller, Jack Pentes, Betty G. Robinson, Gregory Weston, and Peggy Hutson Weston. Hours: by appt. Contact: 704/552-6200.

**Ben Owen Pottery Gallery**, inside The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte, 201 East Trade Street, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers 75-100 one-of-a-kind pieces of Ben Owen III pottery, with prices beginning at \$45. Works will range from pots, vases, jars, bowls and platters to major showpieces and spectacular larger works of art. All items are hand-created by Ben Owen, who also will make special appearances at The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte for 2011 art weekends and art demonstrations. Hours: open daily from 9am-6pm. Contact: 704/547-2244 or at (<http://www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Charlotte/Default.htm>).

**Charlotte Fine Art Gallery**, 7510 Pineville-Matthews Road, located in South Charlotte's Carmel Village at the corner of Pineville-Matthews and Carmel Road, Charlotte. **Aug. 4 - 20** - "Fifth Annual Student Exhibition". A reception will be held on Aug. 8, from 5-8pm. This yearly exhibit has works on display and for purchase from the adult students who have taken our weekly classes in oil, acrylic, and watercolor painting over the past year. Awards presented to the student winners at the opening reception. **Ongoing** - Original works of art from award-winning artists across the United States, as well as the Carolinas. Nationally and internationally-recognized artists in 2-and 3-dimensional fine art. Specializing in a wide array of media and styles represented: Representational, Impressionism, Expressionism, Abstraction / Paintings, Sculpture, Prints. Consulting Services for individual and corporate clients, as well as, private event opportunities. Hours: Tues 10am-4pm; Wed.-Thur., 10am-9pm; Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: call 704/541-0741 or at ([www.CharlotteFineArt.com](http://www.CharlotteFineArt.com)).



Work by Sydney Sogol

**Ciel Gallery: A Fine Arts Collective**, 128-C E. Park Ave., Historic Southend, Charlotte. **Aug. 7 - 29** - "ENTWINED, a fine art exhibit featuring local fiber artist Sydney Sogol and mixed media paintings and drawings by Tina Alberni, in partnership with The Carolina Raptor Center. A reception will be held on Aug. 7, from 6-9pm. To entwine is to wind together or to interweave. This fine art exhibit entwines two totally different and new bodies of work, one concerning endangered Birds and the immense impact humans have on the environment and each other, and the other with matters of the mind, body and soul directly informed by intersections with memories, human conditions, current events and parallel realities. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by: Tina Alberni (painter), Tim Shaeffer (painter), Teresa Hollmeyer (glass mosaic), Amy Hart (metal sculpture), Caroline Coolidge Brown (collage and mixed media), Diane Pike (painter), Donna Sandoe (jewelry), Miriam Durkin (painter), Chris Craft (encaustic), Cindi Spillman (photography), Elyse Frederick (mixed media), Randy Leibowitz Dean (wood carving and painting), Rebecca Haworth (collage and mixed media), Laura McRae Hitchcock (painting), Emily Andress (paintings), Claudia Soria (painting) and Pam Goode (mosaic). Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm and 1st Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 980/202-2435 or at ([www.cielcharlotte.com](http://www.cielcharlotte.com)).

**Coffey and Thompson Gallery**, 109 W. Morehead @ S. Tryon St., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Oils by Richard Plasschaert, etchings by Gordon Allen, prints by Ralph McDonald, Bev Doolittle, G. Harvey, Mort Kunstler, Don Troiani and Charles Frace. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/375-7232 or at ([www.coffeyandthompson.com](http://www.coffeyandthompson.com)).

**Elder Gallery**, 1520 South Tryon Street, Charlotte. **Through Aug. 1** - "Realism—Abstract—In Between," featuring works by seven American artists including: Angelita Surmon, Stephanie Neely, Diane White, Javier Lopez Barbosa, Ralph Turturro, Cheryl Chapman and Calvin Jones. The gallery's stable of artists casts a wide spectrum when it comes to the artistic styles of its thirty-five artists. To celebrate the diversity that is represented by his gallery Larry Elder has curated an exceptional exhibition to include paintings by seven of its artists. **Ongoing** - Featuring a selection of landscape paintings by Leon A. Makielski (1885 – 1974) which were executed in France and in the United States over his long career of painting, as well as works from the the Ernest Walker Collection, and the Carl Plansky Collection. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; or by appt. Contact: 704/370-6337 or at ([www.elderart.com](http://www.elderart.com)).

**Foster's Frame & Art Gallery**, 403-A Old Statesville Rd. N, Huntersville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original paintings by local artists: Nellie Ashford - folk art, Edna Barker - landscape, Andrea Cook - Abstract/Fabric, Evelyn Kadir, Abstract/Musical, Carolyn Saine, landscape. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm, Sat. 10am-4pm. Contact: 704-948-1750.

**Harris Holt Gallery**, 1717 Kenilworth Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring watercolors, oil paintings and limited edition prints by Harris Holt. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 704/373-9090 or at ([www.fostersframeandartgallery.com](http://www.fostersframeandartgallery.com)).

**Hodges Taylor Art Consultancy** 118 East Kingston Avenue, Suite 25, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents contemporary artists of the southeast, including paintings, prints, photographs and sculpture. The gallery offers a public venue in uptown Charlotte for viewing artwork and serves as art consultants for collectors and businesses. Hours: Tue.-Sat., by appt. only. Contact: 704/334-3799 or at ([www.hodgestaylor.com](http://www.hodgestaylor.com)).

**House of Africa Gallery**, 1215 Thomas Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring the area's largest selection of African art, including: masks, statues, carved artwork, handmade jewelry, paintings, plus traditional African musical instruments. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm. Contact: 704/376-6160.

**Hughes Gallery**, 2015 Ayrsley Town Blvd. @ N Kings Parade, Ste. 107-c, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a modern art gallery with a focus on sculpture, installation, works on paper, photography and painting. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/492-9934 or at ([www.hughesgallery.artlogsites.com](http://www.hughesgallery.artlogsites.com)).



From Alphabet Series by Robert Motherwell

**Jerald Melberg Gallery**, 625 South Sharon Amity Road, near corner of Providence Road, next to restaurant Hotel Charlotte, Charlotte. **Through Aug. 29** - "Robert Motherwell: A Centenary Exhibition," featuring a celebrating the 100th anniversary of the famed American artist's birthday. The exhibition features collages, paintings and prints highlighting several of the artist's hallmark styles and periods, including the Elegies, the Lyric Suites, and the Open Series. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents artists from all regions of the United States, Argentina and Spain, exhibiting paintings, prints, and sculpture. The gallery features solo and group exhibitions as well as consulting services for individual collectors, corporations and museums. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/365-3000 or at ([www.jeraldmelberg.com](http://www.jeraldmelberg.com)).

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