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examples of four artists who use abstraction in the creation of their work. There remains, however, those who are convinced that "my five-year old child could paint that!" While abstract art is often defined as art that does not depict a person, place or thing in the natural world by taking away all likeness of figure and content, others define it as art that removes elements of a subject to make it less complicated and more simplistic. The debate of what actually defines abstract art has continued since it was introduced in the early 1900s. This exhibition presents painting by four artists who have created work with varying degrees of abstraction. While the paintings of Javier Lopez Barbosa, Sheri Skeahan, and Bill Jensen are totally abstract, another artist, Carl Plansky, reduces certai components of subject matter in the creation of his paintings. The exhibition is sponsored by Hines Charlotte Carillon LP (https:// www.hines.com/properties/carillon-charlotte). Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-8pm; Sat., 8am-7pm & Sun., noon-8pm. Contact: e-mail Larry Elder at (lelder@elderart.com).

Clemmons

Warm Glass Gallery and Studio, 2575 Old Glory Road, Suite 700, Clemmons. Through Jan. 30, 2016 - "Ice Age: The White Series," by Jody Danner Walker. A solo exhibition of the artist's unique and original Pate de Verre Sucré artwork, in which glass appears as sugary crystalline shapes. Ongoing - The gallery specializes in contemporary kiln-formed fine art glass, featuring works by national and international artists. Warm Glass also serves as a working artist studio and offers kilnformed glass classes on a regular basis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4:30pm. Contact: 336/712-8003 or at (www.warmglass.org).

Columbia

Columbia Art Space, 112 S. Broad Street, Columbia. Ongoing - The gallery exhibits both functional and fine art in a variety of mediums and price points. One of the gallery's missions is to give young artists a chance to sell and exhibit work in a professional setting. The studio consists of a metals studio for Maura Cartwright and Maia Leppo and fibers studio for Lynsey Gwilliam, the three founders of the gallery. Hours: closed Tue.; Mon., Wed., Sat. & Sun., 10am-4; Thur.-Fri., 10am-6pm. Contact: 252/766-0121 or at (www.columbiaartspace.com).

Concord

Boyd Afficher Gallery, 21 Union Street South (2nd Floor Suit 200), Concord. Ongoing - Featuring works by Boyd Smith and artists from the tri-county area. Hours: Sat.-Sun., 1-7pm. Contact: 704/699-5032, 704/956-8934 or at (www.boydzworkz.com).

Mud Slingers Pottery, 9 Union St. North, Suite 150, Concord. Ongoing - We feature a variety of arts from the area to include traditional and contemporary pottery, most of which is made in our Studio. In addition to pottery, we feature fused and slumped glass as well as fused glass jewelry. We also display paintings and fiber art created by the local Cabarrus Art Guild. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-5pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/796-1600 or at (www.mudslingerspotterync.com).

Creedmoor

Cedar Creek Gallery, 1150 Fleming Rd., outside the small town of Creedmoor. Ongoing - Showcasing a permanent collection of American Pottery. Featuring works by on site glassblower, Lisa Oakley, and potters, Brad Tucker and John Martin. Joining them are over 250 other local, regional & national craftspersons offering a selection of functional stoneware, ceramics, blown glass, jewelry, furniture, candles, wind chimes, toys baskets, and even handmade musical instruments. Hours: daily,10am-6pm. Contact: 919/528-1041 or at (www.cedarcreekgallery.com).

Dillsboro

The Golden Carp Gift Shop & Gallery, Webster Street, Dillsboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and select American watercolorist, including works by artist-in-residence, John P. Miele. Also, baskets, pottery, fiber arts, and more. Hours: . Contact: 828/586-5477 or at (www.thegoldencarp.com)

Village Studio Gallery, 130 Front Street, Weaverville. Ongoing - Featuring works from regional artists including D. Morgan and Paula Vaughn and other national artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/586-4060.

Durham

Bull City Art & Frame Company, 905 W Main Street, Brightleaf District, Durham. Ongoing - This 2000-sq.-ft. gallery features works by local artists. Offers green framing, photo restoration, canvas transfer, needlework, and shadowboxes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 919/680-4278.

Craven Allen Gallery, 1106 1/2 Broad St., Durham. Ongoing - Featuring local artists in various mediums. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 919/286-4837 or at (www. cravenallengallery.com).

5 Points Gallery, 109 E. Chapel Hill Street, Durham. Ongoing - 5 Points Gallery is North Carolina's premier fine arts gallery in the heart of Durham. It has been selected as the best art gallery in Durham two years in a row since our inaugural opening in August 2019. Our contemporary artists live and work locally, creating original works, including painting, ceramics, fused glass, sculpture, photography, textiles, and mixed-media. They are dedicated to inspiring the lives of others and nurturing our sense of community. The gallery's mission is to form meaningful connections and dialogue with our community of art lovers, local businesses, organizations and collectors. Hours: Fri., 4-8pm; Sat., noon-8pm and 3rd Fri., 6-9pm. Contact: 984/439-8085 or at (www.5pointsgallery.com).

Golden Belt Artist Studios, Golden Belt Arts, 807 E. Main Street, Durham. Ongoing - Showcases exhibitions of emerging local and national contemporary artists, as well as studios of painters, jewelry-makers, photographers, mixedmedia artists, and more in a creatively restored seven-acre historic mill campus. Visit every third Friday to shop in the studios and meet the artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/967-7700.

Horizon Gallery, 905 W. Main Street, Brightleaf Square, Durham. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary crafts including pottery, art glass, wood works, jewelry, garden art, kaleidoscopes and much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/688-0313.

Horse & Buggy Press, 1116 Broad Street, Ste. 101, Ninth Street District, Durham. Ongoing - Award winning graphic design, letterpress printing shop, and book production studio. Featuring a new gallery and showroom filled with great work by over 20 artists and craftspeople from across the Southeast. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 919/949-4847.

LabourLove Gallery, Golden Belt complex, Suite 2-130, 807 E. Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by a collective of North Carolina fine artists, designers, and musicians. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 919/373-4451 or at (http://labourlove.com/).

Nancy Tuttle May Studio, 806 Ninth St, Durham. Ongoing - Featuring works by Nancy Tuttle May. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-1pm or by appt. Contact: 919/688-8852.

Supergraphic, 601 Ramseur Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Supergraphic is a creative art studio dedicated to providing work space, equipment and instruction for the production of fine art prints and print media. Hours: open by appointment and during Third Friday art walks. Contact: 919/360-4077 or at (http://durhamsupergraphic.com/).

Through This Lens Photo Gallery, 303 East Chapel Hill St, Durham. **Ongoing -** Currently only open by appt. for printing and framing services. Hours: Only by appt. Contact: 919/687-0250 or at (www.throughthislens.com).

21c Museum Hotel, 111 North Corcoran Street, Durham. Ongoing - Standing tall and proud in the center of downtown Durham, 21c Museum Hotel is a multi-venue contemporary art museum offering more than 10,500 square feet of art-filled exhibition and event space, a full-service boutique hotel with luxurious guest rooms, and home to Counting House restaurant. Hours: currently by appt. only. Contact: 919/956-6700 or at (https://www.21cmuseumhotels.com/durham/).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Durham Koi Gallery, 605 Jackson Street, Durham. Ongoing - A gallery featuring unique and eclectic art from local artists. The gallery features a new theme every two months, including collections on themes ranging from Native American art to folk art. The gallery is on the garden level of the Distinctive Properties Real Estate office. Hours: by appointment or during special showings.

Contact: 919/682-4403.

Fayetteville

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Fayetteville City Center Gallery & Books, 112 Hay Street, Fayetteville. Ongoing - Featuring original art, prints, and art photographs-many by local artists. We offer a comfortable and classic setting while you browse. We are a small, independent bookstore, which means we offer an amazing variety of books plus personal service for the avid reader and the art lover!. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.&Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 910/678-8899 r at (http://www.citycentergallery.com/).

The Sweet Palette, 101 Person Street, Fayetteville. Ongoing - Featuring creative cupcakes and art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6-pm. Contact: 910/489-7342 or at (https://www.thesweetpalette.com/).

Fairview

Willow Wisp Farm Studios Gallery, 1615 Charlotte Hwy, Fairview. Ongoing - Featuring works by the instructors and students who have attended Willow Wisp Farm Studios. Hours: Fri.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 888/590-4ART, 828/628-0401, or e-mail at (art@willowwispfarmstudios.com).

Gastonia

Butler Studio Fine Art Gallery, 171 W. Main St., located on the 2nd floor of the brick building next to the Park on Main, Gastonia. Ongoing - The gallery will continue to rotate in new works by Curt Butler. Hours: M, T, Th, F, 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/460-2386 or at (www. butlerstudio.org).

Greensboro Area

Ambleside Gallery, 528 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by artists from around the world. Among them are English artists Phil Hobbs, Kenneth Denton, and Matthew Hillier. American painters Bill Hosner, Tracy Reid, Richard Sedlack and Rich Nelson, and internationally recognized Chinese watercolorist Guan Weixing, plus many other noteworthy artists are included in the gallery collections. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 336/275-9844 or at (www. amblesidearts.com).

ArtWorks Collective Gallery, 205 Lyndon Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by members of Lyndon Street ArtWorks center. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/370-0025 or at (www.artworkscollective.

Elements Gallery, 526 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - The gallery is a co-op of over 30 local artists exhibiting a wide range of art in different mediums. Paintings, sculpture, pottery, glass art, wood turning, fiber art and mixed media is for sale. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-9pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/790-8703 or at http://elementsgallery.wordpress.com).

JMR Sculptures, Gateway Center, 620 S. Elm Street, Suite 240, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring sculpture by Jay M Rotberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4:30pm or by appt. Contact: 336/389-0333 or at (www.jmrsculptures.com).

Lost & Found Gallery, 517 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Folk art, tribal art, textiles, and beads of the world. Hours: noon - 5:30pm, closed Wed. & Sun. Call ahead. Contact: 336/271-6954.

The Art Shop, 3900 W. Market St., Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by Pino, Arvid, Park, Garmash, Sabzi, Hessam and others. We feature America's most collected artists. We also carry sculpture by Frogman (Tim Cotterill), Leon Bronstein & Paige Bradley and fine art glass by Randy Strong, John McDonald & Scott Bayless. Thomas Kinkade; original oil paintings, limited edition prints and posters. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Tue. & Wed till 7pm & Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/855-8500 or at (www.artshopnc.com).

The Artery Gallery, 1711 Spring Garden Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by David Thomas, Roy Nydorf, Bruce Shores, Matthew Micca, Lisa Woods, Bill Clubb, Jack Stratton, Erin Stesch, Vito Ciccone, Alex Forsyth, Martin Dunn, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 336/274-9814 or at (www. arterygallery.com).

The O'Brien Art Gallery, 307 State Street, beside Cafe Pasta at the intersection of Golden Gate & State Streets, Greensboro. Ongoing - The gallery offers residential and corporate fine art consulting services. We will outline a personalized budget plan for your specific needs.

We also offer art research, presentation and installation services. Whether you are an avid art collector or a first time purchaser, we will guide you every step of the way. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: call Kathy O'Brien (owner) at 336/707-7476 or at (https://www.obriengallery.com/).

Uptown Artworks, 1007 Arnold Street, located between E. Wendover Ave. and E. Bessemer Ave., Greensboro. **Ongoing -** Primarily a "working artist studio," our 5,400 square foot facility has a large front gallery and currently houses 10 studios with room to build 7 more. Hours: Mon., 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; Sun., 1-4pm or by appt. Contact: Joseph A. Wilkerson at 336/255-6345.

William Mangum Watercolors/Carey-Mangum Gallery, 2182 Lawndale Dr., Greensboro. Ongoing - Original paintings, limited edition prints, miniature prints, posters and notecards by William Mangum. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 336/379-9200 or 800/887-5380.

Winter Light Gallery & Art Studios, 410
Blandwood Ave., corner of Blandwood Ave.
and Spring Garden St., Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by Kim Holleman, Vicki
Johnson, Judy Meyler, Carol Meetze-Moates,
Kathy Phillips, Steve Robinson, Carol Sams, Allie Scott, Phyllis Sharpe, Jane Smith, Stephanie
Thomas, Steve Thomas and Jeanne Twilley.
Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., & Sat., 11am-2pm.
Contact: 336/274-7372 or at (www.winterlightartists.com).

Yew Tree Gallery, 604 S. Elm St., Greensboro. Ongoing - The gallery is a subsidiary of Ambleside Gallery, and is home to 16 painters who work in a varienty of media and styles, including oils, acrylic, pastel, pen and ink, and watercolor. The gallery also features pottery. Hours: Wed.- Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/790-8703.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greensboro Bliss & Co. Salon, 238 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring an ever-changing exhibit of works by Charlotte and Erik Strom. Hours: Mon., 10am-6pm; Tue.-Fri., 10am-8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 336/373-0299 or the Stroms at 336/691-8036 or e-mail to (charlotteart@hotmail.com).

Just Be, 352 S. Elm Street, Greensboro.
Ongoing - Just Be is a specialty boutique filled with handmade and unique items like jewelry, handbags, apparel, home décor and much more. Shop in the store or online at. Hours: Mon.-Thur, 10am-6pm; Fri.&Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/274-2212 or at (www. onlyjustbe.com).

Greenville

City Art Gallery, 511 Red Banks Road, Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery features the works of established regional and national artists and craftspeople. The gallery offers an extensive collection of paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, drawings and photography. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 252/353-7000 or at (www. CityArtGreenville.com).

Strickland Art Gallery, 817 Dickinson Ave., Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery specializes in art by North Carolina artists including Francis Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, Hobson Pittman and Claude Howell. Contemporary NC artists are also shown. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 10am-6pm and by appt. Contact: Barbour Strickland 252/561-7980 or at (www.StricklandArtGallery.com).

Uptown Art Supply & Gallery, a division of UBE, 529 S Evans Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by localand regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/752-0688 or at (www.uptownart.net).

Hendersonville - Flat Rock

Art MoB Studios & Marketplace, 124 4th Avenue East, Downtown Hendersonville just off of Main Street, Hendersonville. Ongoing - Art MoB now represents over 80 local artists and has been proudly open for three years, and counting. Art MoB also features 5,000 square feet of space including fours studios with wonderful resident artists. These artists can be found fast at work in their studios most days of the week. We invite you to come and join us... see our work, meet our artists, and take classes with us. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-4:30pm. Contact: 828/693-4545 or at (www.artmobstudios.com).

Carolina Mountain Artists, 444 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. Ongoing - Featuring works by regional and local artists in every media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/696-0707.

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