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are delighted to showcase his work back at Clemson University. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1-5pm or 90 min. before performances. Contact: call Thomas Hudgins at 864/656-4428 or at (www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/brooks/)

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@clemsonews.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/).





Work by Gary Petersen

Elizabeth Stone Harper Gallery, Presbyterian College, Clinton. Through Feb. 28 - "The Idiosyncratic Pencil Resharpened," a group invitational exhibition. The exhibit is an experimental, "cross platform" group exhibition consisting of original works transmitted digitally and presented as archival black and white prints. Over fifty national and international artists will participate. Hours: Wed.& Thur., noon-5pm. Contact: 864/833-8635.

Columbia Area

Columbia Museum of Art, Main & Hampton Streets, Columbia. Through Feb. 24 - "Midcentury Masters: Jasper Johns' Gifts to the CMA, featuring a varied collection of 35 prints gifted to the CMA by Jasper Johns himself and shown in its entirety for the first time. With several prints by Johns as well as the work of such postwar heavyweights as Robert Rauschenberg, Josef Albers. Hov Lichtenstein, Ellsworth Kelly, and Andy Warhol, plus archival materials documenting Johns' time living and establishing his artistic identity in Columbia, this unique exhibition provides insight into the mind of South Carolina's most famous artistic son. Through May 19, 2019 - "Jackson Pollock's Mural," featuring the 20-foot-wide painting that catapulted the artist into the spotlight, brought audacious new scale and experimentation to Abstract Expressionism, and changed the destiny of modern art, is coming to the CMA in a landmark exhibition. "Jackson Pollock: Mural," featuring the single, iconic work as well as in-depth scientific research on it and its creation myth, is part of a whirlwind international tour that includes premier European and American museums. 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.-Sun., from 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. Through June 30 - "Founding Feathers: Extinction and Conservation of Southern Birds". Undergraduate students Maddie Colvin and Karli Sinclair have teamed up to curate McKissick Museum's newest exhibition. What started as a group project in a University classroom has been transformed into an educational museum exhibition on extinct and endangered birds. By showcasing the stories of the extinct ivory billed woodpecker, the Carolina parakeet, and the passenger pigeon, the exhibition brings to light the conservation efforts inspired by their disappearance. Their legacy sparked the beginning of conservation efforts around the United States including the successful conservation of the Bald Eagle. This exhibition features objects from McKissick Museum, the Irvin Department of Rare Books and Special Collections, the Museum of York County, the South Carolina State Museum and more. Through July 20 - "Swag & Tassel: The Innovative Stoneware of Thomas Chandler," the first retrospective exhibition of a 19th century Edgefield, SC, potter since "I Made This Jar: The Life and Works of the Enslaved African-American Potter, Dave". Building upon the research in Philip Wingard's 2014 Ceramics in America article, "From Baltimore to the South Carolina Backcountry: Thomas Chandler's Influence on 19th Century Stoneware," the exhibition will bring new archaeological and archival research to bear on our understanding of the nature and scope of Chandler's technical and aesthetic innovations within the context of mid-19th century Edgefield District pottery manufacturing. 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. Through Feb. 28 - "Devices for Filling a Void, with excerpts from "But if the Crime is Beautiful...," a solo exhibition by Lauren Kalman. This exhibition literally fill the voids of the facial orifices, but the title also implies a psychological filling of emotional or erotic voids. The title points to ideas about women being incomplete or lacking, requiring augmentation by men, objects, dress, makeup, and adornment. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: Olga Dickey, Gallery Director, at 803/422-4289 or e-mail to (yukhno@mailbox sc. edu).

Richland County Public Library, 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 Mar. 3 - "re:Visions," presents work from interdisciplinary artist Janet Orselli of Tryon, NC. Orselli combines and assembles found objects and surrounding spaces transforming their meaning and the viewers' experience. Each object speaks of what it once was, its unique history, yet at the same time it becomes something new and unexpected. Orselli's work requests a slower pace, referring back to a time when objects were cherished and made with care. Hours: Wed., 11am-8pm; Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/238-2351 or at (www.701cca.org).

SC State Museum, 301 Gervais St., Columbia. Through Mar. 9 - "30th Anniversary Juried Show Exhibit". Since opening in 1988, the South Carolina State Museum has been dedicated to the exhibition, collection, preservation and documentation of South Carolina's visual artists, past and present, through a variety of exhibitions

and programs. This year marks the museum's 30th anniversary, and to celebrate the diversity of South Carolina art, we will host a juried exhibition. Artists from across the state will have the opportunity to exhibit their work at the State Museum in Columbia, and to win cash prizes up to \$1,500. **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. 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/).

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.

Crooked Creek Park, recreational facility, 1098 Old Lexington Hwy, Chapin. Feb. 25 - Mar. 29 - "24th Annual Juried Art Show & Sale". Hours: regular park hours. Contact: 803/781-6353.

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 homegrown 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).

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 Feb. 15 - The Art of Steve Snell. Snell exhibits art that is inspired by local history, myth and the image of the American West. He calls his work adventure art, crafted in an effort to create heroic narratives for the present day. This adventure and community-based practice has led him to a variety of experiences ranging from floating down the Connecticut River in a couch-boat to a random encounter with Alec Baldwin while hiking across Western Massachusetts. Snell's work has been shown in galleries and film festivals throughout the United States. He is assistant professor of art in the Foundation Department at the Kansas City Art Institute. 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.

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. Through Feb. 24 - "Antebellum Portraiture by South Carolina Artist William Harrison Scarborough". Scarborough was likely the most prolific portraitist in South Carolina during the 19th century. He is known to have created at least 600 portraits from 1836 to 1871. His reputation is usually credited by the numerous images he created of South Carolina's politicians, like John C. Calhoun. Although much is known of the artworks he produced while living in Columbia, SC from around 1845 to 1871, less discussion is made about his prior life and work in the Pee Dee. Community Gallery, Through Feb. 24 - Featuring an exhibition of Antebellum Portraiture by South Carolina Artist William Harrison Scarborough. Scarborough was likely the most prolific portraitist in South Carolina during the 19th century. He is known to have created at least 600 portraits from 1836 to 1871. His reputation is usually credited by the numerous images he created of South Carolina's politicians, like John C. Calhoun. Although much is known of the artworks he produced while living in Columbia, SC from around 1845 to 1871, less discussion is made about his prior life and work in the Pee Dee. 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 it's 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 Mar. 29 - "2019 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition," juried by Kristi Ryba, of Charleston, SC, who won a second major award at the 2018 ArtFields. The competition aims to highlight the best contemporary art in the Pee Dee region. One of the state's oldest juried art competitions, the first Pee Dee Regional dates back to 1954 when the competition was held at the former Florence Museum on Spruce Street in Florence. This year's exhibition will be on display in the FCM Waters Gallery. Any person who is a native or resident of the following Pee Dee counties is eligible to enter: Chesterfield. Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg. The 1st place award receives \$1,000. The 2nd place award receives \$500. The 3rd place award receives \$250. Honorable Mention receives \$100. People's Choice receives \$50. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: 843/676-1200 or visit (www.flocomuseum.org).

Hyman Fine Arts Center, Francis Marion University, Florence. Adele Kassab Gallery, Through Feb. 14 - "Culture and Landscape: Photography by Peter Schmunk" and "Ceramics by Nathan Goddard". Dr. Schmunk is a longtime professor of Art History and Goddard has recently joined Wofford as an instructor of Art. Both artists explore the natural and the urban landscape. Hyman Fine Arts Center Gallery, Feb. 18 -Mar. 28 - "Beneath the Surface: Ceramics by Olga Yukhno". Yukhno is an artist originally from Pvatigorsk, Russia, It was in Russia her passion for art began. Inspired by the culture of her home country, she began by working with batiques, stained glass and enameling. Feb. 18 - Mar. 28 - "Drawings and Prints by Susan Fecho". "My recent work interprets the past as a personal, cultural, and archetypal artifact. The human body, architectural unit, and surrounding landscape become metaphors in my work. Trained as a traditional printmaker, I am intrigued by the richness and variety inherent in varied techniques". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 843/661-1385

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