

Craven Arts Council & Gallery

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Cameron Art Museum in Wilmington, NC, Offers Annual Lantern Exhibition

The Cameron Art Museum in Wilmington, NC, will present *Illumination 2023*, the museum's 9th annual incarnation of this popular artist-made lantern exhibition and competition, on view from Dec. 1, 2023, through Jan. 14, 2024. An opening night celebration will be held on Dec. 1, from 6-9pm.

This year CAM displays thirty-seven unique lanterns in a variety of mediums, illuminating their Studio One gallery space. Artists represented hail from beyond Wilmington, including artists from Raleigh, Carboro, Asheville and as far way as Adrian, Michigan. Some of the lanterns hang, some rest on pedestals, while others invite viewers to walk around them on the floor.

Illumination 2023 includes lanterns made from many media - including handmade paper, metal, glass, reclaimed plastic, found objects, recycled cords. The themes they address range - including joy, resilience, shadows, humor, remembrance, nature.

Artists are competing for three cash prizes totaling \$1,500 which will be announced at the opening party. This year's group of judges include: Charles Boney, Sandra Pérez-Puelles Burgman, Caroline Cameron, Wilma Daniels, Jon Evans, Dumay Gorham, Robert Hickman, Linda Thompson and Gayle Tustin.

The Cameron Art Museum invites the community to share in the light of the holiday season by visiting *Illumination 2023!*

The Cameron Art Museum provides a cultural gathering place that enriches the lives of museum visitors and the community through high-quality exhibitions, lifelong



A view of "Illumination 2022"

learning in the arts, dynamic public programs, and stewardship and interpretation of the collection. CAM's four core values: commitment to community, to lifelong learning in the arts, to support of artists, and to collecting, preserving, documenting and interpreting a permanent collection of art. The museum has been a collecting institution since inception, with approximately 4,000 objects in the permanent collection, with a primary and growing focus on modern art. The collection includes work by artists of national and international significance, used in changing thematic exhibitions, loan exhibitions, and for educational purposes. Cameron Art Museum is a non-profit fully reliant on the generosity of its donors.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings or visit (<https://cameronartmuseum.org/>).

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

The University of North Carolina at Wilmington, NC, is presenting *Fall 2023 Senior Exhibition*, on view in the CAB Gallery through Dec. 15, 2023

The Fall 2023 Senior Exhibition showcases 15 graduating Studio Art students. This juried show will be hosted at the Cultural Arts Building Gallery and lobby and is free and open to the public.

Graduating seniors include: Tabatha Abbott, Kim Blankenburg, Kait Carpenter, Ash Carroll, Curren Conner, Leah Davies, Jared Dodson, Trey Glover, Cooper Grant, Hayley Hornaday, Harper Hunt, Elyse Kiel, Amanda Kortan, Jessica McLellan, and Gavin Musty. The Senior Art Exhibition is a capstone requirement for UNCW seniors graduating with a degree in Studio Art.

The artists' work range in mediums such as pastels, acrylic painting, foam sculpture, ceramics, photography, printmaking, illustrations, graphic design, and mixed media.

The exhibition features a variety of subjects ranging from scenes of nature to self-portraits, as well as fashion designs, dream-scapes, and story-book illustrations.

The CAB Art Gallery is located on UNCW's campus on the ground floor of the Cultural Arts Building, near the building's



A view of the "Senior Exhibition"

main entrance. Visitors can access the gallery from South College Road or Racine Drive, and parking is available in front of the box office entrance to the building.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Art Department at 910/962-3440 or visit (<https://linktr.ee/cabartgallery>).



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