Online Assessment Tracking Database

Sam Houston State University (SHSU) 2014 - 2015

Art (Gaddis Geeslin Gallery)

Goal

Exhibit Contemporary Art And Creative Research P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will be an accessible and vital contemporary arts venue for the University and the local community and will exhibit and promote the creative research of Art Department faculty and students.

Objective (P)

Visiting Artists And Professionals P

The gallery will host visiting artists and professionals to lecture, curate exhibitions, demonstrate media and methods, and critique student work.

KPI Performance Indicator

Visiting Artists And Professionals P

The gallery will invite visiting artists to campus. Visiting artists will give lectures and/or demonstrations that are open and promoted to University faculty, staff, and students and to the community at large.

The Visiting Artists will be selected by the Gallery committee in conjunction with exhibition proposals and from faculty recommendations.

Artists will be chosen based on:

- national reputation.
- perceived benefit to Art Department students.
- perceived benefit to the local community in terms of enhancing awareness of contemporary art.

Result

2014-15 Exhibitions And Visting Artists # P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery held 2 exhibits that included the work of four professional artists in 2014-15.

5 Visiting Artists were on campus to give public lectures about their work in the Art Auditorium, meet with students for individual critiques, and give public workshops on art making.

The gallery sent press releases to local media and promoted all of the events on Social Media.

Action

Schedule 2016-17 # P

The Gallery has scheduled exhibits for the 2015-16 season and will plan for 2016-17.

Objective (P)

Student Exhibitions P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will exhibit and promote the work of students in the Art Department.

KPI Performance Indicator

Graduating Senior Exhibition P

The Gallery Committee will schedule Graduating Senior Exhibitions during finals week of Fall 2014 and Spring 2015, and a Graphic Design Senior Exhibition to be held at the end of the Spring 2015 semester. The student work will demonstrate and be used to evaluate:

- a proficiency in skills and techniques related to the medium used in the artwork.
- the student's ability to produce a cohesive body of work.
- the student's ability to express a concept through a work of art.
- \bullet an awareness of contemporary art and its relation to art history.

Result

Senior Shows & P

In 2014-15 the Gaddis Geeslin Gallery held exhibitions of works by graduating seniors in Studio Art, Photography and Computer Animation at the end of each semester.

Graphic Design Seniors had an exhibition of their work in the Spring semester.

KPI Performance Indicator

Juried Exhibition P

The Gallery Committee will schedule the 16th annual Juried Student Exhibition for Spring 2015. A professional artist or arts professional with a national reputation will be invited to select award winning student work and to give a public lecture in conjunction with the exhibition. Every full time art student will be allowed to submit up to 3 artworks in any medium. The juror will choose artworks to be in an exhibition. Awards will be given to Best of Show, Best 2D Artwork, Best 3D Artwork, Best Animation, Best Graphic Design. The artwork will be selected based on

- · craftsmanship
- originality
- content
- other criteria determined by the juror

Result

Senior Shows, Juried Shows And Others &

The 16th Annual Juried Student Show was held in the Spring semester and juried by Jim Nolan, a professional artist from Houston.

Mr. Nolan selected the works for the show and awarded \$3000 to the following students for their work:

\$1,000.00Victoria Monsalvo \$750.00Justin
Zachary \$500.00Frank Graham \$250.00Erika
Aguirre \$50.00Taylor Ramsey \$50.00Krystal
Murray \$50.00Autumn Dowdy \$350.00Frank Graham

KPI Performance Indicator

Promote Student Work In The Community P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will exhibit student work off campus and engage the community in exhibitions and interactions with artists.

Result

Satellite Exhbitions # P

The Department of Art and the Gaddis Geeslin Gallery held exhibitions of student work at the Satellite Gallery located in downtown Huntsville. In addition to exhibitions, the Student Art Association organized an Art Walk through Downtown Huntsville that connected

the Satellite Gallery with local business who allowed them to create art installations in store windows. The SAA also organized an art auction of student and faculty work.

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Objective (P)

Exhibit Art From Around The United States P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will host exhibitions of contemporary art in a variety of medium by artists from diverse backgrounds from all over United States. The exhibitions will be open to the public. University faculty, staff, students and members of the local community will be encouraged to attend.

KPI Performance Indicator

Schedule Significant Exhibitions By Nationally Recognized Artists

The Gallery Committee will draw on their knowledge and expertise to invite recognized artists from across the country to exhibit at the Gaddis geeslin gallery. The committee will organize exhibitions that will include artists working in Photography, sculpture, performance and video, and mixed media installations. Each exhibition will be accompanied by scheduled artists' lectures, workshops, and critiques by the visitiing artists.

The Gallery Committee will advertise the events and promote opportunities for the local and university communities to interact with the art and the artists.

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Objective (P)

Faculty Exhibitions P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will exhibit and promote the creative research of Art Department faculty.

KPI Performance Indicator

Faculty Exhibitions P

Art Department Faculty will exhibit art works that are the result of their current creative research. Due to the increasing number of Art Faculty and the large scale of much of the work, the Gallery Committee decided to exhibit work by half of the faculty each year. Each faculty member will be included in the faculty exhibit every other year.

Action

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Objective (P)

Interaction With Community P

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Goal

Community Engagement P

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery will educate and engage the local community with exhibitions of contemporary art and interactions with artists.

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Schedule 2016-17 / P

Action



Previous Cycle's "Plan for Continuous Improvement"

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery and the SHSU Student Satellite Gallery will provide opportunities for faculty and students to curate exhibits that are thematically relevant to research and teaching in the Department of Art. The Gallery will promote exhibitions through publications distributed at exhibitions and the through local media outlets.

The Gallery will continue to expand its efforts to engage the local community with art exhibitions by invite art students from public schools to visit the galleries and learn about projects from SHSU Art Students.

Please detail the elements of your previous "Plan for Continuous Improvement" that were implemented. If elements were not implemented please explain why, along with any contextual challenges you may have faced that prevented their implementation.

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery has had a successful season of exhibitions. The Satellite Gallery in Downtown Huntsville, expanded the audience and brought members of the community to see and interact with student art.

Several schools responded to the invitation by bringing busloads of high shoool students to see the work in the gallery.

Plan for Continuous Improvement - Please detail your plan for improvement that you have developed based on what you learned from your 2014 - 2015 Cycle Findings.

The Gaddis Geeslin Gallery and the Department of Art will seek funding for a part time staff person to coordinate the artists and exhibits that the Gallery Committee select. The staff person will also train and supervise student interns who work in the Gallery.