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## Assessment Results

1. Student work from both the Tradition and Hattiesburg campuses was on display at the Sales Center of the Tradition Community. The exhibit included representative samples of drawing, graphic design, painting, printmaking, 3-D Design, and photography.
2. Five works by William Carey University art students were juried in to the 2013 MCAC. One of those received the Juror’s Purchase Prize.
3. There was no data available from the Graduate Follow-up Survey.
5. Two students worked as graphic design interns/student workers at NAV-O at Stennis. One student interned at the Ohr-O’Keefe Museum of Art in Biloxi. One student completed an internship at Guice Advertising in Biloxi. One student worked as a design intern for Ad2, Inc. in Gautier. One student worked as an intern at Lauren Rogers Museum in Laurel. Art Education students in Hattiesburg worked with students at Aldersgate Afterschool Program.

## Use of Results

- Ryan Barone, MFA, adjudicated the student show. Students took the initiative in hanging, labeling, and hosting the show. An article about the show appeared in the *Sun Herald*.
- William Carey art students kept the university visible at the state level, with their inclusion in the Mississippi Collegiate Art Competition.
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- WCU Art students continue to make a contribution to the communities where they are located.
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### ASSESSMENT RESULTS

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