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El Camino College Student Art Show 2015 Opens April 20 *Fine Arts Division Open House Set for April 24*

The El Camino College Art Gallery will present its annual showcase of student artwork. All of the items in the Student Art Show were selected by instructors as outstanding examples of student work produced at the college.

The exhibit runs April 20-May 7 and will be open during the Fine Arts Division Open House, set for 5-8 p.m. Friday, April 24. The open house will give visitors the opportunity to meet faculty, see student work, check out musical performances and studio presentations, and tour the art facilities and studios.

The Student Art Show includes a variety of works created in a wide range of media. The show provides a unique glimpse into the educational and aesthetic philosophy advocated by El Camino College and illustrates a diversity characteristic of the contemporary art world. The majority of the works in the gallery are grounded in an academic approach to art study and training.

Represented in the exhibition are traditional two-dimensional painting media (oil on canvas, acrylic on canvas, watercolor on paper) as well as drawing media on paper (graphite, charcoal, pastel and Conte). Printmaking techniques include lithography, etching, and silk-screen printing, in addition to digital printing processes.

The exhibition includes well-executed examples of photographic processes (black and white silver prints and color printing). The digital media program produces video animation, as well as photo-based digitally printed graphic designs and illustrative pieces.

Additionally, the show includes a cross section of three-dimensional techniques taught in the art division, such as jewelry construction; plaster, clay, latex and bronze cast sculpture; wheel-thrown and slab-constructed clay vessels; and hand-built objects, as well as a variety of imaginative mixed media constructions and small-scale installation pieces.

Gallery hours are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays and from noon to 8 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays. The Student Art Show and Fine Arts Division Open House are free and open to the public. For more information, call 310-660-3010.

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