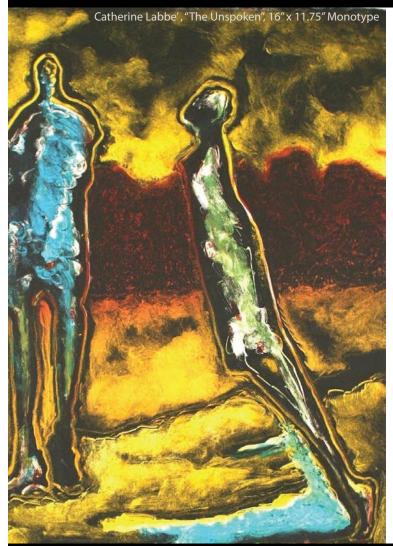
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year's show. Joy Hart's black and white pigment print was awarded Best in Show.

"30 Awards encourages our students and provides them a professional venue to celebrate their talents." The exhibition offers the public the opportunity to enjoy the best of the best from Greenville Technical College's Department of Visual and Performing Arts," according to Shane Howell, Head of the Department of Visual and Performing Arts

Enid Williams, Professor of Art and Gallery Director of the Greer Campus Galleries noted "This year there were 141 works submitted for consideration. Jurors Alice Ballard and Polly Gaillard are wellknown artists and art educators whose artistic orientations vary considerably. Ballard is a ceramist who has exhibited nationally and internationally. Gaillard is an established photographer, currently teaching at Anderson University. Their diverse artistic outputs created an ideal partnership in jurying a broad ranging exhibit like our student show."

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Who Doo Dolls Are Springing Up All Over South Carolina

has it that long ago, when the Lowcountry was lit at night by simply stars and candlelight, that the Who Doos would dance on the soft breeze of sweet dreams and heartfelt wishes."

"One midsummer's night, as the dolphins played tag in the moonbeams, a Who Doo named Suzie-Q smiled as she heard a kind whispered wish for a loved one's safe return from war. 'Let it be,' she whispered. And so it was."

"Since that time, the Who Doos manifest occasional dreams and wishes from sincere folk of pure hearts. But take care, lest you wish upon a Who Doo doll, for our wishes can have consequences."

When Sorrell started on this Who Doo journey in August 2014, she didn't realize how popular the Who Doos would become. After quickly selling out of her initial Who Doo batches, called generations, she asked Greenville mixed media artist April Ortiz to help develop the Who Doo marketing plan and create a line of Who Doo Woot owls.

When Sorrell and Ortiz pooled together

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Who Doo Dolls in the process

their creative ideas, they decided that there should also be a line of Moonshine Who Doos and Hippy Dippy Who Doos. It probably won't stop there. Currently, the duo are trademarking and copywriting the Who Doos. Developing an art line is all-consuming, but these artists are accustomed to wearing multiple hats as they handle both the creative and business sides of their partnership.

Did you know there are small sprites living among us called Who Doos? They are the creation of Greenville, SC, fiber artist, Susan R. Sorrell. It struck Sorrell one day that people might just need a little help manifesting their dreams, so she created a hand-stitched cloth doll that dreamers can sew charms on for wishes and good luck. Recognizing that like other magical beings, the Who Doos have their own stories, Sorrell enlisted Greenville writer Amy Anderson to come into the picture and help develop the Who Doo legend.

The two spun this legend of the Who Doos: "Down in the Lowcountry of the Carolinas, deep in the salt water marshes, just as the pink and orange sunset touches the white egret's wings and the blue crab's claw, you may - if you're lucky - catch a glimpse of the Who Doos skimming across the water's surface to tease the Page 30 - Carolina Arts, December 2014



A generation of Who Doo Dolls

splashing spotted trout, twirling to dance with the grumpy brown pelicans, or scuttling across the shell-encrusted sand to ride the hermit crabs."

"The Who Doos are mystical folk, born of the love from a Southern grandmother's hand-sewn quilt, from blown dandelions, and from the laughter of seagulls. Legend *continued above on next column to the right*

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