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and functional pottery that captures images of nature. Our jewelry artists provide a wide range of hand-crafted necklaces, earrings, bracelets and other ornaments from metals, stones, beads and fused glass. Our glass artist creates stained glass hangings, custom stained glass windows and fused glass art. You can also find unusual hand-made books and hand-painted porcelain both antique and new. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/462-2035 or at (www. carygalleryofartists.org).

Cary Senior Center, 120 Maury O'Dell Pl., in Bond Park, Cary. Mar. 25 - Apr. 18 - "Wake County Senior Games Silver Arts". A reception and awards ceremony will be held on Apr. 18, at 10:30am. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-9pm & Fri.-Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/469-4081.

Herbert Young Community Center, 101 Wilkinson Avenue, Cary. Through Apr. 19 - "The Creative Process: Student Work of Cary Artist/ Teacher JJ Jiang". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm; and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/4604965 or (www.townofcary.org).

Page-Walker Arts & History Center, 119
Ambassador Loop, Cary. Through Mar. 23 "Capital City Camera Club: Capturing the World".
Through Mar. 23 - "Lee Adlaf: Artfully Functional". A reception will be held on Feb. 22, from 6-8pm. Mar. 27 - May 18 - "ARTQUILTSdreams".
A reception will be held on Apr. 26, from 6-8pm.
Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-9:30pm; Fri., 10am-5-pm; & Sat., 10am-1pm. (It is strongly advised that you call ahead about hours this space will be open.) Contact: 919/460-4963.

Town Hall Gallery, City of Cary Town Hall, 316 North Academy Street, Cary. **Through Apr. 19** - "Jack Rodgers: First Impressions". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 919/469-4061.

Chapel Hill - Carrboro

Plaza at 140 West Franklin Street in downtown Chapel Hill. 1st & 2nd Fri. - Every Friday beginning in April we will host our Live and Local Music and Art Series at the 140 West Plaza. Our 2nd Friday events will include visual arts. 2nd Fridays are the Chapel Hill Downtown Partnerships Art Walk. For info visit (www. townofchapelhill.org).

Ackland Art Museum, UNC - Chapel Hill, Columbia & Franklin Streets, Chapel Hill. Through Mar. 10 - "ART&: Lauren Frances Adams". Back by popular demand, "ART&" is a gift in recognition of our commitment to being accessible to all – a dedicated museum space for students and community to connect with each other and create and experience art. Open year-round, "ART&" will host artist talks, performances, art-making classes, and much more! In addition to serving as a vibrant community and program space, "ART&" will feature site-specific commissions by contemporary artists. The first "ART& Artist" is Lauren Frances Adams. Through Apr. 7 - "The Beautiful Brain: The Drawings of Santiago Ramón y Cajal". Cajal's drawings of the brain are both aesthetically astonishing and scientifically significant, and "The Beautiful Brain" is the first museum exhibition to present these extraordinary works in their historical context. Cajal, (1852-1934), was an artist from rural Spain who became the Nobel Prize-winning father of modern neuroscience. He made the pathbreaking discovery that the brain is composed of individual neurons that communicate across minute gaps, or synapses. Museum Store Gallery (Franklin and Columbia Sun., noon-5pm. Museum Hours: Wed, & Thur., 10am-9pm; 2nd Fris. 10am-9pm; all other Fris., 10am-5pm; Sat. 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 919/966-5736 or at (www.ackland.org).

FRANK, University Place, Chapel Hill. Mar. 8 - 10 - "Silent No More, Women Speak," featuring a three-day event in Chapel Hill which will celebrate women's art and voices. In honor of International Women's Day, Frank Community Gallery of Chapel Hill is hosting "Women Speak", a celebration of women giving voice to the feminine experience through portraits, poetry, and prose. The three-day event will include a display of works by local artist Nancy L. Smith and written works from women beginning Friday, Mar, 8 through Sunday, Mar. 10. The event will include an artist reception on Friday night and a poetry reading on Sunday. More than 15 special guests will read their responses to Smith's work. Ongoing - Featuring work from over 70 artists, Frank offers more than you'd expect from an art gallery. Frank is a collective, founded by the area's finest artists working together to open the door for creative innovation in the arts. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: Contact: 919/636-4135 or at (www.frankisart.com).

The ArtsCenter, 300-G East Main Street, Carrboro. Ongoing - Nurturing the arts in the triangle since 1974 through performance, education and exhibition. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm and Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/929-2787 or at (http://artscenterlive.org).



Work by Charles Williams

The Sonja Haynes Stone Center for Black Culture and History, UNC-Chapel Hill, 150 South Road, Chapel Hill. Robert and Sallie Brown Gallery, Through Apr. 30 - "Black River: Chronicles of a Spiritual Journey," featuring works by Charles Williams. The show includes deeply personal works comprised of paintings, photographs, ready-mades, and video. Works in the show bear witness to moments that chronicle his father's personal struggles that challenged him as a son and tested his own spiritual beliefs. At the age of 15, Williams witnessed his father's spiritual transformation, which subsequently set him on a quest to excavate other portions of his family's history. In effect, Williams' father's transformation signaled the beginning of his own spiritual journey and he sought to reveal his own history through metaphorical narratives in the form of modern-day parables, derivative of similar parables found in the Bible. These recreated parables, represented in Black River, collectively reference a radical act of forgiveness enacted between father and son. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-8pm. Contact: 919/962-9001 or at (http://sonjahaynesstonectr.unc.edu/).

Charlotte Area

North Davidson Arts District Gallery Crawl - From 6-9 or 10pm on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month. For info check (www.noda.org).

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

South End Art Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on the 1st Friday of each month.

Bechtler Museum of Modern Art, Levine Center for the Arts, 420 South Tryon St., Charlotte. Fourth-Floor Gallery, Through Mar. 17 - "Unseen: Works from the 50s and 60s," an exhibition that presents more than 100 works from the Bechtler collection that have never been on view to the public. As the Bechtler gets closer to its 10th anniversary on January 2, 2020, the tion of its holdings. In response to the ongoing inquiries about these never before seen works, this exhibition will explore the depth of the collection by highlighting works from well-known artists such as Joan Miró, Georges Braque, Jean (Hans) Arp and Pablo Picasso as well as extraordinary pieces by several artists whose works are rarely seen in the country. Ongoing - The Bechtler Museum of Modern Art is named after the family of Andreas Bechtler, a Charlotte resident and native of Switzerland who assembled and inherited a collection of more than 1,400 artworks created by major figures of 20th-century modernism and donated it to the public trust. The Bechtler collection comprises artworks by seminal figures such as Alberto Giacometti, Joan Miro, Jean Tinguely, Max Ernst, Andy Warhol, Alexander Calder, Le Corbusier, Sol LeWitt, Edgar Degas, Nicolas de Stael, Barbara Hepworth and Picasso. Only a handful of the artworks in the Bechtler collection have been on public view in the United States. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon., Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. noon-5pm; and open until 9pm the 1st. and 3rd. Fri. of each month. Contact: 704/353-9200 or at (www.bechtler.

Bill and Patty Gorelick Galleries, of Central Piedmont Community College, Charlotte. 1st floor of Levine Building II, Levine Campus, Through May 10 - "Meander by Sydney Sogol and Mary Klacza". Cato Campus, Cato III, Through May 10 - "Carolina Landscapes by Serge Skiba and Bruce Lacy". Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: call Alice Jenkins Cookson at 704/330-6122 or e-mail to (alice. cookson@cpcc.edu).

Central Piedmont Harris Campus, Harris Conference Center, Bill and Patty Gorelick Galleries, 3210 CPCC Harris Campus Dr., Charlotte. Through Dec. 13 - "Selections from the Private Art Collection of Larry Brady". Born and raised in Asheville, NC, home to countless artisans, Brady's exposure to handmade objects began at an early age and inspired his passion to collect more than 500 pieces over the past 30 years. The 39 pieces exhibited represent a broad and diverse range from Brady's eclectic selection of paintings, engravings, photographs, furniture and sculptures, and are made from glass, wood, paint, ceramic, paper, fiber, and metal. A critical component in Brady's philosophy for collecting is the relationship with the artist. Through his understanding of and appreciation for the materials and the process, a connection with the artist is forged. Brady enjoys living with each piece of art in his collection and sharing them with as many people as possible. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8am-6pm or by appt. Contact: (http://blogs.cpcc.edu/cpccartgalleries/).

Charlotte Art League Gallery & Studios, 4100 Raleigh Street, Charlotte. Ongoing - CAL houses one of the area's largest collections of local professional and emerging artists, offering affordable fine art in a variety of styles and media: acrylics, oil, pastel, watercolor, mixed media, photography and sculpture, and fiber art. Tour studios of working artists. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-3pm; Fri., 5-9pm; Sat., noon-4pm; Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 704/376-2787 or at (www.charlotteartleague.org).

Davidson College, Belk Visual Arts Center, 315 North Main and Griffith Streets, Davidson. **Van** Every/Smith Galleries, Through Mar. 1 - "Eyes See Far, Hands Too Short to Reach," featuring works by Hiwa K. Born in 1975 in Sulaymaniyan, Kurdistan, Iraq, Hiwa K creates sculptures, videos, and performances that are often more about the process than the product. Weaving together oral history, anecdotes, political events, and personal memories - including the artist's journey on foot from Iraq to Germany, seeking asylum - Hiwa K's participatory, collaborative works explore migration, colonialism, war, protest, violence, and identity. Ongoing - While on campus, be sure to take a tour of our Campus Sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat. & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 704/894-2519 or at (www.davidsoncollegeartgalleries.org).

Elizabeth Ross Gallery, Central Piedmont Community College, Central Campus, Overcash Performing Arts Center, Elizabeth Avenue and Kings Dr., Charlotte. Through Mar. 14 - "When Worlds Collide," is a group exhibition, featuring three artists – photographers Nancy O. Albert and Meg Greene Malvasi, and painter Leigh Williams – whose works employ different approaches while addressing the idea of chemistry and art. Mar. 27 - June 3 - "2019 Annual Juried Student Art Show". Award Ceremony on Apr. 11, from 5:30-6:30pm in Tate Hall, with a reception from 7-8pm in Overcash Lobby. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/330-6211.

Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts & Culture, Levine Center for the Arts, 551 S. Tryon St., Charlotte. Through Aug. 11 - "Question Bridge: Black Males". A series of thought-provoking questions guide a trans media discussion of the obstacles that black males in the United States encounter. The representation and depiction of black males in popular culture has long been governed by prevailing stereotyped attitudes about race and sexuality. Far too little is known about the range of internal values and dynamics of this group. Scientists, theorists, historians, politicians and activists have investigated the plight of the African-American male on various levels and from diverse perspectives, yet not enough has been done to represent a multi-faceted and self-determined representation of this demographic. Ultimately, black males are at greatest odds with themselves. The question is, "Why?" Through Mar. 2 - "Hank Willis Thomas: What We Ask Is Simple". The exhibit investigates 20th century protests, reminding us that societal tumult is part of a hard-fought battle for equality. Screen-printed onto retroreflective vinyl and mounted on an aluminum composite material, Hank Willis Thomas' latest body of work depicts protests and the direct actions of 20th century social movements: the civil rights movement, women's suffrage, the American Indian movement, and the Stonewall riots among others. The photographic works on view are largely inspired by artists such as Andy

Warhol, Robert Rauschenberg, and Michelangelo Pistoletto; social activist photographers like James "Spider" Martin, Charles Moore, and Dorothea Lange; and the courageous human rights work of Gloria Richardson, Elizabeth Eckford and Elizabeth Spencer, and Amelia Boynton Robinson. Notably, the series shares Warhol and Rauschenberg's simultaneous fascinations with the hand of the artist and the repetition of mass-produced imagery. Ongoing - Featuring selections from the John & Vivian Hewitt Collection of African-American Art, one of the nation's most important and comprehensive collections of African-American art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 704/547-3700 or at (www.ganttcenter.org).

Lake Norman Art League Gallery, 442 S. Main St., located across the street from Wooden Stone, next to Masterworks; enter at the rear of the building, and turn right into the lobby, Davidson. Ongoing - Featuring works by Lake Norman Art League members. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-7pm. Contact: 704/620-4450 or at (www.LKNart.org).



Work by José

Latin American Contemporary Art Projects (LaCa), 1429 Bryant Street, in the heart of the revitalized FreeMoreWest neighborhood, Charlotte. Through Mar. 9 - "TRAMAS," featuring works by Eduardo Cardozo. This will be the artist's second solo exhibition with the gallery. Cardozo is a masterful abstractionist, gracefully integrating the figurative and the abstract to depict complex and familiar natural imagery that makes his work universally accessible. Mar. 15 - May 11 - "The Manifested Landscape: A Message of Uncertainty featuring José Luis Landet". A reception will be held on Mar. 15, beginning at 6pm. Landet's artistic production can be approached by using the verb "to manifest" and its different meanings: on one hand, "to manifest" can be understood as a protest act, collective and public, in which the bodies gather to demand something. Ongoing - LaCa Projects is a platform dedicated to the presentation, development, and promotion of Latin American art and culture within the United States. The gallery encourages cross-cultural dialogue by representing a small group of influential and thought-provoking contemporary, emerging and mid-career artists, as well as exhibiting a broader range of work by established and Master Latin American artists. The gallery, which has expertise in a number of different art media with a significant focus on paintings, will also be part of a larger planned expansion that includes open artist studios and a dining concept. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1-5pm or by appt. Contact: Neely Verano at (neely@lacaprojects. com) or call 704/609-8487.

Levine Museum of the New South, 200 E. Seventh St., corner of College St & Seventh St., Charlotte. Ongoing - "Cotton Fields to Skyscrapers," featuring a permanent exhibition featuring interactive environments that trace the history of the New South from the end of the Civil War until today. Admission: Yes. Free on Sat. Parking: next door in Seventh Street Station. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 704/333-1887 or at (www. museumofthenewsouth.org).

McColl Center for Art + Innovation, 721 North Tryon Street, Charlotte. First-floor Gallery, Through May 4 - "New Works / Alumni Two". The exhibit is the second in a series of exhibitions featuring distinguished McColl Center alumni artists. Felicia van Bork (2005, 2012), Tomoo Kitamura (2012-2013), and Kevin Hogan (2005) explore form, color, and surface from distinctly personal approaches. What appear to be traditional artistic conversations with canvas, collage, and clay are elevated by disciplined processes inherent in their work. Each artist is based in North Carolina. The exhibition was curated by Tom Stanley, Visiting Curator, for McColl Center for Art + Innovation. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 3-9pm & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 704/332-5535 or at (www.mccollcenter.org).

Mint Museum Randolph, 2730 Randolph Road, Charlotte. Bridges and Levine Galleries, Ongoing - "Contemporary British Studio Ceramics: The Grainer Collection". Focused on the collection of Diane and Marc Grainer, this installation is a survey of contemporary British studio ceramics. Comprising functional and sculptural objects made between the 1980s and today, the show features work by artists either born or residing in

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