

SC Institutional Galleries

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popular covers of the Saturday Evening Post. The exhibit includes 50 photographs that show the careful procedure Rockwell used to make his art, as well as 16 original paintings and drawings, and takes viewers behind the scenes in the creative process of one of America's great masters. **Mamie and William Andrew Treadway, Jr. Gallery 15, Through Jan. 4, 2015** - "Tabletop Art History: Still Life from the Collection". This intimate and colorful exhibition uses 24 still life paintings from the CMA collection, including works by Roy Lichtenstein, Julie Heffernan, and Lionel Gilbert, to tell the story of American art. From polished photographic apples, to loosely, but lovingly, painted bowls on the kitchen table, Tabletop Art History offers the opportunity to see how artists can use one theme in many different styles. Along the way, we also learn the difference between realism, impressionism, and expressionism. Arrangements on a tabletop remain fascinating to artists who use everyday objects to create wildly varied images. **Wells Fargo Education Gallery, Through Jan. 7, 2015** - "Rockwell Rocks!". The CMA presents an exhibition of South Carolina student art from around the state. Students explore the processes and techniques used by Norman Rockwell to create their own work capturing their personal histories. **BB&T Focus Gallery, Ongoing** - "Southern Traditions," will showcase the richness and diversity of the Museum's collection of furniture, ceramics, silver, basketry, sculpture and paintings by artists native to, or active in, South Carolina and its surrounding states. Among the works on view will be fine silver made by Charleston and Columbia silver-smiths; a sweet grass basket by Mary Jackson (SC, born 1945); wood carvings by Edgar Alexander McKillop (NC, 1879-1950); and paintings by Charles Fraser (SC, 1782-1860), Xanthus Russell Smith (SC, 1839-1929), William Harrison Scarborough (SC, 1812-1871), William Aiken Walker (SC, 1838-1921), among others. **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.-Fri., 11am-5pm; first Fri., till 8pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).



Work by Cynthia Colbert

Goodall Gallery, Spears Music/Art Center, Columbia College, 1301 Columbia College Drive, Columbia. **Through Dec. 15** - "Volumes: Women Bound by Art". The exhibition is a collection of artistically manipulated books by 19 female artists created over two Volumes installments. The exhibition is a compilation of works by art educators, therapists, designers, studio artists and photographers, and includes: Eileen Blyth, Cynthia Colbert, Jessica Crusier, Heidi Darr-Hope, Janette Grassi, Tonya Gregg, Mary and Marcy How, Doni Jordan, Susan Lenz, Susan Livingston, Gina Moore, Yukiko Oka, Kay Reardon, Liisa Salosaari Jasinski, Virginia Scotchie, Kathryn Van Aernum, Katie Walker and Laura Windham. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 10am-6pm; Thur.-Fri., 10am-7pm; and Sat.-Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: call Rebecca B. Munnerlyn at 803/786.3649 or e-mail at (rbmunnerlyn@colacoll.edu).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. **Through Mar.**

28, 2015 - "Celebrating South Carolina Ceramics: Recent Acquisitions from the Ferrell Collection". This exhibition features stunning stoneware pottery acquired from the prestigious collection of Stephen and Terry Ferrell. The exhibit includes an 1840, 4-handled, signed and decorated Phoenix Factory jar attributed to Thomas Chandler, an 1825 chum attributed to Thomas Chandler, and a bowl by John Durham, Chandler's father-in-law. The acquisition of these new additions to McKissick Museum's stellar southern stoneware collection was made possible by the generous support of donors to the Jill Koverman Memorial Fund and the Lynn Robertson Acquisitions Fund. Also on view is a sampling of never-before-exhibited sherds from the Ferrell sherd collection. In January 2014, the Ferrells gifted their extensive sherd collection to McKissick. Excavated from multiples historic South Carolina pottery sites such as the Shaw's Creek Pottery in Edgefield and the Landrum/Stork site in Columbia, this recent donation of several thousand pottery sherds represents a treasure trove for southern ceramics scholars. **2nd floor South Gallery, Through July 25, 2015** - "Traditions, Change, and Celebration: Native Artists of the Southeast". This exhibition represents year two of McKissick's "Diverse Voices" series, which explores the vibrant traditions that help create and maintain the cultural landscape of South Carolina and the surrounding region. Each year the exhibit focuses on a specific theme or tradition. The South is home to a wide variety of deeply-rooted Native American tribal groups, each with their own dynamic history. The exhibition pays particular attention to five primary culture groups: Iroquoian, Muskogean, Algonquin, Mobilian and Siouan. Within these culture groups and spanning nine states, the traditions of a variety of tribes will be explored, including the Cherokee, Edisto, Choctaw, Catawba, Chickasaw, Seminole, Chitimacha, Pamunkey, Wassamasaw and Creek. Featuring the work of master artists within these communities, the exhibition explores how these artists are influenced by the world around them and how they influence their native communities through leadership and a dynamic sense of cultural identity. **Ongoing** - "Diverse Voices: Discovering Community Through Traditional Arts". Dedicated to the late George D. Terry, "Diverse Voices" explores deeply-rooted traditions that help create and maintain the cultural landscape of South Carolina and the surrounding region. Each year the exhibit will focus on a specific theme or tradition. Year one of "Diverse Voices" offers a comprehensive presentation of objects from the museum collection that represent the work of celebrated NEA National Heritage Fellows and Jean Laney Harris Folk Heritage Award recipients. **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 Dec. 16** - "CephalicUS: A head of indecision," featuring paintings by Dan Smith. Smith earned his MFA degree in Painting from the University of South Carolina in 1991. The human face has been a favorite subject Smith has examined utilizing a wide variety of styles and subjects during his artistic career. His McMaster's exhibit includes large acrylic paintings incorporating a variety of iconic portraits. Integrated into this exhibition are montage-based labels that integrate Smith's verse with T.S. Elliot's "The Love Song of Alfred P. Prufrock". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: Mana Hewitt, Gallery Director at 803/777-7480 or at (http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/art/mcmaster_gallery).

Richland County Public Library, Gallery at Main, 1431 Assembly St., Columbia. **Through Jan. 5, 2015** - "All the In Between - My Story of Agnes," by Laurie B. McIntosh. An exhibition of paintings telling the cradle to grave story of a life well lived. **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 Dec. 21** - "701 CCA Prize 2014 Finalists Exhibition," featuring works by Andrew Blanchard, Spartanburg; Shannon Lindsey, Columbia; and Karen Ann Myers, Charleston. The 701 CCA Prize 2014 is a competition and exhibition for South Carolina artists 40 years and younger. The winner of the 701 CCA Prize 2014 will be announced during a 701 CCA Prize 2014 Celebration event on Wednesday, Dec. 3, from 7-10pm. This year's Prize is the

second installment of the biennial event. **West side of the 701 Whaley building, Ongoing** - "Herb Parker: Olympia Dialogue," featuring an outdoor, architectural installation by Charleston, SC, artist Herb Parker. His architectural structure is 10 feet tall, 34 feet long and 18 feet wide and made of rebar, oat straw, jute, bamboo, reed and mulch. Parker created the work during his May residency at 701 CCA with several volunteer assistants. "Olympia Dialogue" is 701 CCA's first commissioned public art work. 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 Jan. 18, 2015** - "Chapman's Charleston, 1863-1864," which tells the story of the Civil War in Charleston from 1863-1864 through the eyes of artist and Confederate soldier, Conrad Wise Chapman. The 33 original Chapman paintings, shown for the first time in Columbia, will examine art during the Civil War, the military defenses of Charleston against the Union siege and other artists who worked in the city during the war. **Through 2015** - "The Coming of the Civil War," will look at the origins of the disagreement between South Carolina and the federal government, beginning with the nullification crisis of 1832-33. The exhibit will be augmented by five more single-topic exhibits through the sesquicentennial war years (2011-2015) until the expansion space is filled. **Lipscomb Gallery, Through Mar. 16, 2015** - "Building a Universe," features creations by artists whose work deals with space and the universe, either directly or conceptually, according to Chief Curator of Art Paul Matheny. The works represent a wide variety of media, including installation art, painting, printmaking, collage, sculpture and mixed media work. In addition, installation art by Jocelyn Chateauvert, Virginia Scotchie and Jonathan Brilliant will be seen, as will the work of mixed media artists, painters and the final collage constructions of the late, world-renowned Robert Courtright of Sumter, created shortly before his death in late 2012." Participating artists included are: Jonathan Brilliant, Paul Martyka, Molly B. Right, Robert Courtright (1926-2012), Enid Williams, Peggy Rivers, Hollis Brown Thornton, Jocelyn Chateauvert, John Acorn, Aldwyth, Virginia Scotchie, Jon Prichard, Mary Edna Fraser, Greg Fitzpatrick, Kirkland Smith, and Gene Speer. **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/>).



Work by Charles Hite

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia area **Columbia Metropolitan Airport**, 3250 Airport Boulevard in West Columbia. **Through Dec. 31** - Featuring nearly 40 original photographs of Midlands scenery and local sites by local photographer Charles Hite. One of six 2-D artists selected for the inaugural year of this rotating exhibit, Hite is the only photographer. In addition to the standard framed photos on display, Hite's larger pieces were expertly framed by two inmates at Walden Correctional Institution on Broad River Road, Columbia, SC, in the Prison Industries Frame Shop. Contact: call Lynne Douglas, Air Service Development & Customer Service Manager at 803/822-5020.

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: 803/545-0001 or at (www.columbiaconventioncenter.com/phototour/phototour/).

4507 Forest Drive, across from Trader Joe's, Columbia. **Through Dec. 20** - "Trenholm Artists Guild's 6th annual Holiday Artisans Market." The Holiday Artisans Market features a selection of paintings, photography, jewelry, pottery, cards, and other fine art items produced by

Guild members. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun. 2-6pm. Contact: at (www.TrenholmArtistsGuild.org).

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

Art Trail Gallery, 185 West Evans Street, just around the corner from their old location on Dargon Street, Florence. **Through Jan. 4** - "The Holiday Show," featuring works for the holidays priced accordingly. A reception will be held on Dec. 3, from 5:30-7:30pm. **Ongoing** - Also the home of Alex Palkovich's sculpture. New at the Gallery is "Shoebbox Art", 8x10 paintings donated by local artist to be sold for only \$20! All proceeds go to the gallery for operating expenses. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/673-0729 or at (www.art-trail-gallery.com).

Florence County Museum, 111 West Cheves Street, across the street from the Francis Marion University Performing Arts Center, Florence.

Through Oct. 5, 2015 - "William H. Johnson: New Beginnings," features twenty one works from the life of Florence native, William Henry Johnson (1901-1970) selected from the collections of the Smithsonian American Art Museum, the Florence Museum Board of Trustees, the Johnson Collection, and a private collector in Denmark. This selection not only represents the range of distinct periods over the artist's prolific career, but it also offers a rare personal glimpse into the artist's relationship with the people and places of Florence, America, & Europe. In 1901, William H. Johnson was born in Florence, SC. At the age of 17, he traveled and studied in America and Europe, producing and exhibiting art that reflected the styles and attitudes of the world around him. Fearing the eminent onset of war in Europe, Johnson returned to the United States in 1938. Over the course of the next decade, his art transformed into the intense, "primitivist" style he is recognized for today. Both vibrant and somber, these abstracted paintings depict the African-American experience from both a historical and personal perspective. Today the Smithsonian American Art Museum owns more work by Johnson than any other single artist. In 2009, two of Johnson's works painted during the artist's 1944 visit to Florence, were among those chosen by First Lady Michelle Obama as decoration for the White House. **Through Jan. 1, 2016** - "Selections from the Wright Collection of Southern Art". This exhibition features thirty works from the Florence County Museum's recently acquired Wright Collection of Southern Art. In its entirety, The Wright Collection of Southern Art features 141 works collected over 45 years by former Florence pathologist, Dr. Louis Wright. The collection was developed around the recognition of Southern Art as a viable facet of American expression and cultural development. It encompasses art produced over a 153-year period, from 1852 to 2005. At its center is work by noted artists like Thomas Hart Benton, Alfred Hutty, Helen Hyde, Florence native artist, William Henry Johnson, Alice Huger Smith, Anna Heyward Taylor, Elizabeth O'Neill Verner, Palmer Schoppe, Mary Whyte, & Stephen Scott Young. **Community Gallery, 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

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