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SUU'S ART INSIGHTS SHOWCASES
PAINTER GREGORY ISTOCK
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Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: A painter whose uniquely vibrant canvases are included in numerous collections across the United States, **Gregory Istock** is a multi-faceted artist and performer. This gifted artist appears at **SUU's Department of Art and Design's** weekly lecture series, ***Art Insights***, on **Thursday, April 9, 2015**. The lecture begins at **7pm** at **SUU's Auditorium Theatre**. **Admission is free and the general public is encouraged to attend**. His presentation focuses on his thought and concepts of creativity and life in the contemporary world.

Originally from Washington, DC, **Gregory Istock** has worked as a professional musician and an experimental artist, painter, bandleader, singer, multi-instrumentalist, songwriter, arranger and producer, during the past 40 years. His paintings are included in collections throughout the United States. He now resides in Virgin, Utah.

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 experience presentations and discussions by visiting artists and art educators from around the nation who share their work and insights and attend gallery openings.

For more information on the SUU College of Performing and Visual Arts events, please visit www.suu.edu/pva/arts.

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 and the Center for Shakespeare Studies. 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 nearly 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year. The College's affiliate organizations include the Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery, Utah Shakespeare Festival 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.

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- WHAT:** A painter whose uniquely vibrant canvases are included in numerous collections across the United States, Gregory Istock is a multi-faceted artist and performer. This gifted artist appears at SUU's Department of Art and Design's weekly lecture series, *Art Insights*.
- WHO:** Art Insights, SUU's Department of Art and Design
- WHEN:** Thursday, April 9, 2015
- TIME:** 7:00pm
- WHERE:** Auditorium Theatre, Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT
- INFO:** Visit: www.suu.edu/pva/arts
- TICKETS:** Free and the General Public is encouraged to attend.