

# NC Institutional Galleries

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## Dillsboro

**Jackson County Green Energy Park**, 100 Green Energy Park Rd., Dillsboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring art created with renewable energy featuring blown glass, forge-hammered metals, ceramics. The Jackson County Green Energy Park (JCGEP) utilizes clean, renewable energy resources to encourage economic development, provide environmental protection, and offer educational opportunities that together will help lead towards a more sustainable future for Western North Carolina. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 1-4pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/631-0271 or at ([www.jcgep.org](http://www.jcgep.org)).

## Durham

**Claymakers**, Gallery of Fine Handmade Pottery, 451 S. Driver Street in Old East Durham, Durham. **Ongoing** - Shows an ongoing, but rotating, exhibit of Claymakers Community artists. Current exhibitors include Corinne Fox, Deborah Harris, Laura Korch, Barbara McKenzie, Teresa Pietsch, Elizabeth Paley, Gillian Parke, Savannah Scarborough, and Evelyn Ward. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 1-6pm & 3rd fri. of the month from 6-9pm. Contact: 919/530-8355 or at (<http://www.claymakers.org/>).

**Durham Arts Council Building**, 120 Morris Street, Durham. **Through Nov. 1** - "Mark Anthony Brown Jr." **Through Nov. 1** - "Jennifer Canwell". Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-9pm & Sun. 1-6pm. Contact: 919/560-2787 or at ([www.durhamarts.org](http://www.durhamarts.org)).

**Liberty Arts Gallery**, 918 Pearl Street in the Cleveland-Holloway neighborhood of East Durham. **Ongoing** - Liberty Arts is a nonprofit arts community whose collaborative practice reflects the dynamic personality of Durham. Our mission is to expand access to three-dimensional art and share the skills required to make it. All are welcome to take part through hands-on classes, public events, mentorships, and commissions. Liberty Arts believes in community outreach and encourages visionary thinking. Founded in 2001, Liberty Arts serves as an incubator in which artists work together to teach, learn, and inspire. All artists also take on public and private commissions, in addition to exhibiting and selling their work at the Liberty Arts Gallery. Hours: We are open to the public but would need to schedule an appointment to make sure someone is here to meet you. Contact: 919-260-2931, e-mail at ([info@libertyartsnc.org](mailto:info@libertyartsnc.org)) or at ([www.libertyartsnc.org](http://www.libertyartsnc.org)).

**North Carolina Central University Museum of Art**, 1801 Fayetteville Street, across from the Farrison-Newton Communications Building on the campus of NCCU, Durham. **Ongoing** - Permanent collection focuses on African American art of the 19th & 20th century, including works by Edward Mitchell Bannister, Henry Ossawa Tanner, Romare Bearden, Jacob Lawrence, Elizabeth Catlett, and Norman Lewis. As well as more contemporary works by Sam Gilliam, Richard Hunt, William Artis, and Kerry James Marshall. The museum's annual schedule of activities includes temporary exhibits of works from other museums, various retrospectives, and faculty and student art shows. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 919/560-6211.

**Power Plant Gallery at ATC**, 318 Blackwell St Durham. **Ongoing** - The Power Plant Gallery is an off-site extension of the arts at Duke, promoting visual arts engagement with students, faculty and visitors from Durham and beyond. With 1,500 square feet of exhibition space, the gallery is equipped to exhibit a range of media, from photography and painting to video and installation. Featuring a rotating program of work by Duke students, faculty, and visiting scholars, as well as locally, nationally and internationally recognized artists, the gallery is a new and exciting addition to the growing, vibrant Durham art scene. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: call 919/660-3695 or e-mail at ([mfaeda@duke.edu](mailto:mfaeda@duke.edu)).

**Room 100 Gallery**, Golden Belt complex, Building 2, room 100, 807 East Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - The gallery is committed to promoting the work of emerging local, regional and national contemporary artists. Exhibitions of varying size and theme will be on view throughout the year with openings coinciding with Third Friday Durham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/967-7700 or at ([www.goldenbeltarts.com](http://www.goldenbeltarts.com)).

**The Nasher Museum of Art**, Duke University Central Campus, 2001 Campus Drive, Durham. **Through Dec. 11** - "Inscrutable Objects". This installation brings together sculptures, drawings and photographs that might be hard for most of us to comprehend. They challenge conven-

tion and encourage close viewing. Reminiscent of an ancient and official text, Ion Bitzan's Old Document of Ownership is comprised of a vaguely recognizable but invented and indecipherable language. Photographs by Brittany Nelson and Letha Wilson employ experimental techniques to challenge our assumptions of photography. Wilson uses materials such as concrete, which oozes out of the photograph in Tent Rocks, to create unconventional landscapes. Nelson's photographs use digital and analog processes without a camera to make holographic, geometric shapes. Artists often imbue their works with paradox. Christian Marclay's *Breathless III*, a recorder, and *Secret*, a record, are found objects modified by the artist so that they no longer function. No one can play music on these objects because of Marclay's simple but irreversible modifications. Colin Quashie and Sanford Biggers also use found objects, combining them with absurdist humor to raise serious questions of identity and history. These inscrutable objects are filled with subtle social commentary to question how we perceive the world around us. **Through July 15, 2025** - "Art of the Andes". Art of the Andes features ceramics, textiles, metalwork, and carvings produced by cultures across the Andes region, a 4,500-mile-long mountain range on the Pacific Coast of South America. These objects, many on view for the first time, reveal the diverse and sophisticated artmaking techniques through which ancient Andeans expressed ancestral beliefs and personal and political identities. The wall case provides a comparative view of the ceramic production of several prominent Peruvian civilizations, presented chronologically from left to right. From the colorful painted motifs of the Nasca and the sculptural realism of the Moche to the whistling vessels of the Chancay, the ceramics depict both realistic and stylized animals, people, deities, food, and scenes of warfare, performance, and pleasure. **Through July 20, 2025** - "Art of the U.S.: American Stories/American Myths." What comes to mind when you think of the history of the United States? The "discovery" of the continent by European explorers? The American Revolution and founding of the country? Westward expansion, or perhaps the turmoil of the Civil War? This re-installed gallery incorporates historical and contemporary works of art from the United States to tell some of these stories and confront some of these myths. The gallery includes a variety of works to encourage visitors to think about how these narratives shape our understanding and may preserve or counter fallacies of nationhood and democracy. **Ongoing** - The Collection Galleries feature rotating installations of the Nasher Museum's extensive holdings of historical art. Eight galleries, as well as the entrance to Wilson Pavilion, are dedicated to the museum's strengths, which represent a brief history of human creativity from different times and parts of the world. Just beyond the entrance, visitors will find the Incubator, a flexible space for rotating student- and faculty-curated exhibitions. Visitors are invited to return again and again to The Collection Galleries, where Nasher curators continue to refresh the galleries with gems from the collection. The museum's contemporary collection is showcased through rotating exhibitions within a separate pavilion. Works from the contemporary collection create new conversations and connections among historical works in The Collection Galleries. A breakthrough work by New York artist Fred Wilson from 1990, *Colonial Collection*, anchors the Arts of Africa Gallery. A painting by Kehinde Wiley is on view in the European Art Gallery. **Ongoing** - Nasher Museum Café and Museum Shop. Admission: Yes, but free to Durham residents, courtesy of "The Herald-Sun" newspaper. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur. till 9pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/684-5135 or at ([www.nasher.duke.edu](http://www.nasher.duke.edu)).

## Edenton

**Chowan Arts Council/Your Community Arts Center**, 504 S. Broad, Edenton. **Through Nov. 8** - "Sugar & Spice," celebrates the fabulous works of female artists featuring multimedia works by Catherine Agraz, Nora Crouch, Annie Cummins, Sandi Griffin, Kris Iden, Margaret Benton Jones, Jaquelin Perry, Stacy Smith, and Blair Waters. **Ongoing** - The Gallery features art from North East NC artists as well as some from within a 5 hour driving radius. You will find our beautiful waterfront location a pleasant destination as well as the fine art that hangs within our walls. Stained glass, pottery, photography, fiber arts, and painting in various media. We have metal art by Jonathan Bowling and Woodrow Slade, various forms of art by Christine Henninger, oils by Jane Perry, wood art by several local artist. You will find your visit to Edenton enjoyable and the Gallery a delight

to your artist senses. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 252/482-8005 or at ([www.chowanarts.com](http://www.chowanarts.com)).

## Elizabeth City

**Arts of the Albemarle**, a regional arts partner serving Pasquotank, Camden and Gates Counties of NC, The Center, 516 East Main Street, (corner of Main & Poindexter Streets), Elizabeth City. **Ongoing** - The Jaquelin Jenkins Gallery and The 516 Gallery, are home to over 250 artists, craftsmen, photographers, potters, fiber artists and jewelers. The AofA at "The Center" hosts solo and shared exhibits once a month followed by opening receptions during Downtown Elizabeth City's First Friday ArtWalk each month, as well as workshops with some of our exhibiting and visiting artists. These workshops are open to members and non-members. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Katie Murray, Executive Director ([kmurray@artsaoa.com](mailto:kmurray@artsaoa.com)) or Barbara Putnam, Gallery Manager ([bputnam@artsaoa.com](mailto:bputnam@artsaoa.com)). Both can be reached at 252/338-6455 or at ([www.artsaoa.com](http://www.artsaoa.com)).

## Fayetteville



Work by Robert Helsel

**Cape Fear Studios, Inc.**, 148-1 Maxwell Street, Fayetteville. **Through Nov. 19** - "Reunion," a clay invitational, featuring two potters from our early days, Stan Simmons and Robert Helsel, who were members from 1994 through 1998. Helsel was stationed here at the former Fort Bragg, and during that time he pursued his love of clay and textures through the Raku process. Simmons, a more traditional potter, worked in clay while also running his own construction business. Their friendship developed during their time at CFS and continues today through many miles and years. We are thrilled to present a "reunion tour" of two of our favorite potters. **Ongoing** - New Gallery exhibit every 4th Friday of the month. We are a nonprofit cooperative of 30 local artist (always looking for new members) creating 2D & 3D art. Our Gallery displays exhibits of visiting artist's work as well as our own exhibits with individual studios where member artists create fantastic works of art onsite. The Gallery show is free of charge and the public is welcome to watch the artists at work. Group and individual classes in a variety of media are ongoing. Reg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/433-2986, e-mail to ([capefearstudios.com](mailto:capefearstudios.com)) or at ([www.capefearstudios.com](http://www.capefearstudios.com)).

**Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery**, 113 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - A visual arts venue for emerging and professional artists with exhibitions of original art and events that reflect and respond to cultural arts diversity. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 910/483-1388 or at (<http://www.ellington-white.com>).

**The Arts Center**, Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County, 301 Hay Street, Fayetteville. **Main Gallery, Nov. 1 - 29** - "Redefining Indigenous: Indigenous Art of the Past, Present and Future, curated by John ManiQ Whittemore. A reception will be held on Nov. 1, from" 6-8pm. "Redefining Indigenous" aims to spotlight the rich and evolving narratives of Native American life within our region. Most of the surviving members of Native tribes in the US reside on the East Coast, comprising 4.7 million of the country's 9 million Indigenous descendants. Frequently stereotyped and exploited, "Redefining Indigenous" is a reclaiming and reintroduction of the modern-day Native American experience through the arts. Hours: Mon., 10am-2pm; Tue., 11am-2pm and Wed.-Thur., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/323-1776 or at (<https://www.theartscouncil.com/>).

**The Art Gallery @ FTCC**, 2817 Fort Bragg Road, FTCC, General Classroom Building (GCB) 221, Fayetteville Technical Community College, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - The Art Gallery at FTCC

displays exhibitions each semester that feature the artwork of students, faculty, and outside artists. Exhibitions are free and open to the public to enjoy. Hours: call for hours or connection to virtual exhibit. Contact: Dennis Johnson, Dept. Chair, by e-mail at ([johnsoden@faytechcc.edu](mailto:johnsoden@faytechcc.edu)) or call 910/678-0092.

**The Museum of the Cape Fear Historical Complex**, 801 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - The museum operates under the Division of State History Museums, Office of Archives and History, within the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/500-4240 or at (<https://museumofthecapefear.ncdcr.gov/>).

## Frisco

**Frisco Native American Museum**, 53536 North Carolina Hwy 12, Frisco. **Ongoing** - The museum contains a nationally recognized collection of Native American artifacts, exhibits and natural history displays. Galleries filled with native art include information on Native Americans across the United States, as well as artifacts from the first inhabitants of Hatteras Island. Designated as a North Carolina Environmental Education Center and a Historic Albemarle Tour site, the museum also includes several acres of nature trails winding through a lush maritime forest. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10:30-5pm or by appt. (off season: Sat. & Sun. only). Contact: 252/995-4440 or at ([nativeamericanmuseum.org](http://nativeamericanmuseum.org)).

## Fuquay-Varina

**Fuquay-Varina Arts Center**, 123 E. Vance Street, Fuquay-Varina. **Ongoing** - The Art Center contains a theater, art gallery, classrooms and dance studio. Gallery exhibits generally will change every six to seven weeks. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/567-3920 or at ([fvarts.org](http://fvarts.org)).

## Goldsboro



Work by Raymond La Mantia

**Arts Council of Wayne County**, 139 W. Walnut Street, Goldsboro. **Nov. 1 - 29** - "45th Annual National Juried Art Show". A reception will be held on Nov. 1. The exhibition always proves to be an exciting assembly of selected artwork representing the diversity of our great nation. This year's call for art attracted over 300 submissions from across the USA from which a small selection was chosen to exhibit here at the Arts Council. **Ongoing** - We represent local and regional artists in our Youth and Main Galleries, Art Market, and off-site Artist Studios. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/947-0009 or at ([artsinwayne.org](http://artsinwayne.org)).

## Greensboro Area

**Open Air Market**, corner of South Elm & MLK in downtown Greensboro. **First Fri. of every month, 4-9pm** - "Indie Market," a place where local artists and crafts people can come together to offer handmade and vintage goods.

**African American Atelier & Bennett College for Women Gallery**, Greensboro Cultural Center, 200 N. Davie Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local, regional and national African American artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Wed., till 7pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/333-6885.

**GreenHill**, a space for NC art, 200 North Davie Street, Greensboro Cultural Center, Greensboro. **Through Nov. 2** - "Indelible," presents works by four NC artists whose artwork reflects the role of inherited cultural practices in imagining stories that reflect individual investigations of identity. The exhibition includes paintings and installations by Aimee Garcia, polychrome clay sculptures by Abir Mohsen, expressive portraits by Isabel Lu, ink drawings and sculptures by Elliana Esquivel give utterance to marginalized voices. These talented artists have distinct styles and wield multiple mediums to create works that embrace melancholy and offer the possibility of transcendence. **Nov. 20, from 5:30-7:30pm** - "GreenHill Holiday Artisan Ornament Show".

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