

NC Commercial Galleries

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paintings of siblings, Brooks Koff and Michael Van Hout. These Wilmington based artists have collaborated together on many projects and are bringing new work to the gallery walls. **Ongoing** - The gallery focuses upon original art and includes national and local favorites such as Karen Paden Crouch (sculpture), Jeri Greenberg (pastel on paper), Elizabeth Darrow (paintings), Brian Evans (ceramic art), Helen Lewis (encaustic), Traudi Thornton (ceramic art), and Roberto Vengoechea (jewelry). Different artists are featured every 6 weeks along with an ongoing display of new art from the gallery's 40 core artists at (<https://aibgallery.com/artists/>). Online and in the gallery, visitors will find a mixture of traditional and contemporary paintings, drawings, photography, sculpture, jewelry, ceramics, fabric, and objects found during the renovation of the building such as barn walls, horseshoes, bottles, and ballast stones (c.1739-1920). Hours: Mon.- Thur., 10am-4pm; Fri. & Sat., 10am-5pm; and by appt. 7 days a week. Call 484/885-3037 (mobile) or visit (<https://aibgallery.com/>).

Beck Fine Art, 545 Castle Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - features some of the best in national talent for representational and abstract art. Being the main gallery and home of award-winning artist, Dan Beck, the gallery not only represents some of Dan's best work but other artists with exceptional talent and accomplished art careers. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 910/264-2392 or at (www.beckfineart.com).

Bottega Art & Wine Gallery, 208 N. Front St., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and international artists in a variety of media. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 1-10pm and Thur-Sat., 1pm-midnight. Contact: 910/763-3737 or at (www.bottegageallery.com).



Pictured are two Zulu hats worn by married women in South Africa and an Ekonda hat with a tiered crown and copper emblem from the Congo.

Charles Jones African Art, 311 Judges Road, Unit 6-E, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - A gallery dedicated to the traditional arts of West and Central Africa, with over 35 years experience in building fine collections for collectors and museums. Inquiries are welcome. Consultation, research and appraisal services available for individuals, estates and institutions by ISA certified appraiser, Maura Kropke. Exhibitions arranged and curated with essays by major scholars. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 7:30am-4:30pm. Contact: 910/794-3060 or at (<https://charlesjonesafricanart.com>).

ERA 20th Century Furniture and Art Gallery, 523 South 3rd St., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Inviting emerging artists of all sorts, to fill the quiet space with cutting edge art that not only is pleasant to view, but also thought-provoking. Unique modern furnishings from the mid-20th century complement the contemporary art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 910/612-0542.

Gallery Citrine, 17 S 2nd Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by BJ Grimmer, PD Chisholm, Kathy Schrum Peck, Nancy Lang Miller, Brooke Eagle, Deb Williams, Meroe Wheatley, Sue Cunningham, Chris Pfund, Donna Launey, and Robin Jones. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: e-mail to (gallerycitrine@gmail.com) or at (<https://gallerycitrine.com/>).

Janet B. Sessoms Studio@ the ArtWorks, 200 Willard Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Janet B. Sessoms. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 910/840-0208, e-mail at (jbssessoms47@ec.rr.com) or at (www.janetb-sessoms.com).

New Elements Gallery, 271 North Front Street, Wilmington. **Through Mar. 19** - "Annual Home Show". **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and nationally recognized artists. We offer a wide variety of contemporary fine art and craft, including paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, fiber, jewelry and wood. Hours: Tue-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 910/343-8997 or at (www.newelementsgallery.com).

Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts, at The Cotton Exchange, 307 North Front Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Celebrating ten years in business, Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts, in the historic Cotton Exchange in downtown Wilmington, is the first gallery in Wilmington dedicated exclusively to local, handmade, one-of-a-kind, three-dimensional art and craft by jury-selected coastal North Carolina artisans. We present decorative and functional works in clay, fiber/textiles, gourds, baskets, jewelry, mixed media, glass and wood in a beautiful setting in this early 20th century historic building. Handmade objects, whether held, worn, or displayed, enrich our lives by connecting us with our humanity, creativity, and our history. It is evident when you enter Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts that all of the Gallery members are pursuing not only art but their passion. Hours: Mon-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun. noon-4pm. Contact: 910/763-7111 or at (www.portcitypottery.com).

The Art Factory, 21 Surry Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - We are located in the warehouse district on the edge of beautiful Historic Downtown Wilmington, North Carolina. In addition to our retail galleries, the Art Factory Gallery houses a number of studios for working artists and a Wine Bar featuring distinctive Yadkin Valley North Carolina wines, available by the glass while you enjoy the galleries. Hours: call about hours. Contact: 910/399-3793 or visit (<https://www.facebook.com/ArtFactoryGallery/>).

The ArtWorks, 200 Willard Street, Wilmington. **Gallery Verrazzano, Through Apr. 30** - "Common Roots, Many Branches," features 100+ works curated by the National Alliance of Artists from Historically Black Colleges and Universities, sponsored by Live Oak Bank and in collaboration with The Arts Council of Wilmington & New Hanover County. An artist reception will be held on Fourth Friday, on Mar. 25, 2022, from 6-8pm. **Ongoing** - The ArtWorks is an art village providing art studios, gallery space, and an event venue; fostering a creative environment for artists, educational opportunities, and enhancement of the Wilmington community, through art. Our Mission is to enhance the community, assist the artist, contribute to the revitalization of downtown Wilmington, to preserve Wilmington's commercial landmarks, and to increase the livelihood of local artists and provide a place to create and display all types of art. Hours: 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10am-3 or by appt. Contact: 910/352-7077 or at (<http://www.theartworks.co/>).

The Golden Gallery, @ The Cotton Exchange, 307 N. Front St., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by John W. Golden and Mary Ellen Golden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 910/762-4651 or at (www.thegoldengallery.com).

WATER + COLOR GALLERY, 204 Arcadian Row, Suite 120, in Marina Village, alongside the Cape Fear River, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Owned and operated by Susan Bateau, the gallery features works by artists who are mostly local to the Wilmington area. Hours: Wed.-Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 910/833-5393 or at (<http://www.waterpluscolorgallery.com>).

Winston-Salem Area

Downtown Arts District, Sixth and Trade streets, Winston-Salem. **Mar. 4** - "DADA First Friday Gallery Hop," with special artist demonstrations, art exhibits, and shops and studios open evening hours. Events are free and open to the public. Gallery Hops are funded and sponsored by the Downtown Art District Association, a non profit organization, and their supporting membership. Contact: 336/722-2345.

Delurk Gallery, 207 W 6th Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - An artist run gallery, dedicated to the exposure and sale of current artists' work. Hours: Fri.-Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 336/486-3444 or at (www.delurkgallery.com).

Earthbound Arts, 610 N. Trade St., Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Featuring an unique gallery showcasing the nature-related works of Gordon Jones and Lucy Duncan. Original designs in clay, copper, and stained glass as well as handcrafted herbal soaps, sterling and copper jewelry, block print cards, masks, wind chimes, garden art, clay beads, herbal teas, natural incense, beeswax candles and much more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 336/773-1043 or e-mail at (lucy@earthboundarts.com).

Fiber Company, 600 N. Trade Street, Winston Salem. **Ongoing** - Fiber Company is a working studio and partnership of five women creating wearable art, home accessories and textile art

located in the heart of the Downtown Art District. With over 60 consignment artists, most local artists, Fiber Company offers a wide range of gift items. Hours: Tue., 11am-3pm; Wed.-Fri., 11am-5pm; Sat., 11am-3pm & by appt. Contact: 336/725-5277 or e-mail at (fibercompany@gmail.com).

Island Arts On Trade, 521 N. Liberty St., Ste. 100, in the Artists On Liberty Building, across from the DADA Community Center, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Featuring visual and functional artwork by gallery artist, Gary Campbell. Also, featuring other multicultural artists and

mixed media artwork throughout the year. Hours: Fri.-Sat., 1-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/722-0510.

North Trade Street Arts Center, 604-A N. Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - The office of the Downtown Arts District Association (DADA) and art gallery collective of visual and performing artists. NTSA Center is composed of 10 individual spaces or grottoes and the DADA Member's Gallery featuring different DADA members each month. Hours: Fri.-Sun., noon-5pm or by chance or appt. and during DADA special events. Contact: e-mail at (northtradestreetarts@gmail.com).

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