



YOUR SPECIAL ISLAND

President and Mrs. Michael Driscoll
and the University Museum
Board of Directors
cordially invite you to
the University Museum Gala

OCTOBER 16, 2015

THE EXHIBITION

Triennial 2015

September 12 – October 17, 2015

Indiana University of Pennsylvania's own faculty artists from the Department of Art are featured in the opening exhibition of the University Museum 2015-2016 season, *Triennial 2015*.

Works created and collected by the IUP art faculty enrich the experiences of their students in the classroom and now are being shared with the community through this group exhibition. Art historian and faculty member Brenda Mitchell describes the items in her private collection as representing a personal or professional relationship. Of the artists whose work she collects, Mitchell states that "Each artist has taught me something important and made me think in new ways about the world we live in."

Triennial 2015 features works from Sharon Massey, Nathan Heuer, Chris McGinnis, Ivan Fortushniak, Tony DiMauro, BA Harrington, Maura Keeney, Susan Palmisano, Rhonda Yeager, Sean Derry, Steve Loar, Marissa Sweeny, and Bob Sweeny in addition to items from the collections of art historians Penny Rode, Brenda Mitchell, and Irene Kabala.

As Michael Hood, Dean of the College of Fine Arts, reminds us, "Our eyes and our hearts are filled by the work these artists share with us. They challenge, they comfort, and they sustain us. They remind us of our humanity even as they show us our flaws. They speak to our dreams even as they pry the lid off our fears."

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THE UNIVERSITY MUSEUM GALA **YOUR SPECIAL ISLAND**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2015

Benefits the University Museum at IUP • \$125.00 per person

6:00 p.m. – Outdoor Pig Roast • Appetizers and Drinks in the Museum, with Tropical Cocktails
Exhibition – *Triennial 2015: IUP Faculty Art* – The University Museum, Sutton Hall

7:00 p.m. – Dining • Entertainment • Live and Silent Auctions • Dancing
The Blue Room, Sutton Hall

Island-style delicacies include grilled jumbo scallops with pineapple vinaigrette; roast beef carvery with roasted root vegetables; salad station featuring several flavors of hummus plus tabouli, artichoke salad, olive salad, and assorted tropical fruits. Assorted desserts include coconut ice cream topped with bananas flambéed in rum.

Reservations Required • RSVP by October 9, 2015 • For Information: 724-357-2397
Use the enclosed reply card or reserve on line at: www.iup.edu/marketplace (Select "University Museum" and "Gala")

Guests are invited to indulge their tropical fashion fantasies for this event.
Bali Hai or Margaritaville... Release your inner pirate... Come as Gauguin, Gilligan, or anyone atoll!

Free parking is available in the lot next to the HUB and in the lot across Oakland Avenue next to Copies Now.
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