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The Betty Foy Sanders Department Of Art presents

Lee Renninger: Botanica
In *Botanica*, Lee Renninger explores the sense of play and lightness of being inherent in the garden. In 2013, Renninger began playing around with leftover parts from some of her past art installations. Laying them in stacks and trying different configurations, she turned them into humorous, colorful landscapes that were so addictively fun she was compelled to make more. The resulting pieces initiated the series, *Botanica*, a body of work that incorporates the rich color, detail and lavish qualities of the floral world to explore play and wonder—sometimes even in the darkest of contexts.

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**ON DISPLAY**

**Jan. 9 - Feb. 3**

**LECTURE**

**THURSDAY**, Jan. 19
5 - 6 pm
Visual Arts, Rm 2071

Reception follows
6 - 7:30 pm
University Gallery,
Center for Art & Theatre

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

*Flatbed Picture Planes: LaChance, Mosquera, Schissel*

**Jan. 9 - Feb. 3**

Reception: Jan. 19
Curator Lecture: Feb. 2