

# SC Institutional Galleries

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from high school in Sumter, SC. McCallum, a Sumter native, graduated in 1932 from Sumter High School, after which she enrolled at the University of South Carolina, and later studied at the Boston Museum School of Art. In addition to sustaining her career as a painter and printmaker, McCallum pioneered art education in the South, teaching at the Gibbes Art Gallery, Telfair Academy in Savannah, Newberry College, and the College of Charleston. In 1960, she became the first professional Curator of Art Education at the Gibbes. Johns graduated as the valedictorian of his 1947 class at Edmunds High School, which was known as Sumter High School until the 1939-1940 school year. After attending the University of South Carolina, he relocated to New York City, where he gained prominence in the mid-1950s for his paintings of American flags, targets, alphabets, and numerals ("things the mind already knows," as Johns famously said). He is considered one of the most influential painters of the Post-World War era and America's preeminent living artist. McKoy graduated in 1965 from Edmunds High and has spent most of his life in Sumter. After studying architecture and biology at Clemson University, he joined his knowledge of the sciences with his uncanny skills as a carver, draftsman, and painter to achieve unique sculptures that fool the eye and defy gravity. His works are found in major public and private collections, most notably at Brookgreen Gardens and the Greenville County Museum of Art. **Ongoing** - Watermedia in the Age of Wyeth. When he was only 20, Andrew Wyeth (1917 – 2009) enjoyed a sold-out exhibition of his watercolors at New York City's Macbeth Gallery in 1937. The young artist was heralded for revitalizing the medium, and his career was launched. Over the next 72 years, as his methods evolved from broad abstracted washes of color to the intricate hatching of his signature drybrush technique, Wyeth firmly established his mastery of modern watermedia, which may include watercolor, gouache, tempera, acrylic, or ink (and combinations thereof). Selected from the GCMA permanent collection, this exhibition offers the opportunity to witness Andrew Wyeth's artistic evolution over time and invites comparison with other accomplished watermedia luminaries who worked during Wyeth's life. **Ongoing** - "Art and Artists of South Carolina: For Real". The GCMA's newest exhibition is drawn from the Museum's permanent collection. Celebrate the Palmetto State with a diverse selection of watercolors by Mary Whyte and Stephen Scott Young, sculptures carved by Grainger McKoy, and varied South Carolina landscapes. **Ongoing** - "Collection Highlights: African-American Art," features 17 works by as many artists. At the forefront of the exhibition is a realistic sculpture by John Wilson, whose monumental bronze head of Martin Luther King, Jr. captures the dignity and strength of the civil rights leader. Post-World War II non-objective painting is reflected in works by Beauford Delaney, Hale Woodruff, and Frank Wimberley. A lighter, but no less powerful, touch is embodied in a brilliant Color Field painting by Thomas Sills. The exhibition also includes evocative examples by Romare Bearden, Frederick Brown, Jacob Lawrence, Betye Saar, Merton Simpson, and Bob Thompson. **Ongoing** - "Andrew Wyeth: Running with the Land". This stunning retrospective showcases 59 works on paper, capturing Wyeth's preference for painting intimate subjects that were tied to the homes established by his father in both Chadds Ford, Pennsylvania, and Cushing, Maine. Wyeth drew inspiration from the distinctive characteristics and denizens of these locations, revealing universal traits in his depictions of landscapes, objects, and people. **Ongoing** - "All in the Family (Connections)," which assembles work by three generations of Wyeths--the first family of American painting--taking advantage of several rarely exhibited loans from a private collection and complementing the exhibition "Andrew Wyeth: Running with the Land". Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/271-7570 or at ([www.gcmsa.org](http://www.gcmsa.org)).

**Lipscomb Gallery**, at South Carolina Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities, 15 University St., Greenville. **Ongoing** - We feature several exhibitions throughout each year - our own students and faculty, plus many guest artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4:30pm. Visitors are asked to sign in at the Administration Building's front desk before entering campus. Contact: 864/282-3777 or 864/282-3705.

**Metropolitan Arts Council**, 16 Augusta Street, Greenville. **Dolly F. Pardi Gallery, May 9 - June 6** - "Dreamscapes," featuring 51 Greenville Open Studios artists. A reception will be held on May 16, from 6-8pm. The exhibit explores real and imagined places drawn from

dreams or the waking world. Each piece was selected for its exceptional craftsmanship and imaginative interpretation of the theme. Don't miss this otherworldly showcase of dreamy landscapes and surreal visions. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Greenville area artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/467-3132, or at ([www.greenvillearts.com](http://www.greenvillearts.com)).

**Museum & Gallery**, Bob Jones University, Wade Hampton Boulevard, Greenville. **Ongoing** - "Likely and Unlikely Pairings," featuring a fascinating juxtaposition of art and mundane objects revealing a variety of viewpoints. Through this special comparative display, the unique presentation serves as an engaging tool for all viewers interested in understanding the many facets of art, culture, and thought. **Ongoing** - Permanent exhibition of the finest collection of religious art in America, including works by Rubens, Botticelli, and Van Dyck. Offering visitors a 60-minute audio-guided tour of over 40 favored works for a modest fee. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 864/242-5100, Ext. 1050 or at ([www.bjmg.org](http://www.bjmg.org)).

**Thompson Gallery**, Thomas Anderson Roe Art Building, Furman University, Greenville. **Through May 9** - "Senior Show". Art students from the class of 2025 will showcase their collections. The dates and times of artist receptions to be scheduled, visit the Thompson Gallery. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm. Contact: Stephen Mandravelis by e-mail at ([stephen.mandravelis@furman.edu](mailto:stephen.mandravelis@furman.edu)), or call 864/294-2282.

**New Location**  
**Tiger Strikes Asteroid Greenville**, 201 Smythe Street, Greenville. **Through May 4** - "Living Things". This exhibition brings together the work of Hannah Chalew, Michael Evans, Manuel Alejandro Rodríguez-Delgado, and the artist collective Kosmologym, artists whose practices critically engage with ecological futures beyond the inevitability of collapse. At a time when climate discourse is so often framed by narratives of doom and irreversible destruction, these artists instead offer alternative pathways--visions that do not merely mourn what has been lost but actively cultivate new possibilities for multispecies coexistence. Their works ask: What if we imagined futures that were not only survivable but also generative, adaptive, and even utopian? Hours: Fri., 4-8pm; Sat., noon-6pm or by appt. Contact: e-mail to ([greenville@tigerstrikesasteroid.com](mailto:greenville@tigerstrikesasteroid.com)).

**Upcountry History Museum**, 540 Buncombe Street, Greenville. **Through May 25** - "Clyde Butcher's America the Beautiful". Acclaimed photographer Clyde Butcher has spent more than 50 years capturing some of America's most unique and beautiful landscapes, from the Redwood forests of California to the Everglade swamps of Florida. Butcher majestically captures the public natural lands set aside by the Federal and State governments for the enjoyment, education, and inspiration of this and future generations. **Ongoing** - Greenville County connects people, history, and culture. Through our collections, programs, and exhibitions the Museum preserves and interprets historical subjects pertaining to the Upcountry of South Carolina. Spanning two floors of permanent and changing exhibit galleries, the Museum tells the story of the Upcountry and features a year-round calendar of changing exhibits and program that dive deeper into history, art, science, and culture. Uncover the Upcountry's secrets. We invite you to step inside and discover the world and the Upcountry's role in it - as it was, as it is, and as it can be. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/467-3100 or e-mail to ([info@upcountryhistory.org](mailto:info@upcountryhistory.org)).



Work by Elizabeth Kenney

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenville  
**Centre Stage Theatre Gallery**, 501 River Street, Greenville. **Through June 6** - Featuring works by Elizabeth Kinney. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by visual art members of MAC. Exhibits are offered in collaboration with the

Metropolitan Arts Council. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 2-5pm & 2 hr. prior to shows. Contact: MAC at 864/467-3132, at ([www.greenvillearts.com/mac-featured-galleries/](http://www.greenvillearts.com/mac-featured-galleries/)).

## Greenwood

**Arts Center of Greenwood**, at the Federal Building, 120 Main Street, Greenwood. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 864/388-7800 or at ([www.emeraldtriangle.us/arts-center](http://www.emeraldtriangle.us/arts-center)).

**Lander University Fine Art Gallery**, Cultural Center Building, 320 Stanley Ave., Greenwood. **Ongoing** - The Lander University Fine Art Gallery features a variety of exhibits throughout the year. The gallery features national and regional artist, as well as student and faculty work showcasing painting, sculpture, ceramics, graphic design, and photography. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: call Jon Holloway at 864/388-8810 or at (<https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Art-Gallery/Lander-University-Fine-Art-Gallery-166498067092236/>).

## Greer

**Edward R. Driggers City of Greer Center for the Arts**, 804 Trade St., Greer. **Ongoing** - Featuring artists studios. Hours: Tue., noon-8pm; Fri., 9am-3pm; & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: call Sara Odem at 864/5383 or at (<http://greerculturalarts.com/>).

## Hartsville

**Black Creek Arts Center**, 116 West College Ave., Hartsville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-1pm and 2-5pm; Fri., 10am-2pm and 1st Sat. of the month 10am-1pm. Contact: 843/332-6234 or at ([www.blackcreekarts.org](http://www.blackcreekarts.org)).

**Hartsville Museum and Sculpture Courtyard**, 222 North Fifth Street, corner of Fifth Street and Home Avenue, Hartsville. **Ongoing** - Housed in a 1930's Post Office Building, the museum has kept many of the unique architectural features of the building. The skylight, original to the building, has been retrofitted with stained glass panels depicting the flora and fauna significant to the area. The Sculpture Courtyard added in 2000 features many different types of sculpture. The Showcase Gallery presents special exhibits focusing on history, the arts or present day events. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm (closed from noon-1pm on Fri.). Contact: 843/383-3005 or at ([www.hartsvillemuseum.org](http://www.hartsvillemuseum.org)).

**The Patz Fowle Visual Arts Studio**, SC Governor's School for Science + Mathematics, 401 Railroad Avenue, Hartsville. **Ongoing** - A public, boarding high school for students in grades 11 and 12. The school concentrates on science and mathematics, but offers the full spectrum of the humanities as well. For info visit ([www.scgssm.org](http://www.scgssm.org))

## Hilton Head Island Area



Work by June Klement

**Art League of Hilton Head Gallery**, at the Arts Center of Coastal Carolina, 14 Shelter Cove Lane, Hilton Head Island. **Through May 9** - "The Beauty Around Us," featuring paintings by Frank Gorman. The Art League Gallery is thrilled to be showcasing his stunning oil paintings that capture the essence of the Lowcountry landscape and its rich architectural heritage. Gorman, a retired architect with over 50 years of experience spanning more than 30 countries, brings a unique perspective to his art. His deep appreciation for the natural world and the built environment is evident in his works, which celebrate the majestic ocean, serene marshes, and iconic Southern architecture. From the delicate dance of local wildlife to the tranquil beauty of the Lowcountry, Gorman's paintings invite viewers to connect with the landscapes they cherish. **May 13 - June 13** - "2025 Biennale, 29th National Juried Exhibition," with over \$5,000 in prizes will be awarded to the most outstanding works, selected by this year's "Biennale" Judge, Tony Armendariz, an award-winning artist living and painting in Illinois. An awards reception will be held on May 16, from 5-7pm. A Critic's Coffee will be offered on May 17 from 10am-12pm, \$10 entry fee/ free to ALHH members. RSVP to ([gallery@artleague-hhi.org](mailto:gallery@artleague-hhi.org)). Representing artists from across

the country, including South Carolina, the 2025 Biennale promises to be a showcase of exemplary artwork. The national call for entries attracted over 1,000 artworks from 41 states. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by members of the Art League of Hilton Head. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/681-5060 or at ([www.artleaguehhi.org](http://www.artleaguehhi.org)).

**Coastal Discovery Museum**, at Honey Horn, off Highway 278, across from Gumtree Road, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - Featuring a butterfly sculpture by South Carolina artist Eric Moore; work by sculptor John Van Alstine; and murals by Italian artist Hitnes. Admission: FREE. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 843/689-6767 or at ([www.coastaldiscovery.org](http://www.coastaldiscovery.org)).

## Lake City

**Acline Studios**, 132 North Acline Street, Lake City. **Ongoing** - Featuring the working studios of: Ada Smolen-Morton, Ashley Hamilton, Colleen Critcher, Daniela Arenas, Douglas Gray, Elizabeth Borowsky, Jan Chenoweth, Kara Artman, Latoya Thompson, Malik Hayward, Morgan Elvington Walker, Princess Chandler, Roger Halligan, Sasha Federer, and Tiffany Thomas. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/374-0180.

**Crossroads Gallery**, 124 West Main Street, Lake City. **Ongoing** - Featuring past winning entries from ArtFields competitions on a rotating basis. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: ([www.artfieldssc.org](http://www.artfieldssc.org)).

## Lancaster



Works by Caroleen Sanders

**USC Lancaster Native American Studies Center**, 119 South Main Street, Lancaster. **Five Points Gallery & North Gallery, Through Aug. 30** - "Soul of the South." Curated by the Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage, "Soul of the South" takes visitors on a musical journey highlighting the influences that Native Americans, enslaved Africans, and the European colonizers in the Lowcountry had on various genres of music: gospel, jazz, blues, musical theater and rock and roll. Largely sponsored by Gretsch, the renowned drum and musical instrument maker, the exhibit also showcases local musicians and groups whose notoriety reached beyond the Lowcountry. **Red Rose Gallery, Through May 3** - "What the Fire May Gift," featuring artwork by USCL's 2023 Artist-in-Resident William "Bill" Harris, a Catawba potter and former Catawba Nation Chief. The exhibit features over 30 pieces of pottery, some created during Harris's term as the Center's 2023 Artist-in-Residence last fall, where he appeared courtesy of a 2024 South Carolina Arts Commission Folklife and Traditional Arts Grant. The exhibit also contains work from Harris' proteges Elizabeth Harris and Kent Harris, whom Harris works with as part of the group Blue Herron Clay, as well as work from his grandmother, Georgia Harris, a prolific potter who taught her grandson the traditional artform. **Duke Energy Gallery, Through Aug. 5, 2026** - "Clay and Play!". After four years of planning and preparing, the Native American Studies Center is pleased to open its first-ever exhibit geared just for elementary-aged children. The exhibition is an educational children's exhibit designed with immersive play in mind, including colorful displays and wall murals, hands-on pottery replica displays, an interactive Three Sisters Garden where guests can "pick" corn, beans, and squash, and more. Center Special Projects Coordinator Elisabeth Avelar developed the exhibit, wanting to not only create a kid-friendly exhibit, but also to create an exhibit correlating to South Carolina's educational standards in history and covering the educational disciplines of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics) and literacy. **D. Lindsay Pettus Gallery, Ongoing** - "The Story of Catawba Pottery". This National Endowment for the Arts funded exhibit traces the art, culture and history of Catawba pottery, the oldest Native American pottery tradition in the United States. **Back Gallery, Semi-permanent Exhibit** - "This is Us: Native American Studies". This exhibit celebrates the history and 10th Anniversary of USCL's Native American Studies, including

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