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## **SUU Ceramics Guild Sells Art and Provides Experience**

Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: Graduation, Mother's Day, and Father's Day are just around the corner. Start shopping early and buy a unique gift for the ones you love. For three days only, the Ceramics Guild Spring Sale will be held April 14-16, 2016 in the Ceramics Shop, CN 203, in the Centrum Arena. They will be open each day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Merchandise is available to the community and general public all three days.

There are many different pieces to choose from as the talented members of the Department of Art and Design ceramics program join together to sell their artwork. Items range in price, making this an affordable gift for all the special people in your life. Each masterpiece has been finished with glazes that are lead free and safe to serve your favorite meal on to your favorite person.

Approximately 25% of the proceeds benefit the Visiting Artist Program in Ceramics. This provides Southern Utah University's ceramics students the opportunity to learn from ceramicists from all over the country. Marcus Najac, President of the Ceramics Guild, said that the remaining 75% goes to the artist. "This sale helps students learn to market and price their pieces so that they will be able to work as studio artists."

Support these budding ceramicists and buy an extraordinary gift for your extraordinary Mom, Dad, or graduate. They will love such a unique gift to add to their collection. For more information on the College of Performing and Visual Arts events, please go to [www.suu.edu/pva](http://www.suu.edu/pva).

### **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

graduate programs in Arts Administration and Music and a 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 Master of Fine Arts in Arts Administration, Master of Arts in Arts Administration, Master of Music Education and Master of Music in Music Technology graduate degrees. 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 over 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year. The College's affiliate organizations include the Southern Utah Museum of Art (SUMA), Utah Shakespeare Festival and SUU's Ballroom Dance Company. For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, visit [www.suu.edu/pva](http://www.suu.edu/pva).

#### **For Calendar Editors: SUU Ceramics Guild Sells Art and Provides Experience**

**What:** Graduation, Mother's Day, and Father's Day are just around the corner. Start shopping early and buy a unique gift for the ones you love at the Ceramics Guild Spring Sale.

**Who:** Southern Utah University Ceramics Guild

**When:** Thursday through Saturday, April 14-16, 2016

**Time:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Where:** Ceramics Shop, CN 203, Centrum Arena

**Info:** [www.suu.edu/pva](http://www.suu.edu/pva)

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