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Photographs by Ron Geibert, assistant professor of art, Wright State University, Dayton, O., will open the exhibition season in the Wakeley Gallery at Illinois Wesleyan University starting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 14.

The show will be open free to the public from 1-4 p.m. daily and 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays through Oct. 17.

Much of Geibert's work, as the artist describes it, is an outgrowth of experiences at county fairs and the state fair in Nebraska, where he earned bachelor's (Creighton) and master's (University of Nebraska) degrees.

Geibert says he attempts to bring his interest in space, color and the human experience into his work. Much of it is "close up" where "I violate the 'personal space' that we all carry about with us. I have examined people and objects in their relationship to the space they occupy. The organization of the subject and 'empty space' is a new challenge."

Geibert has had one-person shows at the LBS Gallery, Columbus, O. and Catskill Center for Photography, Woodstock, N.Y. this year. His works are part of various permanent collections including the Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.; New Orleans Museum of Art; Sheldon Art Gallery and the University of Nebraska, Lincoln.