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## **Hugh Morton Panel Discussion and ARTSpectrum Lecture Series Hosted by the Turchin Center**

Boone, NC – Appalachian State University's Turchin Center for the Visual Arts is offering opportunities to learn more about the artists and the works of the exhibitions on display at the center.

### **The Work of Hugh Morton: Panel Discussion, Gallery Tour and Reception**

Saturday, October 5

2-4pm, Turchin Center Lecture Hall

Free and open to the public

Panelists Woody Durham, Jack Hilliard and Betty McCain will hold a discussion on the long-standing career of North Carolina photographer, Hugh Morton. Led by Robert Anthony and Stephen Fletcher of the North Carolina Collection at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. The panel discussion will be followed by gallery tours through the current Hugh Morton exhibition at the Turchin Center and a reception. More information: <http://tcva.org/calendar/events/1121>

### **ARTSpectrum Lecture Series**

A new series at the Turchin Center, ARTSpectrum Lectures, are gallery talks led by the artists exhibiting at the Turchin Center as well as artists leading programs here in our community. These **free** lectures are held on **Wednesdays at 6:30pm** at the Turchin Center. Below is the fall 2013 schedule of lectures. For more information, visit <http://tcva.org/calendar/super/id/1113>.

***Devil's Mark* Reading and Presentation by author, Noyes Capehart**

**October 9**

Author, Noyes Capehart will read excerpts from and discuss his latest book, *Devil's Mark*. There will be a question and answer session following the reading. For more information, visit <http://tcva.org/calendar/events/1122>.

**N.C. Poet Laureate Joseph Bathanti: Poetry Reading & Artist Collaborative Discussion**

**November 6**

Joseph Bathanti shares poetry he wrote in response to Carl Galie's artwork in the upcoming exhibition *Lost on the Road to Oblivion: The Vanishing Beauty of Coal Country*. For more information, visit <http://tcva.org/calendar/events/1118>.

**Hugh Morton's Rise to his Photographic Peak- Stephen J. Fletcher**

**November 13**

Stephen J. Fletcher, North Carolina Collection Photographic Archivist at the Wilson Special Collections Library at UNC-Chapel Hill takes a look at Hugh Morton's photographic career throughout eight decades. For more information, visit <http://tcva.org/calendar/events/1142>.

**Carl Galie: Artist Gallery Talk**

**November 20**

Photographer Carl Galie discusses his work in the upcoming exhibition *Lost on the Road to Oblivion: The Vanishing Beauty of Coal Country*. This exhibition focuses on the controversial practice of mountaintop removal. For more information, visit <http://tcva.org/calendar/events/1120>.

**About the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts**

The Turchin Center for the Visual Arts presents exhibition, education and collection programs that support Appalachian State University's role as a key regional educational, cultural and economic resource.

The Turchin Center is located at 423 West King St., in Boone. Hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Tues.-Thurs. and Saturday, and Noon-8 p.m., Friday. The Center is closed Sunday and Monday, and observes all university holidays. There is no admission charge, although donations are gratefully accepted.

For additional details about the Turchin Center, becoming a donor, the upcoming exhibitions, to be added to the mailing list or to schedule a tour, please call (828) 262-3017 or visit [www.tcva.org](http://www.tcva.org). You can also follow the Turchin Center on Facebook, Twitter @TurchinCenter and Instagram @TurchinCenter.

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