INTERLUDE

Fenwick Gallery Online Exhibition
Exhibition Launch November 4, 2015
fenwickgallery.gmu.edu
Curator’s Statement

As the Fenwick Gallery moves to its new location in the recently constructed Fenwick Library addition, we are featuring an exhibition of online video art by Mason Students. The Gallery challenged students to submit a video created exclusively with a smartphone with a running time under 1 minute on the theme “Interlude.” The work is featured online while the physical gallery space is moved to the new building, providing us with a digital interlude between old and new gallery spaces.

Five artists were selected to be featured in the exhibit. Orin Adcox created a simple animation reminiscent of a flipbook in which the illustrated figure encounters a brief interruption. William Dickson’s abstract video piece focuses on the musical component of the theme. Manavi Singh filmed scenes of Mason students in the intervening moments between classes. Sarah Zuckerman and Erica Hopkins captured experiences that were simple pauses in their day, giving us brief moments to stop and reflect.

-Sarah Irvin

Artists

Orin Adcox - 1st Place
William Dickson - 2nd Place
Manavi Singh - Honorable Mention
Sarah Zuckerman
Erica Hopkins.

See the Exhibit:
http://fenwickgallery.gmu.edu/?page_id=2695

Image Cover: William Dickson, Detail of Video Still, Interlude 3, 2015, Running Time 57 seconds
Image Above: Orin Adcox, Detail of Video Still, Super Quick Sticky Note Animation, 2015 Running Time 10 seconds
**interlude**

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1: a usually short simple play or dramatic entertainment
2: an intervening or interruptive period, space, or event: interval
3: a musical composition inserted between the parts of a longer composition, a drama, or a religious service


**Image:** William Dickson, Detail of Video Still, *Interlude* 3, 2015, Running Time 57 seconds
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Synonyms

discontinuity, hiatus, hiccough (also hiccough), interim, gap, intermission, interregnum, interruption, interstice, interval, parenthesis

Antonyms

continuation, continuity


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Origin of INTERLUDE

Middle English enterlude, from Medieval Latin interludium, from Latin inter- + ludus play — more at ludicrous First Known Use: 14th century

Image: Manavi Singh, Video Still, Interlude, 2015, Running Time 56 seconds
About Fenwick Gallery

A SPACE FOR INQUIRY

George Mason University Libraries provides a hybrid, walk-through exhibition space in Fenwick Library to enhance and enrich teaching, learning and culture at the University. This space highlights Mason Libraries’ resources together with original visual and multi-media work.

Exhibit themes emphasize facets of the Libraries’ collections, research interests of Mason faculty, students and staff, Mason’s curriculum and local cultural initiatives. Fenwick Gallery is dedicated to exhibiting high quality works by students, faculty, staff and other emerging and experienced artists that highlight aspects of the Libraries’ collections.

For more information, visit: fenwickgallery.gmu.edu

OUR GOALS

• Promote the Libraries’ collections and encourage scholarly and cultural inquiry at George Mason University
• Focus on research and scholarship at/of George Mason University
• Collaborate and engage with relevant Mason faculty to incorporate and/or embed gallery exhibitions into course instruction
• Stimulate intellectual and creative reflection through visual and multi-media exhibitions, discussions, etc.
• Promote the Libraries’ academic and cultural mission
• Support the Libraries’ development program and goals