



Pride and Promise

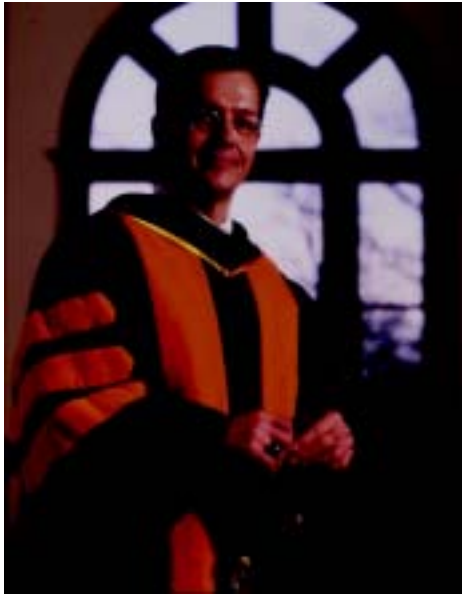
The Inauguration of
Kent John Chabotar
as Eighth President

Ragan-Brown Field House
Guilford College
Greensboro, North Carolina

The eleventh of April
Two Thousand Three
At half past three o'clock

Presidents of the College

Lewis Lyndon Hobbs	1888-1915
Thomas Newlin	1915-1916
Raymond Binford	1918-1934
Clyde A. Milner	1934-1965
Grimsley T. Hobbs	1965-1980
William R. Rogers	1980-1996
Donald W. McNemar	1996-2002
Kent John Chabotar	2002-



Kent John Chabotar Guilford's Eighth President

*K*ent John Chabotar, a distinguished higher education administrator, faculty member and scholar, was elected the eighth president and a professor of political science at Guilford College by the Board of Trustees in April 2002. His career has blended teaching, research and administrative service in higher education as well as nonprofits and business.

From 1991-2002, Chabotar was vice president for finance and administration and treasurer at Bowdoin College in Brunswick, ME. As chief financial officer at Bowdoin, one of the nation's leading liberal arts colleges, he was responsible for a \$97 million operating budget and supervised 350 employees. While maintaining his full-time administration position, Chabotar taught an undergraduate course in government each spring beginning in 1993. Serving as an adviser to student government, he regularly moderated their annual retreats to set priorities and develop effective teamwork. In April 1998, he was honored by the Maine State Legislature on the 25th anniversary of his college teaching. In recognition of his services to the College, the Board of Trustees elected him vice president for finance and administration and treasurer *emeritus* upon his departure in May 2002, and his students and friends established the *Kent John Chabotar Scholarship Fund*.

Previously, in higher education, Chabotar was lecturer on education at Harvard University (1982-91), associate professor of management and twice chair of the College Senate at the University of Massa-

chusetts at Boston (1975-82), and assistant professor of political science and coordinator of public administration programs at Michigan State University (1972-75). He received the *Fussa Distinguished Teaching Award* at Harvard in 1988 and the *Distinguished Educator Award* for teaching excellence at Michigan State University in 1973.

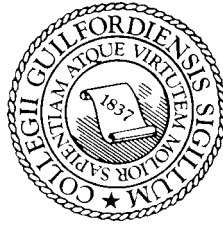
Chabotar has served on the faculties of summer executive programs sponsored by the Harvard Institutes on Higher Education since 1983, including Management and Leadership in Education (MLE), Management Development Program (MDP), Institute for Educational Management (IEM), and the Seminar for New Presidents. He is also the senior member of the faculty of the Getty Leadership Institute on Museum Management (MMI) at the University of California at Berkeley, where he has taught since 1987.

While continuing to teach, Chabotar's nonprofit and business experience began at Abt Associates Inc. of Cambridge, MA, in 1976, where he was a contract manager and analyst on finance and evaluation projects for federal and state government agencies and corporations. Chabotar was also chief financial officer and controller at The Williamson Group, a computer software company for schools and museums, located in Cambridge, MA. Finally, he served as vice president and treasurer at the Education Development Center, Inc. in Newton, MA, a nonprofit educational research and development firm.

Chabotar is the author of many books, monographs, and articles, including "Ten Commandments of Software Conversions" in *Business Officer*, "Financial Ratio Analysis Comes to Nonprofits" in the *Journal of Higher Education*, "Coping with Retrenchment" and "Managing Participative Budgeting" in *Change*, and "Reengineering: A View from the Frontlines" in *Planning for Higher Education*. He co-authored *New Yardsticks to Measure Financial Distress* (1996) for the American Association for Higher Education and *Financial Responsibilities of the Board* (1998) for the Association of Governing Boards of Colleges and Universities. Chabotar is now co-authoring a book for AGB on *Strategic Finance and Endowment Management* that is due for publication late in 2003.

Chabotar earned his B.A. degree in political science *magna cum laude* from Saint Francis University in Loretto, PA, in 1968. At Saint Francis, he served two terms as student government president and was voted the outstanding male graduate by the faculty and students. He later received M.P.A. (*with distinction*) and Ph.D. degrees in public administration from the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University, where he also worked in student affairs and residential life for three years.

Chabotar is a native of New York City.



*The Inauguration of
Kent John Chabotar
Eighth President of Guilford College*

PRESIDING

Joseph M. Bryan, Jr. '60

Member, Board of Trustees

PRELUDE

Quaker Brass

David Limburg, Trumpet • Lauren Reed '06, Trumpet • Sally Stevens '04, French Horn
Jeff Vanke, Trombone • David Dobson, Tuba

Festival Introit

Guilford College Choir

Greg Knauf

George Black

Director

Quaker Brass

PROCESSIONAL

Ruffin M. Hobbs '75

Bagpiper

ORDER OF PROCESSION

Student Flag Bearers

President Emeritus William R. Rogers and Trustees

Faculty

Alumni Delegates

Delegates from Colleges and Universities and the Community

Platform Party

CALL TO ORDER

Joseph M. Bryan, Jr. '60

INVOCATION

Max L. Carter

Director of Friends Center and Campus Ministry Coordinator

GREETINGS TO THE PRESIDENT

From the Faculty and Staff

James W. Hood '79

Associate Academic Dean

Associate Professor of English

From the Students

Tanisha Layne '03

From the Community

The Honorable Keith A. Holliday '75

Mayor, City of Greensboro

Let Justice and Judgement

George Frederic Handel

(1685-1759)

Guilford College Choir

Harlan Zachery, *Accompanist*

Holly Adkins '03, flute • James Esterline '03, violin • Margie Baker '03, cello

THE INAUGURATION

Transfer of the Charter

Donald W. McNemar

Seventh President of Guilford College

Presentation and Investiture of the Eighth President

Joseph M. Bryan, Jr. '60

Inaugural Address, *Pride and Promise*

Kent John Chabotar

President

THE ALMA MATER

Music by Austin Scott '43

Words by Russell Pope

Led by the Guilford College Choir

Kindly light our founders kindled
Midst primeval oak and pine,
Let thy radiance, truth revealing,
Now upon our spirits shine.

Sacred mem'ries thru the archways
Of the swiftly passing years,
Still undimmed dear Alma Mater
Strengthen us, dispel our fears.

So our hearts and voices joining
Echo Guilford's ancient fame.
Hallow'd be thine each endeavor.
Hallow'd be fair Guilford's name.

THE BENEDICTION

The Reverend John C. Frambes, O.F.M.

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Catholic Student Fellowship

CHORAL RESPONSE

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Peter C. Lutkin

(1858-1931)

Guilford College Choir

RECESSIONAL

Quaker Brass

The audience is asked to remain seated during the recessional.

A reception in Hege Library will follow the inaugural ceremony.

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Listed in Order of their Founding • Guilford alumni indicated by year of graduation

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1740	UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA George H. Steele '76 Associate Professor of Medicine	1815	ALLEGHENY COLLEGE James F. Pomroy Alumnus
1772	SALEM COLLEGE Nancy Cridlebaugh Beard Alumna	1819	NORWICH UNIVERSITY Col. William A. Dow, U.S. Army, Ret. Alumnus
1776	HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE Paul S. Baker Vice President for Administration	1821	WIDENER UNIVERSITY Marcus Lingenfelter Executive Assistant to the President
1785	THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA Stewart W. Wiley Alumnus	1831	WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY Richie Zweigenhaft Alumnus Dana Professor of Psychology, Guilford College
1787	FRANKLIN & MARSHALL COLLEGE Varo C. Duffins Alumnus	1834	GREEN MOUNTAIN COLLEGE Margot Robinson Alumna
1789	THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL Timothy Brooks Burnett Alumnus	1834	WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY Daryle Bost '93 Director of Corporate Relations

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| 1836 | EMORY UNIVERSITY
Roch C. Smith
Alumnus | 1847 | ST. FRANCIS UNIVERSITY (PA)
Robert Crusciel
Director of Alumni Relations |
| 1837 | COLBY-SAWYER COLLEGE
Leslie Wright Dow
Trustee | 1852 | ANTIOCH COLLEGE
Deborah Hewlett Pelli
Alumna |
| 1837 | DAVIDSON COLLEGE
Margaret Bourdeaux Arbuckle
Alumna | 1856 | MARS HILL COLLEGE
Ophelia H. DeGroot
Special Assistant to the President |
| 1838 | DUKE UNIVERSITY
Kay Goodman Stern
Alumna | 1856 | NIAGARA UNIVERSITY
George Richard Pustay
Alumnus |
| 1838 | GREENSBORO COLLEGE
Craven E. Williams
President | 1857 | PEACE COLLEGE
Laura Carpenter Bingham
President |
| 1842 | HOLLINS UNIVERSITY
Sion A. Boney
Former Chair of the Board of Trustees | 1857 | THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH
Elizabeth Watt Finch
Alumna |
| 1842 | MARY BALDWIN COLLEGE
Donna J. Earp
Alumna | 1864 | SWARTHMORE COLLEGE
Walter Blass
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Member, Guilford College Board of Trustees |
| 1845 | WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY
Paul K. Sun, Jr.
Alumnus | 1865 | PEIRCE COLLEGE
Arthur J. Lendo
President |
| 1847 | EARLHAM COLLEGE
Doug Bennett
President | | |

- 1865 SHAW UNIVERSITY
Patricia Pierce Ramsey
Vice President for Academic Affairs
- 1867 MOREHOUSE COLLEGE
Tony Lamair Burks, II
Alumnus
Principal, Early College at Guilford
- 1870 WELLESLEY COLLEGE
Betty J. Pearce
Alumna
- 1870 WILMINGTON COLLEGE (OH)
James E. Landon
Alumnus
- 1873 BENNETT COLLEGE
Johnnetta B. Cole
President
- 1873 TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
Michael L. Mattson
Assistant Vice Chancellor
- 1876 BELMONT ABBEY COLLEGE
Dean E. de la Motte
Academic Dean
- 1876 TEXAS A & M UNIVERSITY
A. Mitch Robertson
Alumnus
- 1879 UNION COLLEGE
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Alumnus
- 1880 BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE
Larry Click Smith
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- 1883 STETSON UNIVERSITY
Maureen A. Jarrell
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Alumnus
Assistant Professor of Theatre Studies, Guilford
College
- 1883 UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA
George P. Grill
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- 1884 FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY
William A. Sederburg
President
- 1885 GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
Jule C. Spach
Alumnus
- 1885 PFEIFFER UNIVERSITY
Charles M. Ambrose
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1887	OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE Walter High Alumnus	1892	ITHACA COLLEGE Peggy R. Williams President
1889	CLEMSON UNIVERSITY Marshall White, Jr. Alumnus	1892	SOUTHERN ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY Benjamin R. Wygal Assistant to the President
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1902	BERRY COLLEGE Abiodun Goke-Pariola Dean, Evans School of Humanities and Social Sciences	1923	MCMURRY UNIVERSITY Roger L. Loyd Alumnus
1908	COKER COLLEGE Nancy Allen Edinger Director, Internship Programs and School Services	1924	HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY Jacob C. Martinson President
1908	GEORGIAN COURT COLLEGE Carol Anne Falcinelli LaJeunesse Alumna	1937	SIENA COLLEGE Anthony G. Weaver Alumnus
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1912	UNIVERSIDAD INTERAMERICANA DE PUERTO RICO Aurora Almy Alumna	1954	COASTAL CAROLINA UNIVERSITY Edgar Dyer '70 Vice President for University Relations

1957 UNIVERSITY OF HARTFORD
Duane T. Dudkiewicz
Alumnus

1958 GUILFORD TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Marshall White, Jr.
Executive Vice President

1958 LENOIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Bill Scott
Instructor and Head of Horticulture Program

1958 WAKE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
John B. Boone
Associate Vice President for IE and Research

1962 RANDOLPH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Richard T. Heckman
President

1963 ROCKINGHAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Robert C. Keys
President

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Gary L. Rhodes
President

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Lilian Iyehen '04, Nigeria
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Georgia
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Reba Richards '05, Trinidad
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Kansiime Kariisa '04, Uganda
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Zimbabwe

Alumni Representatives

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1940 Marianna Edgerton
1944 Talmadge Neece
1945 Martha Bynum
1947 John R. Haworth
1948 Jeanne O. Campbell
1949 T. Eugene Terrell
1950 Malcolm O. Campbell
1951 William S. Bright
1952 Charles Whitcomb
1954 Robert Clegg

1961 Dale Hall
1962 Dale Roy Whitfield
1966 James Morgan
1966 Ann Morgan
1967 Jack C. Lail
1968 Doris Henderson
1973 Kelly Dempster
1975 R. Harrison Hickman
1977 David Bullock
1980 Christopher T. Field
1981 Donald W. Thorup

1986 Amie Whitaker
1987 Matthew Mason
1991 Gilbert Bailey
1992 Mark Sparling
1993 D. Paul Mosca
1994 Michael Roach
1998 Kendra Swee
1999 Alan Shea York
2000 David Jester

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Julia Hood '06, Chief Student Marshal, 2004

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The inaugural committee wishes to thank the inaugural event staff:

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The inaugural committee acknowledges with appreciation the Quaker Brass, Guilford College Choir, Department of Athletics, Department of Facilities, Department of Public Safety, Housekeeping and Sodexo.

Hege Library at Guilford College

The Hege Library was made possible by a matching grant of \$9,000 in 1908 from Andrew Carnegie of New York and was constructed in four phases. Today the library offers numerous study spaces, houses the Guilford College Art Collection and provides print, audio-visual and electronic resources.

The library includes a complete array of library services, the Friends Historical Collection, the Friends Center, the Academic Skills Center, the Betty Place Digital Classroom and the nine-room Guilford College Art Gallery.

Several special endowed collections are of note. The Friends of the Library support collections that focus on science fiction, poetry and simple living. Endowed collections also exist in the areas of science, history, fine arts, religion, English, women's studies, foreign languages and international Quaker studies.

You are invited to enjoy the many works of art exhibited in Hege Library as well as the refreshments on display in celebration of the inauguration.

First Floor

Carnegie Room

Fresh fruit and vegetable display

Portraits of the first six Guilford College presidents, from Lewis Lyndon Hobbs to William R. Rogers, are located to the right of the main entrance, adjacent to the Carnegie Room. Former faculty member Algie Newlin and New Garden Friends Boarding School Principal Teacher Nereus Mendenhall have their portraits displayed near the Friends Historical Collection, while portraits of Guilford librarians Treva Mathis Dodd and Herbert Poole are located in the Carnegie Room.

In the small seating area next to the presidential portraits are an oil painting by the 19th century French artist Louis Hista and two pen and ink drawings of campus buildings by former president William R. Rogers. Nearby, another Rogers work of art is found in the very large tree trunk that he and his son, John Rogers, carved into a loveseat.

Main Entrance Vitrine

The large vitrine across from the circulation desk is filled with Guilford memorabilia celebrating the college's past in conjunction with the recent **Our Time in History** capital campaign achievements. Included are artifacts from the Friends Historical Collection.

Main Hallway

Beverage service

Lining the main hallway are selections of paintings, drawings, prints and sculptures from the Art Gallery's permanent collection. The vitrine on the left displays works related to the theme of war and peace, including *Bomb Shelter: Iraq*, an image made during the 1991 Gulf War by former visiting artist Sue Coe, and a more light-

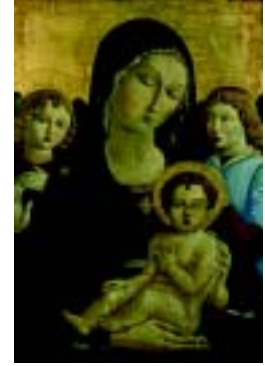


Joe Lasker
Horn of Plenty
 oil on panel (no date)
 Gift of Rachel F. and Allen S. Weller

hearted painting, *Horn of Plenty*, by Joe Lasker, that depicts a grandiose trumpet of war blasting into the ear of the undaunted allegorical figure of Peace. The vitrine on the right features a variety of religious-themed objects, a particular strength in Guilford's collection. Note an etching of St. Jerome by Jusepe de Ribera, an Italian Renaissance *Madonna and Child* and a selection of 19th century Mexican *santos* and *retablos*.

Just past the main gallery entrance is a rich selection of traditional West and Central African art related to women's health and fertility, donated by the late Dr. A. Kelly Maness, Jr. Highlights include a Baule mouse divination jar, a fine, early Dogon figure of a kneeling woman and a Bundu Women's Society mask from Sierra Leone.

The area by the elevator features portraits of Charlie Hendricks '40, aka "Mr. Guilford," and Ruth and Ira Julian and Allen and Rachel Weller, founding donors of the Art Gallery's permanent collection. Portraits of H. Curt Hege, Sr. '56, newly elected Chair of the Board of Trustees, and his wife, Patricia S. Hege, are displayed near the reference desk. Former trustee Robert Brown and his wife, Sally, donated the impressive, large sculpture by contemporary South African artist Noria Mabasa, which leads towards the library atrium.



Madonna and Child
 School of Matteo di Giovanni
 (15th century, Italian)
 tempera on panel with gold leaf
 Gift of Rachel F. and Allen S. Weller

Guilford College Art Gallery

Heated display featuring spanakopita, sesame ginger chicken and beef brochettes.

The Guilford College Art Gallery's main exhibition space features *Lyrical Lines: The Works of Obiora Udechukwu and Ada Udechukwu*. The Udechukwus, two of the major contemporary artists of Nigeria, reinterpret traditional Igbo designs known as *uli* (Igbo body and wall paintings that feature curvilinear designs and symbols) in their paintings, etchings and drawings with collage. Both artists are also known for their poetry, and selections of their writings are included in the exhibition as a complement to their visual expressions. This exhibition, which runs through April 20, and the artists' four-day residency in March, were the first in a biennial series planned by the college to focus on the art and literature of specific world cultures.



A Journey of Several Centuries
 Obiora Udechukwu

Atriums

Assorted desserts and treats

The first alcove, *The Ruth and Ira Julian Gallery*, features works from the permanent collection by women artists 65 years and older. It includes a small pastel and crayon drawing by Minnie Evans, a well-known "Outsider" artist from Wilmington, N.C. A portrait of Evans, holding a drawing very similar to this one, is on display in the next alcove, *The Barbara and Herman Cone, Jr., Gallery*. The photograph is part of Susan Mullally Clark's series illustrating the book she co-authored with Emily Herring Wilson, *Hope and Dignity: Older Black Women of the South*. On the wall opposite the first alcove is a painting by Ted Potter and an etching by Miriam Schapiro.

The third alcove, *The Allen Stuart Weller and Rachel Fort Weller Gallery*, also features works from the collection by women 65 years and older, including prints by Anni Albers, who was an important Bauhaus textile artist and

was married to the influential painter and color theorist Josef Albers. The Albers were the aunt and uncle of Guilford Professor Emeritus O. Theodor Benfey. A display of ancient Greek and Roman coins are mounted in a case nearby.

Among the paintings featured in the last alcove are three by artists in the Chicago Imagist school: Philip Hanson, Roger Brown and Leon Golub. These artists, active in that city in the mid-1960s to early 1970s, were known for their figurative paintings characterized by surrealist and expressionist tendencies. On the opposite side of this wall (in the “stacks”) is a selection of photographs from the “Visible Spirits” series by David Spear ’64.



Philip Hanson
Pink Lady Orchid
oil on masonite, 1972
Gift of Rachel F. and Allen S. Weller

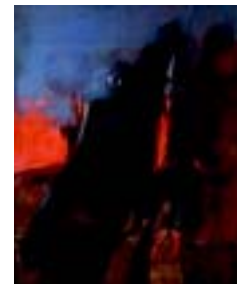
Information Village

The Information Village features a painting, *Mrs. Besant Takes Action*, by Gordon Russell and a drawing, *Town*, by Agata Konior. The study area overlooking College Road displays portraits of faculty members and paintings by Robert Frame and Bernard Soloman.

Second Floor

Elevator Lobby

Paintings by two important recently deceased North Carolina artists/educators flank the elevator. George Bireline and Robert Broderson both taught art at the university level (NCSU and Duke University, respectively), while maintaining active professional art careers. The large Chinese painting on silk, *One Hundred Butterflies*, was a gift of Phyllis Stepp Cage and her husband, Thomas Jones, in honor of the 75th anniversary of the Guilford College Art Appreciation Club.



Robert Broderson
New Myth: Mine Disaster
oil on canvas, c. 1961
Gift of Ruth and Ira Julian

Second Floor Atriums

The first alcove, *The Alfred N. Schiff and Rose W. Schiff Gallery*, contains non-Western art including traditional Japanese woodblock prints and calligraphy and a modern Japanese wood sculpture by Sofu Teshigahara, an artist also known as the founder of the Sogetsu School of flower-arranging. A Chinese ink rubbing, an Indian miniature and a Tlingit (Northwest Coast Indian) pattern board complete the display.

Works by Abraham Rattner, a 20th century Jewish expatriate artist, are featured in a solo exhibit in the second alcove, *The Dillard Paper Gallery*. Rattner’s paintings, drawings and prints, which were collected by both the Wellers and the Julians, reflect the artist’s intense spirituality and the impact of his living in Paris among many of the Cubists during the early 20th century.

The third alcove displays a variety of printmaking techniques ranging from a lithograph by Larry Rivers to a drypoint by Mauricio Lasansky. Original prints are also displayed in the last alcove gallery, in an exhibit titled, “An Enduring Spirit: The Art of Three Polish Printmakers.” These images, all created during the 1980s (a decade of martial law in Poland), form a distinctive component of the Permanent Collection.

The History of Guilford College

The land, described as “this majestic wilderness,” was settled in the 1750s by Quakers who named it New Garden. John Woolman, the Quaker missionary who visited the settlers shortly thereafter, called them “planters of truth in the province.”

During the American Revolution this peaceful scene was disturbed by the decisive Battle of Guilford Courthouse, four miles to the north. Quakers cared for the wounded of both sides and buried the dead in New Garden Meeting's cemetery. Today one can see a marker to the unknown British soldiers interred there as well as visit the battlefield, now a national military park.

By the 1830s the majority of Quakers in North Carolina lived in and around Guilford County. They decided to establish a school on a coeducational basis that was chartered in 1834 and opened in 1837 as New Garden Boarding School. The campus later became a station on the Underground Railroad as well as a center of resistance to Confederate conscription and requisitioning efforts. The school never closed during the Civil War, and during Reconstruction, with support from Friends in the North and Great Britain, soon recouped its strength.

This led to the development of Guilford College, the fourth oldest degree-granting institution in North Carolina. The College remained largely isolated until the 1920s, when the old trail to Greensboro became The Friendly Road. The street name still symbolizes the longstanding friendship between town and gown. Today the campus is an area of greenery, quiet and scholarship within Greensboro's city limits. It is one of the very few college campuses in the nation listed by the United States Department of the Interior as a National Historic District.

Eastern Music Festival, in residence on the Guilford College campus, provides an exceptional summer concert series with presentations on campus by professional as well as student musicians.

Close to Guilford are New Garden Friends Meeting, Friendship Friends Meeting, and Friends Homes (a retirement community that provides highly skilled volunteers in several areas of college life as well as internships and employment for Guilford students). North Carolina Yearly Meeting offices are nearby and serve the College community in various capacities.

Also in close proximity to the College is New Garden Friends School, which rounds out the multi-generational community surrounding Guilford and provides additional internship and research possibilities.