HERO, HAWK, AND OPEN HAND

American Indian Art of the Ancient Midwest and South

ARTISTS-IN-RESIDENCE

At scheduled times during the run of the exhibition Hero, Hawk, and Open Hand: American Indian Art of the Ancient Midwest and South, ancient objects will be brought to life by contemporary Native American artists-in-residence. Potter Jereldine Redcorn and shell carvers Knokovtee Scott and Dan Townsend will demonstrate their crafts, which have been acclaimed for reviving ancient traditions and motifs.

All demonstrations take place in the studio, next to Regenstein Hall. See the back of this flyer for a schedule. The exhibition and artists' demonstrations are free with general museum admission. For more information, call (312) 443-3680.



Hand cutout. Ohio, Ross County, Hopewell site, Mound 25, A.D. 1-400. Sheet mica, h. 29 cm. Ohio Historical Society, Columbus, A283/294

ARTIST BIOGRAPHIES:

Knokovtee William Scott

(Creek-Cherokee) creates luminous purple mussel-shell jewelry that is delicate in form yet precisely carved. Scott earned a B.A. degree from Northeastern State University in Tahlequah, Oklahoma, in 1969 and a master's degree in education from University Center in Tulsa, Oklahoma in 1987.

Jereldine Redcorn

(Caddo and Potawatomi) earned a
B.S. degree from Wayland University
in 1962 and an M.A. degree from
Pennsylvania State University in 1976.
Although Redcorn is also accomplished
in ribbonwork, fingerweaving, and
woodland floral appliqué, Caddo
traditional pottery is her primary
professional artistic endeavor.

Dan Townsend

(Creek-Cherokee) follows in the footsteps of his ancestors by carving ancient designs and symbols on shell. His work can be seen in collections throughout the world. His pieces are used by a number of tribal communities as instruments in ceremonial teachings. Townsend is based in Tallahassee, Florida.

SCHEDULE

All demonstrations take place in the studio next to Regenstein Hall, unless otherwise noted.

Friday, November 19

1:00-3:00 Knokovtee Scott, shell carver

Saturday, November 20

10:00-11:00, 12:00-1:00, and 2:00-3:00 Knokovtee Scott, shell carver

Saturday, November 20

11:00-12:00 and 1:00-2:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Sunday, November 21

11:00–12:30 and 1:00–3:00 Knokovtee Scott, shell carver

Sunday, December 5

10:00–12:30 and 1:00–3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Monday, December 6

10:30–12:30 and 1:00–3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Tuesday, December 7

10:30-11:00, 2:00-3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Wednesday, December 8

10:30-12:30, 1:00-3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Thursday, December 9

10:30-12:30, 1:00-3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Thursday, December 9

6:00-7:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter *Price Auditorium*

Friday, December 10

10:30-12:30, 1:00-3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Saturday, December 11

1:00-3:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Sunday, December 12

11:00-11:30, 2:30-4:00 Jereldine Redcorn, potter

Monday, December 27

11:00-12:30, 1:00-4:00 Dan Townsend, shell carver

Tuesday, December 28

1:30-4:00 Dan Townsend, shell carver

Wednesday, December 29

1:30-4:00 Dan Townsend, shell carver

Thursday, December 30

11:00-12:30, 1:30-4:00 Dan Townsend, shell carver

Friday, December 31

11:00-12:30, 1:30-4:00 Dan Townsend, shell carver