



GARDEN STATE VISION

PICTURED ABOVE: DAHLIA ELSAYED - "LOCAL EXITS"

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

celebrates 50 years of excellence and 10 years of the Benjamin J. Dineen III & Dennis C. Hull Gallery.

With great pleasure, the Office of Cultural Affairs has partnered with the Foundation Art Collection to host New Jersey artists from all over the state. The exhibition features the art of alumni whose talents have flourished at HCCC and established artists of various disciplines.

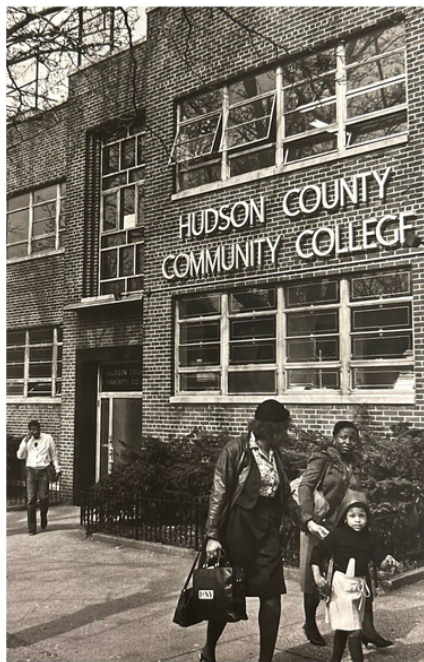
Alumni artists featured are Emily Gonzalez, Roberto Alfonso, Karon Clerk, Sarah Cowell, and Gabriela Gomez, included with renowned artists Juan Sanchez, Chakaia Booker, Willie Cole, and many more.



August 5 - November 7

Benjamin J. Dineen III & Dennis C. Hull Gallery
71 Sip Avenue, 6th floor
Jersey City, NJ 07306





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50 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Hudson County Community College (HCCC), in partnership with the Museum of Jersey City History, proudly presents *Fifty Years of Excellence*, opening to the public on November 7, 2025. The exhibition celebrates the College's half-century anniversary by offering a historical look back, with many 'then and now' moments. Over the years, HCCC's mission and reputation strengthened as an affordable public institution providing quality educational services to community members. Once nicknamed the "College Without Walls" by Joseph Varacalli in the December 1980 issue of the *Hudson Forum*, HCCC helped transform Journal Square into a viable learning neighborhood with the support of local officials and residents alike. This success enabled the expansion of the College's county-wide presence with the opening of additional locations in Secaucus and Union City. Today, the College's motto, 'Hudson is Home', echoes loudly throughout the county.

Special highlights include student honors, faculty achievements, and award-winning programs. For those who attended Hudson for a semester or an associate's degree, one can rekindle fond memories through student newsletters, yearbooks, and HCCC ephemera. For those interested in local history, the exhibit showcases the city's intricate past through media features, architectural plans, and timeless photographs of Journal Square. The artifacts on display serve as a heartfelt thank you to all who believed in, supported, and attended this dynamic institution in an area of constant change over the past five decades.

OPENING RECEPTION: NOVEMBER 7, 2025 3:30-7:30 P.M.

Special Welcoming from Dr. Christopher Reber, HCCC President: 4 p.m.

**Hudson's History with Dr. Nicholas Chiaravalloti, Vice President
for External Affairs and Senior Counsel to the President: 6 p.m.**

Free and open to the public. Autumnal treats to be served.

Museum of Jersey City History - 298 Academy St, Jersey City, NJ 07306



The Hudson County Community College Office of Cultural Affairs would like to express its gratitude to all who assisted in gathering information and objects for this exhibition. Special thanks to the HCCC President's Office, the HCCC Library Archive, community members, HCCC staff and faculty, dedicated students and alumni, the Jersey City Free Public Library New Jersey Room, and the Museum of Jersey City History for making this possible.



Hudson County
Community College proudly presents



HUDSON'S



HISTORY

with

DR. NICHOLAS CHIARAVALLOTTI

Vice President for External Affairs and Senior Council to the President

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 7th, 2025 at 6pm

Museum of Jersey City History - 298 Academy St, Jersey City, NJ 07306

as part of the 50 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE opening reception

FALL 2025 STUDENT ART EXHIBITION

**Kevin Arteaga
Ashley Aybar
Jabyang Bista
Gavin Calderon
Guadalupe Cazares
Isabella Dominguez
Mariana Flor
Kenneth Galeano
Trevor Gidden Jr.
Joshua Guerrero
Erin Purcell
Haytham Sfifa**

**Saskia Solorzano
Alero Tetevi
Elias Torres
Kaylin Liberato
Shishona Long
Ivan Martinez
Cristal Negrón
Janaiyah Ononogbo
Max Villa
Allison Zabala
Simon Zapata**



**HUDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DINEEN HULL GALLERY**

**DECEMBER 2ND – 12TH
TUESDAY – FRIDAY, 11AM TO 4PM**

**FRIDAY DECEMBER 12TH:
ARTIST TALK: 10AM TO 12PM RECEPTION: 12PM TO 3PM**



Holiday

ART MARKET!

VENDORS

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@sharkkmx/@maxtrinkets

Alicia Marin+ Ezine Durugo

Elias Torres

Rosie Mesias

Megha Sanghavi

Lindsey Atento

Alero Tetevi

Open to the
public!
Bring your
friends!

~December 17, 2025~

1:30pm -3:30pm

Hudson County Community College
Dineen Hull Gallery

6th Floor, 71 Sip Avenue Jersey City, NJ 07306

Don't forget to bring your ID to show security!!

