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Greenville Technical College

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began as an intern at Pentagram with Michael Bierut, then as a designer at Slaughter Group in Birmingham, AL, specializing in brand identity.

Greenville Technical College's Benson Campus Galleries, is located on Locust Hill Road in Greer, SC.

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Spoonbill Gallery in Greenville, SC, Offers Works by Sunny Mullarkey

Spoonbill Gallery in Greenville, SC, will present Soul in Bloom, featuring works by Sunny Mullarkey, on view from Sept. 6 -28, 2024. A reception will be held on Sept. 6, from 6-9pm.

As life responsibilities evolve, one artist discovers a new perspective and creative inspiration in bloom. Sunny Mullarkey has chased curiosity like a butterfly flitting from flower to flower. As a child, she tapped into the wonderment she felt using bold colors as her hand skipped along her box of crayons. She knew the answers to her curiosity would often be found by putting color to paper and then later in life, paint to canvas. As she transitions to serving as the primary caregiver to a mother with memory decline, she is rediscovering inspiration in revisiting these influential bold colors.

Reflecting on the inspiration behind Soul in Bloom, Mullarkey remarks: "I infuse every decision with childlike wonder, pushing colors to their most vibrant and crafting textures that draw you deeper into my imagination. Florals and feathers, treasures I've gathered on nature walks with my mom, are reimagined as I reconnect with the inner child's awe for beauty." Her inspiration taps into witnessing her mom treat each day as a new beginning, discovering moments and experiences afresh, finding joy in the present, and embracing the simplicity of living in the now.



Work by Sunny Mullarkey

Throughout life, endless curiosity has driven Mullarkey to discover and create whimsical worlds, fueling a sense of purposeful chaos through unexpected perspectives. In her new body of work, she crafts designs with bold colors and rich textures that flow playfully, inviting viewers to explore the vibrant layers within each piece. Mullarkey desires for "my art to ignite your imagination, sparking curiosity, and a sense of life within you."

Sunny Mullarkey is a multimedia visual artist living in the South. An artist from the start, Mullarkey attended the South Carolina Governor's School for The Arts continued on Page 14

STEPHEN CHESLEY "Now and Then"



Traymore Hotel, 1987, Watercolor, 20 3/4 x 28 1/2 inches

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