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recent photographs from his archive and bringing together both shared and diverging viewpoints. The resulting exhibit transcends generational boundaries and offers viewers a photographic conversation about the ways we look at the world around us.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 919/947-0009 or visit (artsinwayne.org).

University of North Carolina at Wilmington, NC, Offers Group Exhibit

The University of North Carolina at Wilmington, NC, is presenting Here There: (Re)collecting Labor on the American Railway, a collaborative exhibition by Stefani Bryd, Caroline Louise Miller, and Alarm Will Sound, on view in the CAB Art Gallery, through Aug. 29, 2024. A closing reception will be held on Aug. 22, from 5:30-7pm. An Artist Talk will be offered in Room 2033 on Aug. 22, at 5pm.



Here There is an immersive multimedia installation exploring complex historical relationships among labor, industrial infrastructure, and collective memory through an examination of three significant Transcontinental Railroad sites in Northern California: Donner Pass, Bloomer Cut, and Roseville Train Yard. The project weaves together film spanning both coasts, archival materials, audio interviews, field recordings, and a chamber orchestra score. Here There creates a dance between the everyday and the epic, past and present, noise and silence. The work is a collaboration between UNCW Professor Stefani Byrd, Composer Caroline Louise Miller, and world-renowned contemporary music ensemble Alarm Will Sound.

Caroline Louise Miller's work explores affect, ecology, labor politics, tactility, and



Work by Stefani Bryd

digital materiality. Their music has appeared across the US and internationally, including Germany, Denmark, Australia, Mexico, Canada, Italy, the UK, and Switzerland. Miller is Assistant Professor of Sonic Arts at Portland State University, and holds a Ph.D in Music from UC San Diego.

Stefani Byrd's art practice includes video, new media, and interactive technologies. Their practice explores the impact of imbalanced power structures. Her work has been exhibited nationally and internationally including South Korea, Switzerland, Spain, and Greece. Byrd is currently Assistant Professor of New Media in the Film Studies Department at the University of North Carolina Wilmington.

"As close to being a rock band as a chamber orchestra can be" (The New York *Times*). Alarm Will Sound is a 20-member touring ensemble led by Artistic Director Alan Pierson that commissions, performs, and records innovative works by established and emerging composers, especially works that incorporate theatrical and multimedia elements.

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Sunset River Gallery in Calabash, NC, Features a Small Works Show

Sunset River Gallery in Calabash, NC, will present a new Small Works exhibition, on view from June 14 through July 20 2024. A reception will be held on June 14, from 5-7pm.

The group show will feature beachscapes, wildlife scenes, waterway paintings and more in a range of media – all measuring 12 by 12 inches or smaller.

Gallery director Samantha Spalti said, "Our visitors come from near and far to experience all that the gallery offers. Locals count on us for fine art for their homes and businesses. Visitors often seek local work that commemorates their trip here - especially if it travels easily



Work by Donn McCrary

Sunset River Gallery offers a wonderfully eclectic mix. The Small Works show is ideal for any art lover who wants to take a small piece of the Carolina coast home with them. "We invite everyone to come out for the opening reception on Friday, June 14 from 5-7pm, to enjoy some refreshments and meet the artists."

Participating artists include: Barbara Page 28 - Carolina Arts, June 2024



Work by Rachel Sunnell

Kohn (oil), Gary Baird (photography), Brenda Riggins (acrylic), Janet Sessoms (oil), Becky Steele (acrylic), Ophelia Staton (acrylic), Roseann Bellinger (acrylic), Clay Johnson (oil), Vicki Neilon (acrylic) Ruth Cox (oil), Kari Feuer (acrylic), Ortrud Tyler (oil), Rich Flanegan (oil), Abby Warman (oil), Rachel Jones (watercolor), Ginny Lassiter (acrylic), Diane White (oil), Debanjana Bhattacharjee (oil), Beryl Kirkpatrick (alcohol ink on tile), Vicki Neilon (acrylic), Judi Moore (acrylic), Donn McCrary (acrylic), Susan Nern (pastel), Nancy Hughes Miller (oil), Linda Thomas (mixed media), Janet Boschkor (oil and cold wax), and Linda Hester (acrylic).

Located in coastal Brunswick County, NC, Sunset River Gallery caters to both area visitors and a growing local community of full-time residents seeking fine art for their homes and businesses. Featuring works by over 100 fine regional artists including Betty Anglin Smith, Marcus McClanahan, Janet Sessoms, and Richard Staat, among

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others, the gallery is well known in the area for its selection of oil paintings; watermedia; pastels; photography; hand-blown, stained, and fused glass; pottery and clay sculpture; turned and carved wood; unique home décor items; and artisan jewelry.

There are two onsite kilns and five wheels used by the gallery's pottery students. The gallery also offers ongoing oil/acrylic and watercolor classes as well as workshops by nationally known instructors.

The gallery's carefully curated selection of investment-grade 20th century fine art is The Coastal Carolina Artists & Crafters Guild Presents the Gookie Gontest! Kids are the Judges s Dec 6th starting at 4pm - 8pm and Dec 7th 10am to

the largest in the Carolinas. Current inventory can be found in the gallery website's 20th Century Artists section. It includes works by Wolf Kahn (1927-2020), Ed Mell (1942), Raimonds Staprans (1926), Angell Botello (1913-1986), Vladimir Cora (1951), Hunt Slonam (1951), Ginny Crouch Stanford (1950), and two bronze sculptures by Milton Hebald (1930 - 2010).

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