

*Statesboro's Averitt Center for the Arts & The Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art  
at Georgia Southern University Presents*

## *Summer Studios at the Centers 2009*

Summer Studios is an all-day intensive visual art experience for young artists. Hands-on experiences in an array of art media—from drawing, painting, papermaking, printmaking, ceramics, jewelry, sculpture, digital photography and graphic design—are enriched with art appreciation and art history.

Summer Studios workshops are held at the Averitt Center, Downtown Statesboro, and the Center for Art and Theatre and Visual Arts Studios, Georgia Southern University—what a chance to experience the best of both art centers in Statesboro!

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### *Summer Studios 2008 Featured Sessions\*:*

June 22 – June 26: Georgia Artists

June 29 – July 3: Think Green

July 6 – July 10: Museum Masterpieces Around the Globe

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#### ***Schedule:***

Summer Studios starts each day at 9 a.m. and ends at 4 p.m. Check-in begins at 8:45 am at the Center for Art & Theatre, Georgia Southern, with extended day hours until 5 p.m.

#### ***Cost:***

The cost of each weekly session is \$150 with an additional \$25 per week for supervised extended-stay activities. Fees include all materials and instruction, weekly camp t-shirt and two snacks daily. Students must bring their own lunches M-TH, a refrigerator and microwave are on-site. Friday's lunch is provided.

#### ***Age Groups:***

- **Elementary Group 1:** rising 1st - 3rd graders
- **Elementary Group 2:** rising 4th - 5th graders
- **Middle School Group:** rising 6th - 8th graders
- **High School Group:** rising 9th - 12th grader

#### ***Session Teachers***

Teachers are undergraduate and graduate art education majors, art history and studio art majors from the Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art and are supervised by Georgia Southern faculty.

#### ***Register***

- 3 week package: Register for all 3 weeks of Summer Studios for \$130 per week when signing one student up for all three weeks (extended-stay additional \$25 per week);
- Family Discount: Register 2 + students from the same immediate family, save \$5 per student/week.
- Early Registration: Register before May 1st and save \$5 per week in addition to the above discounts.

To register for 2009 Summer Studios at the Centers call the Averitt Center for the Arts at 212-ARTS or visit [www.averittcenterforthearts.org](http://www.averittcenterforthearts.org).

#### ***More Information***

For Registration Questions: Contact Connie Hayes, Assistant Director, Averitt Center, (912) 212-ARTS, or email at [chayes@averittcenterforthearts.org](mailto:chayes@averittcenterforthearts.org)

For camp curriculum and schedule information: <http://class.georgiasouthern.edu/art>.

\*Space is limited and is available on a first-come basis. Sessions may be cancelled should enrollment minimum not be met by the start of the session. You will be notified one week prior to session if it is cancelled.

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## ***Summer Studios 2009 Session Information***

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### ***June 22 – June 26***

#### ***Georgia Artists: Materials, Themes, and Artists in the Georgia Artists Collection***

The artworks in the Georgia Artists Collection on view at the Center for Art & Theatre are made from materials native to the state, by an artist associated with the state, or are about the state of Georgia. Summer Studio artists will investigate the themes and materials used by these artists with Georgia roots to create their own collection of artworks made in right here in Statesboro, Georgia. Visits to a Georgia Artist's studio downtown will provide a rich experience as Summer Studios Artists collaborate with him to create a painting of our hometown.

### ***June 29 – July 3***

#### ***Think Green: Folk Art and Found Object Graphic Design***

Summer Studio Artists will be inspired by the amazing creativity of the folk artists in the Smith Callaway Banks Southern Folk Art Gallery at Georgia Southern University. During part of their day in the studio, students will produce artwork using the same methods and materials folk artists use to create fascinating artworks. The other part of students' imaginative day will be spent in the design studios, where they will develop the design skills and create a marketing graphics to encourage recycling—like a folk artist does with found objects.

### ***Week 3: July 6 – July 10***

#### ***Museum Masterpieces Around the Globe: Virtual Visits to Major Museums***

Learn what museums are known for which collections of art, and why the art they house is important in the history of different world cultures. Daily virtual tours lead to studio sessions that feature the materials and methods used by visual artists to create the world's wonders of art. From ancient to modern and contemporary art, from Asia to Africa to the Americas, students will learn a world of art as they create a portfolio of their own masterpieces.

### ***Friday Exhibitions:***

Each Friday, Summer Studio Artists present their work in the Contemporary Gallery, Center for Art & Theatre, Georgia Southern and are honored by a reception at 4 pm.