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***ART INSIGHTS: DAN ANDERSON TO DISCUSS THE LANGUAGE OF HIS CERAMIC ART***

(Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah) SUU Department of Art and Design's weekly *Art Insights* program will feature world-famous ceramic artist Dan Anderson on Thursday, December 3, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. in the Centrum Arena, Section K.

Anderson is Professor Emeritus at Southern Illinois University, and his work is included in hundreds of collections internationally. His presentation will be based on what his thrown and hand-built ceramic pieces communicate and their origins and inspirations. In addition to his *Art Insights* lecture, Anderson will spend Friday, December 4, 2009, giving workshops that will include demonstrations of his techniques and offering critiques of student artwork in Centrum Room 203.

*Art Insights* is a weekly program hosted during the fall and spring semesters by SUU's Art and Design faculty. Students and community members meet weekly to attend gallery openings and experience presentations and discussions by visiting artists and art educators from around the nation who share their work and insights. Admission is free, and the general public is invited to attend. For more information on the SUU College of Performing and Visual Arts events, please call the Arts Hotline at (435) 865-8800, or visit [www.suu.edu/arts](http://www.suu.edu/arts).

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**ABOUT THE COLLEGE**

The Southern Utah University College of Performing and Visual Arts is comprised of nationally accredited departments of Art and Design, Music, Theatre Arts and Dance, as well as a graduate program in Arts Administration. The College offers 16 different degree areas, including liberal arts

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees; professional Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Fine Arts in art and theatre degrees; and a Master of Fine Arts in Arts Administration degree.

More than 60 full- and part-time faculty and staff are engaged in teaching and mentoring over 550 majors in the College. Over 1100 students enroll each year in over 195 arts classes on the SUU campus. The College presents 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year.

The College's affiliate organizations include the Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery, American Folk Ballet, Utah Shakespearean Festival, the performance group Acclamation, and the SUU Ballroom Dance Company. For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, contact the Office of the Dean at (435) 865-8561, or by e-mail at [cpvamktg@suu.edu](mailto:cpvamktg@suu.edu).

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