



Ovation

Savannah's Blick Gallery presents Ovation, an exhibition showcasing the Georgia Southern University Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art's 2016-17 Visual Art Scholarship and award recipients.

Awardees Kathleen Blankenship, Erin Fortenberry, Lyanna Mitchell, Emily Oren, Kimberly Page, Ray Pettit, Courtney Ryan, and MacKenzie Willard will be featured in the exhibition that will include their work consisting of drawing, ceramics, graphic design, painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture, and small metals design.

"We are looking forward to introducing Savannah to the best of the Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art again this year," said Assistant Professor Elsie Taliaferro Hill. "Ovation is such a great tradition and a fabulous exhibit."

Ovation is open to the public and will be on display from Sept. 3 to Sept. 29 with a closing reception on Thursday, September 22 from 6-8 p.m. which will coincide with Blick Art Material's Madness event.

The Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art awarded the Rosalind D. Ragans Art Scholarship, Carolyn Joyner Memorial Scholarship, Peter Smith Memorial Graphic Design Award, Memorial Robert J. Focht Memorial Drawing Award, Roxie Remley Scholarship, the Eagle Nation on Parade Scholarships, and four Betty Foy Sanders Scholarships this academic year. The criteria for receiving these competitive awards reflect the student's academic achievement and creative performance while enrolled at the Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art at Georgia Southern University.

"This is a wonderful opportunity to showcase the artistic accomplishments of our scholarship recipients in Savannah, and we could not be more proud of their work," said Professor and Visual Art Scholarship Director, Dr. Julie McGuire.

The Blick Gallery is located inside Blick Art Materials at 318 East Broughton Street in Savannah, Georgia and is open Monday-Friday 8 a.m. – 8 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. – 7 p.m., and Sunday 11 a.m. – 6p.m. Blick Art Materials, a leading provider of art materials, has been a long-time supporter and advocate for the arts, and continues to be involved in many national and local initiatives to support art and offset budget constrictions in schools and communities.

Thursday, September 8 → [more dates through September 29, 2016](#)



Military and Veteran Student Center Ribbon Cutting

University officials will unveil the new Military and Veteran Student Center on campus that will serve as a resource to assist military members, veterans and their family members in making a successful transition to the student community. The Center will also help military and veteran students become a contributing member of the University community, and help them on their path

to graduate with knowledge and the tools necessary to continue being a productive member of society.

Please join us in the Russell Union commons area for the ribbon cutting ceremony. Immediately following the ceremony, refreshments and a tour of the center, which is located upstairs in Russell Union room 2024, will be offered.

Wednesday, August 24 at 9:00am to 10:00am

[Russell Union, Commons](#)



BFSDoArt Faculty Exhibition



BFSDoArt Faculty Exhibition Contemporary and University Galleries August 15 - September 16.

The Georgia Southern University Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art presents the "2016 Faculty Exhibition" from Aug. 15 – Sept. 16 in the Contemporary and University Galleries at the Center for Art and Theatre.

An Opening Reception and Artist Talk will be Thursday, Aug. 18, 6-7:30 p.m.. The Artist Talk begins at 5 p.m. in the Visual Art Building, room 2071, and the reception will follow from 6-7:30 p.m. at the Center for Art and Theatre.

The exhibition showcases a range of interdisciplinary works of art, design and research from the exemplary faculty of the Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art. It features work from Sarah Bielski, Kelly Boehmer, Jessica Burke, Robert Farber, Scott Foxx, Elsie Hill, Jessica Hines, Jason Hoelscher, Derek Larson, Christina Lemon, Julie McGuire, Marc Moulton, Onyile Onyile, Ed Rushton, and Jeff Schmuki.

"The faculty here at Georgia Southern comes from a range of backgrounds from across the U.S. and around the world, and this diversity shows in their art and design work," said Gallery Director Jason Hoelscher. "This exhibition, part of our biennial series of faculty shows, offers an excellent look at state-of-the-art approaches to creative research, from painting, drawing and digital design to multimedia forms difficult to classify."

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[Center for Art & Theatre, Contemporary and University Galleries](#)

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