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“Blacksmithing: The Art of Decorative Metalwork” Exhibition Comes to South Seattle Community College

The Art Gallery at South Seattle Community College presents the decorative metalwork of artists from the college’s Duwamish Industrial Education Center, from May 3 –23.

The metalwork pieces to be displayed are from the blacksmithing class taught at the Duwamish campus.

The art of blacksmithing is enjoying a resurgence in popularity in part because metal is a versatile medium that can create everything from tables to kitchenware. The show will display both decorative as well as functional pieces.

The exhibit is curated by Scott Shaddock, Blacksmithing Instructor, whose training includes time spent at the Turley Forge Blacksmithing School in Santa Fe, N.M. and Penland School of Crafts in North Carolina. Shaddock has also taught at Pratt Fine Arts Center in Seattle, given public demonstrations and has worked on commissioned architectural pieces. He lives in Sequim, WA, and operates his own blacksmith shop.

Where: The South Seattle Community College Art Gallery, located next to the bookstore in the Jerry Brockey Student Center.
6000 16th Avenue, S.W., Seattle, WA 98106-1499.

When: The exhibition runs from May 3 - 23, 2001.

Gallery Hours: Tuesday – Friday, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday – Thursday, 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Admission is free.

For more information or to arrange for an interview please contact
Lisa Palmatier, Art Gallery Coordinator, at (206) 764-5337.

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