

EXHIBITIONS&EVENTS



University Galleries' 50th Anniversary
Celebrate 50 years of University Galleries with special events and exhibitions.



All Hearts Beneath the Sun
7/24 - 9/17

Installation view of *All Hearts Beneath the Sun*, celebrating University Galleries' 50th anniversary. All works from the collection of University Galleries, Wonsook Kim College of Fine Arts, Illinois State University.



Kambui Olujimi:
The Rock that Cuts the Night in Two
9/28 - 12/10

Kambui Olujimi, *Walk With Me*, installation view at Project for Empty Space, Newark, 2021.



Community Collaborations

Normal Community High School's Experimental Ensemble composes and performs works inspired by our exhibitions.

7/24-9/17

ALL HEARTS BENEATH THE SUN: SELECTIONS FROM THE PERMANENT COLLECTION

Artists: Terry Adkins, Nicole Arnold, Japheth Asiedu-Kwarteng, Bethany Collins, William Cordova, Amy Cousins, Jane Dickson, David Driskell, Jeanne Dunning, Dianna Frid, Aram Han Sifuentes, Erin Hayden, Wonsook Kim, Tim Kowalczyk, Jason Lazarus, Nazafarin Lotfi, Cecil McDonald Jr., Melanie Manchot, Camila Marianela, Miller & Shellabarger, Beatrix Reinhardt, Carrie Schneider, Walter Robinson, Erin Washington, David Wojnarowicz, and Rana Young.

9/28-12/10

KAMBUI OLUJIMI: THE ROCK THAT CUTS THE NIGHT IN TWO

Supported by the National Endowment for the Arts, Illinois Arts Council Agency, Alice and Fannie Fell Trust, Harold K. Sage Foundation, and Illinois State University Foundation Fund.

8/19

SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING

Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Visit the galleries before opening hours where you can enjoy dimmed lighting and a quiet space.

8/19

DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES INSPIRED BY NAZAFARIN LOTFI

Saturday from noon to 2:00 p.m.

8/23

ARTIST LECTURE: DIANNA FRID

Wednesday from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. Supported by the Alice and Fannie Fell Trust.

8/23

ARTIST RECEPTION: DIANNA FRID / ALL HEARTS BENEATH THE SUN

Wednesday from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

8/25

INDEPENDENT DRAWING HOUR

Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Spend time looking closely at artworks in the exhibition and drawing at your own pace. Materials provided.

8/26

DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES INSPIRED BY DIANNA FRID

Saturday from noon to 2:00 p.m.

8/30

CERAMICS DEMONSTRATION: JAPHETH ASIEDU-KWARTENG

Wednesday from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
210 N. Main Street, Ceramics Studio. Supported by the Harold K. Sage Foundation, Illinois State University Foundation Fund, Students' Independent League in Ceramic Arts (SILICA), and Lori Baum and Aaron Henkelman University Galleries Community Fund.

8/31

ARTIST LECTURE: JAPHETH ASIEDU-KWARTENG

Thursday at noon. Supported by the Harold K. Sage Foundation, Illinois State University Foundation Fund, Students' Independent League in Ceramic Arts (SILICA), and Lori Baum and Aaron Henkelman University Galleries Community Fund.

9/2

INDEPENDENT DRAWING HOUR

Saturday from noon to 1:00 p.m. Spend time looking closely at artworks in the exhibition and drawing at your own pace. Materials provided.

9/9

DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES INSPIRED BY JAPHETH ASIEDU-KWARTENG

Saturday from noon to 2:00 p.m.

9/13

WONSOOK KIM SCHOOL OF ART VISITING ARTIST LECTURE: BENJAMIN VAN DYKE

Wednesday from noon to 1:00 p.m.

9/15

FOR ISU STUDENTS: BANNER-MAKING WORKSHOP INSPIRED BY ARAM HAN SIFUENTES

Friday from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. *Registration required.

9/16

DROP-IN BANNER-MAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES INSPIRED BY ARAM HAN SIFUENTES

Saturday from noon to 2:00 p.m.

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Contact gallery@ilstu.edu or (309) 438-5487 to register for an exhibition tour.

GALLERY HOURS

Monday – Thursday:

9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Friday:

9:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Saturday – Sunday:

Noon – 4:00 p.m.

SUPPORT



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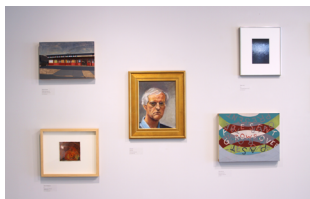
ARTIST LECTURES AND RECEPTIONS

COMMUNITY EVENTS



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SPRING PREVIEW



Alumni Spectacular 2024
Installation view of the 2015 Alumni Spectacular.



Chris Welsby
Video still of Mercury (detail), 2016. Single-channel video. Courtesy of the artist.



MFA Thesis Exhibitions
Installation view of the 2023 MFA Thesis Exhibitions.



Student Annual
Draper Matthews, 2023 Student Annual.

- 9/28** **ARTIST LECTURE: KAMBUI OLUJIMI**
Thursday at 4:00 p.m. Supported by the National Endowment for the Arts, Illinois Arts Council Agency, Alice and Fannie Fell Trust, Harold K. Sage Foundation, and Illinois State University Foundation Fund.
- 9/28** **ARTIST RECEPTION: KAMBUI OLUJIMI**
Thursday from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.
- 9/29** **INDEPENDENT DRAWING HOUR**
Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Spend time looking closely at artworks in the exhibition and drawing at your own pace. Materials provided.
- 9/30** **SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING**
Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Visit the galleries before opening hours where you can enjoy dimmed lighting and a quiet space.
- 9/30** **DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES**
Saturday from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.
- 10/11** **WONSOOK KIM SCHOOL OF ART VISITING ARTIST LECTURE: DELANO DUNN**
Wednesday from noon to 1:00 p.m.
- 10/14** **DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES**
Saturday from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.
- 10/27** **INDEPENDENT DRAWING HOUR**
Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Spend time looking closely at artworks in the exhibition and drawing at your own pace. Materials provided.
- TBA** **PERFORMANCE: NORMAL COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL'S EXPERIMENTAL ENSEMBLE**
Date and time to be announced.
- 11/3** **WASHINGTON COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL POP-UP EXHIBITION**
Friday from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.
- 11/4** **SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING**
Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Visit the galleries before opening hours where you can enjoy dimmed lighting and a quiet space.
- 11/4** **DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES**
Saturday from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.
- 11/8** **WONSOOK KIM SCHOOL OF ART VISITING ARTIST LECTURE: HUONG NGO**
Wednesday from noon to 1:00 p.m.
- 11/10** **STOP-MOTION ANIMATION WORKSHOP INSPIRED BY KAMBUI OLUJIMI**
Friday from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. ***Registration required.**
- 11/11** **SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING**
Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Visit the galleries before opening hours where you can enjoy dimmed lighting and a quiet space.
- 11/11** **DROP-IN ARTMAKING WORKSHOP FOR ALL AGES**
Saturday from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.
- 11/18** **SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING**
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- 11/29** **INDEPENDENT DRAWING HOUR**
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- 12/1** **DAY WITH(OUT) ART**
All-day screening of Day With(out) Art / World AIDS Day films. Presented in collaboration with Visual AIDS.
- 12/2** **SENSORY-FRIENDLY MORNING**
Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Visit the galleries before opening hours where you can enjoy dimmed lighting and a quiet space.
- 12/5** **BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB POP-UP EXHIBITION**
Tuesday from 5:00 to 5:30 p.m. Presented with ART204.

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