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(Brockton, Mass.) Fuller Craft Museum, New England's home for contemporary craft
Museum Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm, Thursday 5:00 – 9:00 pm

FULLER CRAFT MUSEUM PRESENTS

SHIFTS: Approaching Encaustic from All Angles

September 30 - November 26, 2017

Fall Exhibitions Opening Reception Saturday, October 28, 2:00 - 5:00 pm

The opening will feature two exhibitions, *Gender Bend: Women in Wood, Men at the Loom* and *SHIFTS: Approaching Encaustic from All Angles*

2:15 pm Gallery talk by Dietlind Vander Schaaf of New England Wax

3:00 pm Gender Bend curators' talk

High Resolution images are found at: <https://fullercraft.org/shifts-approaching-encaustic-angles/>

SHIFTS is a juried exhibition of New England Wax, a lively and growing professional organization that connects artists in the six New England states who work in the medium of encaustic media. N.E.W. provides opportunities to exhibit, share technical information and aesthetic ideas, and build friendships with other artists. The mission of the organization is to promote excellence in fine art made with encaustic, educate the general public about the medium, and increase interest in encaustic in the art world. The exhibition will be juried by Ben Shattuck, lead curator at Dedee Shattuck Gallery in Westport, MA.

Current Exhibitions:

Parts and Labor: Print and Collage Works by Steven Ford
August 5 – December 31, 2017

Amber Cowan: Re/Collection
June 24 – October 8, 2017

Brockton Youth Creates Biennial
July 15 – September 10, 2017

Circular Abstractions: Bull's Eye Quilts
May 13 – October 22, 2017

Future Retrieval: Permanent Spectacle
April 15 – October 1, 2017

What Remains: Wooden Quilt Sculptures of Laura Petrovich-Cheney
October 29, 2016 – November 12, 2017

Upcoming Exhibitions:

SHIFTS: Approaching Encaustic from All Angles
September 30 – November 26, 2017

Gender Bend: Women in Wood, Men at the Loom
October 21, 2017 – March 11, 2018

Mindful: Exploring Mental Health Through Art
November 18, 2017 – April 22, 2018

Threads of Resistance
December 9, 2017 – February 18, 2018

Revolution in the Making: The Pussyhat Project
January 21 – May 20, 2018

Brother Thomas: Seeking the Sublime
February 3 – May 13, 2018

Playtime in the Making
May 19 – September 16, 2018

About Fuller Craft Museum

Fuller Craft Museum, New England's only museum of contemporary craft, is dedicated to the objects, ideas, and insights that inspire both patrons and artists to explore life through the art of contemporary craft. Fuller Craft Museum is located at 455 Oak St. in Brockton, MA. The

Museum is open Tuesday through Sunday, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm, with free admission for all Thursdays from 5:00 – 9:00 pm. Admission is \$10 adults, \$8 seniors and \$5 students, free for members and children 12 and under. For more information on Fuller Craft exhibitions and events please visit www.fullercraft.org or call 508.588.6000.

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