

# NC Institutional Galleries

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**Collective Arts Gallery & Ceramic Supply**, 8801 Leadmine Road, Suite 103, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and nationally renowned artists on permanent exhibit. Hours: Tue.-Fri. 11am-7pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/844-0765.

**Gregg Museum of Art & Design**, The Historic Chancellor's Residence, NC State University, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh. **Thomas E. Cabaniss Gallery in the Historic Residence, Through Sept. 6** - "All is Possible: Mary Ann Scherr's Legacy in Metal". With galleries temporarily closed to the public, the Gregg Museum has created a virtual tour of Mary Ann Scherr's All is Possible at (<https://gregg.arts.ncsu.edu/exhibitions/all-is-possible/virtual-tour/>). Descriptions of each display are available by clicking the blue bubbles. Links to online photo galleries are available in the orange bubbles. Once you click on the tour, you'll see an icon on the lower left that links to a highlight reel, and it will guide you through the gallery as it was designed. Enjoy! The exhibition is a tribute to a larger-than-life designer who influenced the metal and design communities for over 6 decades. The exhibition title communicates her zest for life, as well as the many creative possibilities she saw in metal design, leading to a decades-long career in the field. When Scherr (Akron, OH 1921- Raleigh, NC 2016) moved from New York City to Raleigh in 1989, she was already an internationally renowned designer who had chaired the first Crafts Department at Parsons School of Design in Manhattan, innovated metal-etching techniques, and pioneered jewelry and accessories that also functioned as body monitors. And yet, for the next 30 years, she strived to enrich the arts and life of her new community in North Carolina, where she taught for decades at Penland School of Crafts, Duke University, Meredith College and finally, NC State University Crafts Center. **Ongoing** - Following its grand reopening on Aug. 26, 2017, one of NC State University's most historic buildings is now the permanent home of the Gregg Museum of Art & Design. The Historic Chancellor's Residence, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, along with a 15,000 sq. ft. addition, increases the museum's visibility while significantly adding to its exhibition and programming space. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Zoe Starling, Curator of Education at 919/513-7244 or at (<https://gregg.arts.ncsu.edu/>).



Christopher Holt's "Haywood Street Beatitudes" in progress, 2019, Courtesy of the artist, © 2019 Christopher Holt; Photograph: John Warner

**North Carolina Museum of Art**, 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh. **Through Sept. 27** - "Bacchus Conservation Project: The Story of a Sculpture". The Statue of Bacchus, which has undergone extensive research since the 1960s when the North Carolina Museum of Art realized it was a patchwork of marble fragments, returns on view in special exhibition. The exhibition explores the history of the sculpture, the scientific investigation, the conservation process, and the making of its new arm. The exhibition also includes a series of related events, including a free Family Day, a scholarly panel, and a wine-tasting event. **Through July 26** - "Christopher Holt:

Contemporary Frescoes/Faith and Community". This exhibition features monumental drawings, intimate portraits, and studies by Asheville artist Christopher Holt for the Haywood Street Beatitudes fresco completed in September 2019. The fresco is the result of a two-year community project led by Holt with the Rev. Brian Combs, founder of the Haywood Street congregation in Asheville. **Through July 26** - "Art in Translation: Araya Rasdjarmrearnsook". Recognized as one of the preeminent video artists of Southeast Asia, Rasdjarmrearnsook explores the connections and complications between Western art history and the cultural traditions of various Asian nations. **Through July 5** - "Good as Gold: Fashioning Senegalese Women". The first major exhibition of Senegalese gold jewelry to date that focuses on the history of Senegal's gold, from past to present, and the beauty and complexity of the way Senegalese women use ornament and fashion to present themselves. A key theme of the exhibition is the Senegalese concept of sañse (a Wolof word for dressing up or looking and feeling good). Good as Gold explores how a woman in a city like Dakar might use a piece of gold jewelry to build a carefully tailored, elegant fashion ensemble. Good as Gold: Fashioning Senegalese Women is organized by Kevin D. Du-mouchelle of the National Museum of African Art, Smithsonian Institution. It is curated by Amanda Maples of the North Carolina Museum of Art. **Through July 5** - "Leonardo Drew". This two-part project by contemporary artist Leonardo Drew features a monumental outdoor sculpture, City in the Grass, along with a gallery exhibition that provides a more in-depth look at his diverse body of work. Using a variety of materials—wood, cotton, canvas, paper, steel, aluminum, sand—Drew makes dynamic sculptures that explode and expand into their spaces. These gravity-defying sculptures convey a feeling of barely contained or restrained energy and chaos. Leonardo Drew: Making Chaos Legible is made possible, in part, by the generous support of the Harfield Foundation and Libby and Lee Buck. **East Building, Level B, Joyce W. Pope Gallery, Through July 26** - "Front Burner: Highlights in Contemporary North Carolina Painting". Organized by guest curator Ashlynn Browning in collaboration with the North Carolina Museum of Art. Throughout modern art history, painting has been declared dead and later resuscitated so many times that the issue now tends to fall on deaf ears. Despite any debate over painting's viability, artists continue to persevere in keeping the medium fresh and new. Currently painting is enjoying a revival in the art world, and innovative North Carolina artists are helping to maintain its vibrant place on the front burner. Participating artists include: Brett Baker, Raleigh, Cynthia Bickley-Green, Greenville. Maria Britton, Carrboro, Mark Brown, Chapel Hill, Ashlynn Browning, Raleigh, Luke Miller Buchanan, Raleigh, Martha Clippinger, Durham, Hannah Cole, Asheville, Celia Johnson, Chapel Hill, Benjamin Knight, Deep Run, Ashley Lathe, Charlotte, Georges Le Chevallier, Garner, Juan Logan, Belmont, Gerry Lynch, Apex, Donald Martiny, Chapel Hill, Mario Marzan, Chapel Hill, George McKim, Raleigh, Bonnie Melton, Durham, Katy Mixon, Chapel Hill, Carmen Neely, Charlotte, Shaun Richards, Raleigh, Barbara Campbell Thomas, Climax, William Paul Thomas, Durham, Lien Truong, Chapel Hill, and Antoine Williams, Greensboro. **NCMA Park** - The North Carolina Museum of Art (NCMA) announces new works of art to be installed in the 164-acre NCMA Park. The works include a bronze tree by Italian artist Giuseppe Penone, a playful pair of benches designed by Hank Willis Thomas, and a 10-day installation of 23-foot-tall illuminated rabbits by Australian artist Amanda Parer. The sculptures will be featured at the NCMA's Park Celebration on Nov. 6, when the public is invited to experience the newly expanded Park with a variety of outdoor activities. **Ongoing** - Featuring 10 additional sculptures by the celebrated French artist Rodin on loan from Iris Cantor's private collection. **Ongoing** - "John James Audubon's The Birds of America". The state has owned this treasured volume since 1848, but it has never been exhibited. **Ongoing** - The North Carolina Museum of Art has an outstanding permanent collection of more than 5,000 objects spanning antiquity to the present day. On the occasion of the expansion, the Museum has acquired more than 100 new works of art. Representing commissions, gifts, and purchases, the new works encompass important and diverse examples of historic and contemporary art from around the world, and will be installed in the Museum's new building and the surrounding landscape. Highlights include a gift of 28 sculptures by Auguste Rodin, and work by such internationally acclaimed artists as Roxy Paine, Ursula von Rydingsvard, El Anatsui, Jaume Plensa, Jackie Ferrara, Ellsworth Kelly, and David Park, among others. Admission: Yes for some exhibits. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm; Sun., 10am-5pm; & open until 9pm on Fri. Contact: 919/839-6262 or at

([www.ncartmuseum.org](http://www.ncartmuseum.org)).

**North Carolina Museum of History**, 5 East Edenton Street, (between Salisbury and Wilmington Streets), Raleigh. **Through Jan. 3, 2021** - "You Have to Start a Thing." The year 2020 marks the 100th anniversary of the 19th Amendment to the United States Constitution and a century of voting rights for women. The exhibition explores how Tar Heel women and men fought for—and against—woman suffrage in the decades leading up to 1920. It also chronicles the ongoing struggle to ensure voting rights for North Carolinians of color and the (slow) entry of women into positions of political power in our state. **Ongoing** - Featuring exhibits dealing with North Carolina's history as a theme. **Sweet Tea & Cornbread Grill and Eatery**, located on the R Level, open Mon.-Sat., from 11am to 3pm. Download the full menu at ([https://files.nc.gov/dncr-moh/Sweet%20Tea%20and%20Cornbread\\_MENU%202019.pdf](https://files.nc.gov/dncr-moh/Sweet%20Tea%20and%20Cornbread_MENU%202019.pdf)). Call 919/814-6980 or visit ([ncmuseumofhistory.org/sweet-tea-and-cornbread](http://ncmuseumofhistory.org/sweet-tea-and-cornbread)) for more information. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/807-7900 or at (<http://www.ncmuseumofhistory.org/>).

**R. A. Bryan Foundation Inc. Gallery**, at The Crafts Center, on the first floor of Thompson Hall on the NC State University campus, 210 Jensen Drive, Raleigh. **Through July 28** - "Scherr Passion - Passing the Torch". A reception will be held on Mar. 18, from 5:30-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-10pm; Sat., 10am-5pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/515-2457 or at (<https://crafts.arts.ncsu.edu/>).

**ALTERNATE ART SPACES** - Raleigh **Progress Energy Center for the Performing Arts**, 2 East South Street, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - The Betty Ray McCain Gallery is nestled within the Duke Energy Center for the Performing Arts, and is the proud home of the North Carolina Artists Exhibition, a collection of work by state artists, selected each year by respected local museum and gallery directors from hundreds of submissions. For info contact Susan Garrity by e-mail at ([artistsexhibition@gmail.com](mailto:artistsexhibition@gmail.com)). Hours: during performances or call. Contact: call 919/831-6060 for hours and directions.

## Rutherfordton

**Rutherford County Visual Arts Center & Gallery**, 160 N. Main Street, at the intersection of W. Court St., Rutherfordton. **Ongoing** - Offering a changing exhibit of 2D and 3D art including oils, watercolor, scratchboard, calligraphy, fiber, wood, glass, pottery and fine craft by local artists/fine crafters. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/288-5009 or at (<http://www.rcvag.com/>).

## Seagrove Area

**Carolina Bronze Sculpture Garden**, Carolina Bronze, 6108 Maple Springs Road, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - The Carolina Bronze Sculpture Garden is a natural and landscaped area overlooking a beautiful 1.25 acre pond. A walking trail loops around the pond with benches and a picnic area along the trail. The Sculpture Garden collection consists of donated and loaned sculptures from emerging and established artists working in all 3D media suitable for the outdoors. There are currently 19 sculptures installed around the pond. The landscaped and natural areas have a focus on NC native plants and trees. As an extension of this park, a sculpture is installed in the downtown area of Seagrove. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-4pm. Contact: 336/873-8291 or at ([www.cb sculpture-garden.com](http://www.cb sculpture-garden.com)).

**Seagrove Area Pottery Center (Not the NC Pottery Center)**, 122 E. Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - The former museum organization was founded twenty-five years ago in Seagrove, and is dedicated to preserving and perpetuating the pottery tradition. We strive to impart to new generations the history of traditional pottery and an appreciation for its simple and elegant beauty. A display of area pottery is now offered in the old Seagrove grocery building. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-3:30pm. Contact: 336/873-7887.

**North Carolina Pottery Center**, 233 East Avenue, Seagrove. **Through June 20** - "NC Wood-Fired: Then & Now". Wood-firing is arguably the most revered and evocative of all pottery traditions. This show pays homage to North Carolina's rich centuries-old tradition of wood-fired pottery. The exhibition showcases some great historic pieces from different regions and traditions within the state and places them in proximity to wonderful examples of more recent and contemporary pieces being made today. This juxtaposition allows the viewer to visually explore sometimes their similarities, sometimes their differences, and sometimes the similarities in their differences. This is a broad survey of NC wood-fired pottery.

Some contemporary pieces will be available for purchase. Purchased pieces must remain in the show until it ends. **Ongoing** - Featuring permanent and changing exhibits on the history of North Carolina pottery, "The North Carolina Pottery Tradition" and "Seagrove Area Pottery". The Center also offers information on activities, maps and information about the potteries located in the Seagrove area and across the state. A display of representative works from more than 90 area potteries is also offered. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact 336/873-8430 or at ([www.ncpotterycenter.org](http://www.ncpotterycenter.org)).

**STARworks Center for Creative Enterprise**, 100 Russell Drive, just seven miles south of Seagrove in Star. STARworks is a project of Central Park NC, a 501-(c)(3) not for profit organization based in rural central North Carolina. The mission of CPNC is to grow a new rural economy based on the sustainable use of the natural and cultural resources of the region. **STARworks Businesses: STARworks Glass** is a public access glass studio that offers rental space for glass artists, classes and workshops for the general public, a resident artist and internship program, and high school and college glass curriculum. In addition to fundraisers like our Pumpkin Patch and Holiday Ornament Sale, STARworks Glass also holds free demonstrations on the second Thursday of each month at Hot Glass Cold Beer. **STARworks Ceramics** uses native NC wild clays to produce clay bodies that are manufactured with a filter press on site. We also sell pottery supplies and equipment. In addition to our STARworks clays, we offer both Highwater and Standard clays, and tools and equipment from Shimpco, Cone Art Kilns, Mudtools, AMACO, Kemper Tools and Orton. **STARworks Clay Studio** offers a residency program for ceramic artists. Our facilities allow for large workshop spaces placed side by side, supporting a collaborative and energetic educational environment. In addition to the residency program, STARworks Clay studio offers classes and workshops for adults. STARworks is also home to **Wet Dog Glass**, the most trusted and dependable equipment maker and consultant for glass artists and craftspeople worldwide. **School House Gallery, Ongoing** - The gallery is filled with a selection of works from artists and artisans alike, bringing hand crafted wares into a new light. From one of a kind tableware crafted from locally mined clay paired with handwoven placemats, to simple yet elegant glass goods designed with our utilitarian ideals in mind, our functional collections are a must have for any home. Our gallery also features a selection of sculptures that gray the lines between want and need. Whether your desire is to capture an experience with one of our artists or our team, decorate your home with memories of your travels, or to treat yourself and others to a unique handmade gift, we have something for everyone to make your time here unforgettable. Gallery Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. **STARworks Café & Taproom** - Featuring Espresso, Iced & Frozen Coffee, Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Smoothies, Beer & Wine, Soda, Bottled Water, Snapple, Snacks, and Pastries. And, live music some nights - visit (<https://www.starworksnc.org/caf-taproom>) for the schedule. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 8am-9pm & Thur.-Sat., 8am-10pm. STARworks General Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: call 910/428-9001 or at ([www.starworksnc.org](http://www.starworksnc.org)).

## Siler City

**North Carolina Arts Incubator Gallery**, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. **Ongoing** - Featuring the handcrafted work of over 30 Incubator and regional artists in a variety of mediums including painting, pottery, stained and fused glass, fabric art, cards, photography, wood, jewelry, metal, baskets and more. There is a broad range of items and prices. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; & 3rd Fri., 10am-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at ([www.ncartsincubator.org](http://www.ncartsincubator.org)).

**PAF Gallery**, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. **Ongoing** - A gallery featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: 3rd Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at ([www.ncartsincubator.org](http://www.ncartsincubator.org)).

## Southport

**Franklin Square Gallery**, 130 E. West St., Southport. **Ongoing** - Works by members of the Associated Artists of Southport. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/457-5450 or at ([www.franklinsquaregallery.com](http://www.franklinsquaregallery.com)).

## Spruce Pine

**TRAC Arts Center**, Toe River Arts Council, 269 Oak Avenue, Spruce Pine. **Toe River Arts June Studio Tour Canceled** - After considering the input of studio tour participants, our staff, board of directors, and local health officials, for everyone's safety we have made the difficult decision to cancel the June Studio Tour. The current directive to slow the spread of COVID-19 requires our

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