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## **MUIH Staff and Faculty Exhibition**

**Opens December 23 at Himmelfarb Gallery, Maryland University of Integrative Health**

*LAUREL, MD* – **The MUIH Staff and Faculty Exhibition** features photography, paintings, and quilts and opens Wednesday, December 23 in the Himmelfarb Gallery at Maryland University of Integrative Health. An reception honoring the artists will be held January 21, 2016 from 5:00-7:30 p.m., which is free and open to the public.

The Himmelfarb Gallery is pleased to showcase the diverse artistic talents of some of MUIH’s staff and faculty. The exhibition features personal visions in varied media, and will include photographs, paintings, and quilts. The artists are Barbara Abrams (AOM faculty), Anya Blakely (ambassador), Selwyn David (senior accountant), Gail Doerr (VP for marketing and enrollment management), Louise Gussin (VP for administration and general counsel), Kaiya Larson (AOM faculty), Elizabeth Timmons (nutrition program administrator), John C. Wilson (creative director), and Frank Vitale (president and CEO).

“We are exceedingly proud of the amazing talent within the MUIH community, and wanted to celebrate their creative abilities,” said gallery coordinator John Wilson. “It is not surprising to me that the individuals who make this university great also have abilities beyond their work at this school. Creative expression informs the work in this community of healing, and manifests in many beautiful ways.”

Some of the artwork from the exhibit will be on sale. They can be purchased through the Meeting Point bookstore, which is adjacent to the gallery. Visit the Himmelfarb Gallery online at <http://www.muuh.edu/campus-community/about-campus/himmelfarb-gallery>.

**What:** MUIH Staff and Faculty Show

**When:** December 23, 2015 – March 19, 2016

**Where:** Himmelfarb Gallery, Maryland University of Integrative Health  
7750 Montpelier Rd., Laurel, MD 20723

**Gallery Hours:** Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday: 8 a.m.– 4 p.m.

NOTE: MUIH will be closed December 25-January 3

**Artist Reception:** Thursday, January 21, 2016 from 5:00– 7:30 p.m.

### **About Maryland University of Integrative Health**

Maryland University of Integrative Health (MUIH) educates practitioners and leaders in health and wellness through transformative and relationship-centered programs that integrate ancient wisdom and contemporary science. MUIH offers graduate degrees and certificates in a wide range of wellness fields, as well as programs for professional and personal development. The on-campus Natural Care Center offers compassionate and affordable healthcare from student interns and professional practitioners, delivering more than 35,000 clinical treatments a year.

### **About the Himmelfarb Gallery**

The lobby of MUIH's main campus building serves as the gallery space and features four exhibits each year that focus on some aspect of healing, wellness, or nature. Since opening in April 2003, the gallery has displayed paintings, drawings, prints, photographs, fabrics, and artist-made paper. For more information, please visit [www.muuh.edu](http://www.muuh.edu).

High-resolution images are available upon request.

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