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Event: Art exhibit: Sharon Callner (drawing and painting)

Date: On exhibit Tuesday, Sept. 5 - Friday, Sept. 29, 2000
Opening lecture and reception Tuesday, Sept. 5

Time: Gallery Hours: Monday-Friday 12-4 p.m., Tuesday 7-9 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 1-3 p.m.
4 p.m. lecture, 5 p.m. reception, Sept. 5

Location: Wakeley Art Gallery, Joyce Eichhorn Ames School of Art Building, 302 E. Graham St., Bloomington

Admission: Free, open to the public

Background: Callner, a 1965 graduate of Illinois Wesleyan University and former IWU adjunct assistant professor, has exhibited at the Studio Three Gallery, Chicago; the Evanston Art Center, Evanston, Ill. and the Chicagoland Juried Art Exhibit, Skokie, Ill., among others

Her recent works explore the dark, hidden side of human experiences, specifically during World War II. Inspired by a person journal kept by her father-in-law while in the Navy during the war, Callner examines the "effects of time and experience in the formation and unfolding of an individual life."

Callner is the recipient of a Teaching Fellowship at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, Ill. She also earned graduate teaching assistantships at NIU in 1993-1995. She is a member of the Chicago Artists Coalition and the College Art Association.

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