## Jan. 13-31: Kevin Snipes Art Exhibition

**Exhibit is in Conkling Gallery.** 

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Mask 2018 Porcelain plaze underplaze oxide wash

Mankato, Minn. – Artist Kevin Snipes' work will be on display in Minnesota State University, Mankato's Conkling Gallery (located in Nelson Hall 139) from Monday, Jan. 13 through Friday, Jan. 31.

The exhibit is free and open to the public. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday as coverage permits. Please call 507-389-6412 to ensure the gallery is open.

Snipes will deliver an artist's lecture Monday, Jan. 27 at 7 p.m. in Ostrander Auditorium, with a gallery reception immediately following the lecture.

Snipes will be in residence Jan. 27-28 in the Nelson Hall ceramics studios as part of the Art Enrichment and Andreas Endowment Lecture and Residency Series.

Artist information provided by Minnesota State Mankato's Department of Art:

"Kevin Snipes" constructions are at once playful, but suggest apprehensive narratives on the concept of otherness. In his porcelain vessels, Snipes draws references from pop culture as well as an array of historical influences. His work has been exhibited in solo and group shows both nationally and internationally. He has received grants from the Joan Mitchell Foundation, the Ohio Arts Council, the Pittsburgh Foundation and Creative Capital. Snipes is currently a visiting artist at Wesleyan College in Macon, Georgia."

For more information, call the Minnesota State Mankato Department of Art at 507-389-6412. The complete 2019-2020 Conkling Gallery Schedule, list of artist residencies and lecture series is located at <a href="https://carts.mnsu.edu/academics/art/exhibition-schedule/">https://carts.mnsu.edu/academics/art/exhibition-schedule/</a>.

The Minnesota State Mankato Department of Art is part of the University's College of Arts and Humanities.

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