## Senior Art Exhibition - Jessica Klemm Nature's Aesthetics

An art hobbyist is how I would describe my approach to art. When I sit down to create a piece, it isn't always the same medium. I draw, I paint, I create collages, I play with photography, graphic design, I don't have a favorite medium, they all are. The only thing that ties all of my work together would be the subject matter that is often portrayed – nature. I've always been drawn to the aesthetics of nature and aesthetics for me is everything. I believe something has to look pretty (a word with varied definitions) to evoke emotion. But nature's aesthetics evokes a level of emotion that is innate to being human; I hope that when my work is analyzed, the viewers will understand and feel the love of the aesthetics of nature.

March 1 thru March 27, 2017 Cordier Auditorium, Lobby North Manchester Campus

Sponsored by the Department of Art Reception Sunday, 2 – 4 p.m., March 5

Gallery Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. daily, while classes are in session.

For more information, contact the artist at jlklemm2017@manchester.edu

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### Artist Bio

Jessica Klemm is a senior at Manchester University, an English major with an art minor. At Manchester, Klemm has been the student graphic designer for the Marketing Department, English Department assistant, co-editor and graphic designer for *Spectrum*, president of Artists Anonymous, and president and historian for Habitat for Humanity. During her time at Manchester, Klemm has presented her exposition, *Apraxia of Speech: The Fight for Words* in the Student Research Symposium (2015) and campus convocation *Senior Series* (2016). Her collage work can be seen in the hallways of the Academic Center, in the English and Economic departments, as well as on the first floor of Funderburg Library.



T-shirt designs by Klemm can be seen throughout Manchester clubs and organizations.

#### Exhibition History Honeywell Photography

2014 – Ideal Shell 2014 – Covered Sidewalks

#### **Honeywell Art Show**

2016 – Fox in a Daisy Field, collage 2017 – Melville's Whale, ceramic

#### **Renaissance in Roanoke**

2015 – Fox in a Daisy Field, collage

#### Spectrum

- 2014 *Beach Bums*, photography
- 2015 *Nature's Harmony*, collage
- 2015 *Poser*, photography
- 2016 The King and the Magician, graphite drawing