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HOT FEATURED POPULAR WIRE

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(GREENSBORO, NC) GreenHill Center for North Carolina Art presents its 42nd annual WINTER SHOW featuring wide-ranging contemporary works in all mediums, including paintings, sculpture, photography, ceramics, jewelry, wood- and fiber works. Exemplifying high levels of creative expression throughout the state, the two-month exhibition strengthens GreenHill's focus on cultural diversity. A comprehensive digital catalog and small group gallery visits grow flexible engagement opportunities with works on view and celebrated artists.

"WINTER SHOW inspires connection and openness to new perspectives," explained Barbara Richter, Executive Director and CEO of GreenHill. "The exhibition offers coveted access to many of our state's most innovative and thoughtful creators both online and in-person. More than 400 works by emerging and established artists showcase the resilience of our multi-faceted, cultural community."

Curator Edie Carpenter continued: "Among new artists presented in this year's WINTER SHOW, are Jasmine Best, a UNC-Greensboro grad whose multi-media works address black female identity and memories of her childhood in the South. Asheboro's John Shoemaker offers stunning hand-blown glass pieces derived from antique and scientific glass forms. Created in Raleigh, Selina Akter's gushing abstract paintings explore hopes and dreams through the eyes of contrasting cultures: her native land of Bangladesh and the West."

All objects by more than 50 artists in GreenHill's *WINTER SHOW* are available for purchase. Proceeds provide vital economic support to participating artists, GreenHill exhibitions, arts education, and community outreach. *WINTER SHOW* is free and open to the public.

WINTER SHOW 2021 is sponsored by Knight Carr & Company, LT Apparel Group, Linda & Stu Spitsen, Well-Spring, and Jill & Thomas White, with generous support from Frank L. Blum Construction, Debbie Champagne, Compass Financial Group, DGI Incorporated, Farless Dental Group, Piedmont Natural Gas, Piedmont Direct Mail, Pinnacle Financial Partners, Printery, Lincoln Financial Group, Rice Toyota, Bernard Robinson & Company and Womble Bond Dickinson. (as of 10/27)

EXTENDED WINTER SHOW HOURS

GreenHill is extending gallery and shop hours on Wednesday evenings and Saturday mornings beginning in December through mid-February. Purchase one-of-a kind works from sculpture to tableware from *WINTER SHOW* and the SHOP. Complimentary gift-wrapping available in December.

PUBLIC OPEN HOURS

Tuesdays and Thursdays I 12:00 – 5:00 PM Saturdays I 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Admission is Free

WINTER SHOW PUBLIC OPENING

Sunday, December 5 | 2:00 – 5:00 PM

GreenHill presents its annual exhibition of works of North Carolina artists in glass, wood, ceramics, metal, and fiber, as well as painting, photography, and works on paper. All artworks in WINTER SHOW are available for sale (and tax-free on December 5). GreenHill's spacious 5,000 square foot galleries easily accommodate social distancing. Advance registration is not required, but safety protocols include masks at all times.

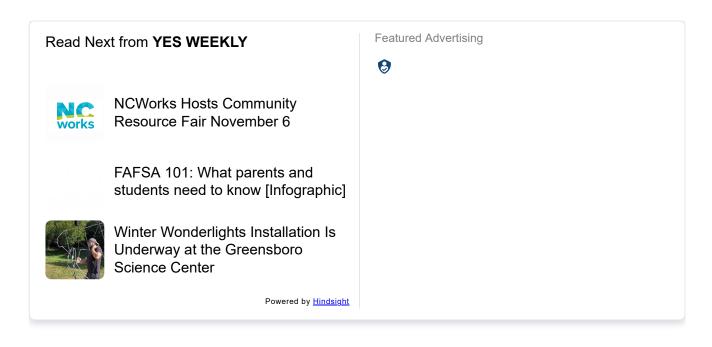
FIRST CHOICE I Wednesday, December 1 I 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Unique early opportunity for patrons to preview and purchase works in advance of the public opening. Advance registration required for this limited capacity event. Visit GreenHillNC.Org for details.

COLLECTOR VISIT I Friday, December 16 | 8:00 - 10:00 PM

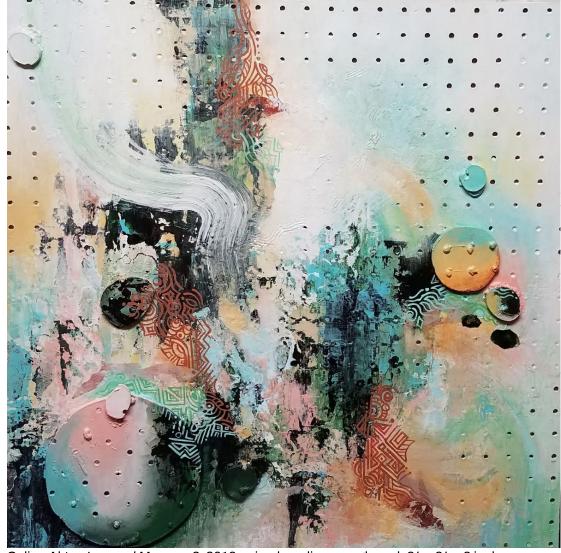
Artist talks and a wine bar offered in an intimate, after-hours gallery visit. Advance registration required for this limited capacity event. Visit GreenHillNC.Org for details.

For evolving event details, advance reservations, and exhibition updates, visit GreenHillNC.Org.





John Shoemaker, *Black Retort*, 2017, blown glass with 24k gold leaf, $21 \times 13 \times 10$ inches



Selina Akter, *Layered Memory 2*, 2018, mixed media on pegboard, 24 x 24 x 2 inches



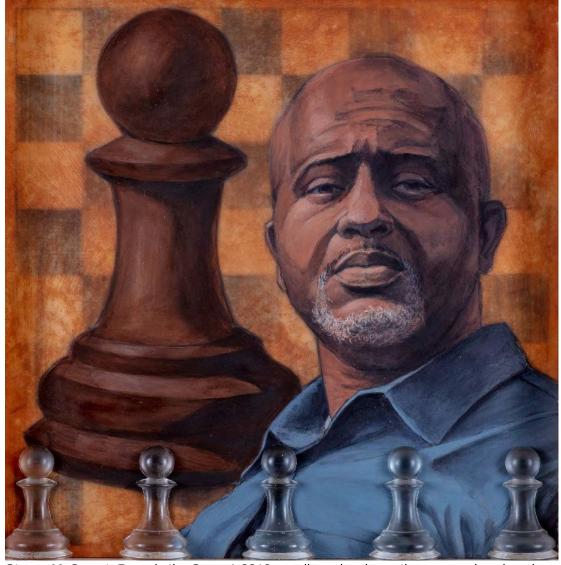
Jasmine Best, *Sailor Venus*, 2021, ink painting digitally printed on twill, collaged on found fabric, 55 x 33 inches



Frank Campion, Taraz, 2019, oil on linen, 84 x 38 inches



Dimeji Onafuwa, *Omolomo (Someone Else's Children)*, 2020, oil on canvas, 48 x 48 x 0.5 inches Image courtesy of Dimeji Onafuwa and SOZO Gallery



Steven M. Cozart, Pawn in the Game I, 2019, acrylic and resin casting on wooden chessboard, 2×12 inches



Thoryn Ziemba, $Mimic(\alpha)$, 2019, blown, cast, cut glass, 20 x 13 x 11 inches

About GreenHill Center for North Carolina Art

GreenHill is located in downtown Greensboro, adjacent to LeBauer Park. In addition to exhibition spaces GreenHill is curating at the StevenTanger Center for the Performing Arts, GreenHill features 5000 square feet of contemporary art galleries in the Greensboro Cultural Center, a shop, and studios for hands-on arts education. GreenHill engages a diverse community of artists, adults and children through statewide exhibitions and educational programs while providing a platform for exploration and investment in art. As a gateway to North Carolina's creative community, GreenHill is the only organization dedicated exclusively to presenting and promoting the contemporary visual art and artists of NC. Inspired by a vision for cultural equity and inclusion, GreenHill's wide-ranging initiatives build empathy and connection through expressive, innovative and thought-provoking art.















EDUCATION PARTNERS:







Winter Show Artists (as of 10/27)

Selina Akter Raleigh, NC Jasmine Best Greensboro, NC Diane Bloomfield Raleigh, NC Adrian Boggs Greensboro, NC Francis Breen Asheville, NC Pam Brewer Newland, NC Regina Calton Burchett Concord, NC Amanda Bury Advance, NC Frank Campion Clemmons, NC Greensboro, NC A.B. Carter Pittsboro, NC Jeffrey Clark Ann Connor Wilmington, NC Steve Cozart Greensboro, NC

Kay Darling North Chesterfield, NC

Tatyana Dyakonov Greensboro, NC Casey Engel Asheville, NC

Essence Foster Browns Summit, NC Charlotte Foust Charlotte, NC John Gall Jamestown, NC Shivani Ghoshal Winston - Salem, NC

Julio Gonzalez Charlotte, NC Phil Haralam Greensboro, NC Vandorn Hinnant Durham, NC Julia Lawing Concord, NC Durham, NC Jim Lee Raleigh, NC Luna Lee Ray Alice Levinson Hillsborough, NC

Phil Link Greensboro, NC Sarah McClintok Greensboro, NC Reneesha McCoy Greensboro, NC Jennifer Mecca Gastonia, NC Cindy Moorefield Raleigh, NC Donna Lee Nyzio Beaufort, NC Dimeji Onafuwa Charlotte, NC Sally Donnell Rilee Greensboro, NC Jon Rollins High Point, NC Rusty Shackleford Chapel Hill, NC

John Shoemaker

Heather Evans Smith

Winston-Salem, NC Lisa Stinson Boone, NC Asheville, NC Judy Stuecker Charlotte, NC **Anatoly Tsiris** Anthony Ulineski Raleigh, NC Mike Valle Jamestown, NC Kevin Vanek Greensboro, NC Curry Wilkinson Mebane, NC

Asheboro, NC

Sarah Wilkinson Ben Winslow Thoryn Ziemba Mebane, NC Greensboro, NC West End, NC