

McDonough Museum of Art

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Spring Graduating BFA Exhibition

April 20 – May 5, 2018

Opening Reception: Friday, April 20, 5-7pm



For Immediate Release:

The John J McDonough Museum of Art, on the campus of Youngstown State University will open the **Spring Graduating BFA Exhibition**, a collaboration with the Department of Art at YSU. The show features work by students achieving completion of the Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree. An opening reception for the artists will be held on Friday, April 20 from 5 to 7pm. The exhibit will remain on view in the Museum's galleries through May 5.

Students in the Department of Art work closely with nationally and internationally known faculty engaged in a broad range of art and design practices. Immersed in the quest for knowledge and creative self-realization, students embrace the advantages of professional studio and design programs. The Graduating BFA Exhibition is the opportunity for students to share the original and innovative discoveries they have made in their artistic journeys communicating to the public their creative expressions of human experience.

The **Spring Graduating BFA Exhibition** celebrates the work of twelve students in the areas of ceramics, graphic + interactive design, interdisciplinary studies, painting, photography and sculpture. Students participating in this exhibition are Venise Abell, Alison Begala, Marissa Cename, Lorenzo Devine, Desmond Duque, Rickey Hagood, Jessica Hollabaugh, Meredith Loncar, Kaylee Mondock, Mike Rock, Rachel Rubinic and Amanda Spinosa.

The McDonough Museum of Art is located on the campus of Youngstown State University. Parking is available in the M30 deck for a nominal fee.

Hours at the McDonough Museum of Art are Tuesday through Saturday, 11:00 am until 4:00 pm. The Museum is open to the public and admission is free.

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This exhibition is made possible in part by state tax dollars allocated by the Ohio Legislature to the Ohio Arts Council (OAC). The OAC is a state agency that funds and supports quality arts experiences to strengthen Ohio communities culturally, educationally, and economically.

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