

Ackland Art Museum
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JERRY COTTEN TO GIVE LECTURE ABOUT NORTH CAROLINA'S EARLIEST FEMALE PHOTOGRAPHER

WHAT: Jerry Cotten will be giving a lecture on the work of North Carolina's earliest female photographer Bayard Wooten. He will present a slide show of her photography and discuss his biographical book about her entitled "Light and Air: The Photography of Bayard Wooten."

WHO: Cotten is a leading photography archivist who has worked for the last 12 years at the Smithsonian Institution. He previously worked at UNC-Chapel Hill with the North Carolina Collection in Wilson Library from 1977 to 1993.

WHEN: Friday, Feb. 23, 7:30 p.m.

Scheduled activities:

6:30-7 p.m. Reception and book signing with Jerry Cotten

7:30 p.m. Lecture by Jerry Cotten

WHERE: Ackland Art Museum
101 S. Columbia St.
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
Between Top of the Hill and the Carolina Inn
Parking: Convenient parking is available at several nearby municipal and private parking decks, as well as over 430 metered spaces within a 10-minute walk of the Ackland Art Museum.

NOTE: There will be a display of Bayard Wooten's work in the Museum Foyer Feb. 20-23, 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.

No registration required.
Admission is free.

Appointments are required for all media photographers and videographers using tripods or other equipment. At least a 72-hour notice is requested.

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