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The Susquehanna Art Museum mural is underway!



Harrisburg, PA – The Susquehanna Art Museum is delighted to announce that the installation of the iconic mural by artist and Messiah College professor Daniel Finch is scheduled for the weeks of August 10, 17, and 24. Finch's mural design (digital rendering shown above) was completed in the artists' studio on 55 unique 5' x 5' panels and incorporates a combination of symbols "meant to serve as an image of beauty, hope, and optimism regarding Harrisburg's future." The mural was chosen in October, 2014 after more than 1,000 community members submitted their feedback on multiple designs by regional artists.

Thanks to the support of regional organizations such as Messiah College, the Hershey Harrisburg Visitor's Bureau, and the Greater Harrisburg Arts Legacy Fund, a dedication ceremony will be held in SAM's green space on Sunday, September 13 at 5:00 p.m. during Harrisburg's annual Gallery Walk. This event is free and open to the public.

The Susquehanna Art Museum strives to be a cultural anchor for the Central Pennsylvania community in its new location in historic Midtown Harrisburg. Through innovative and engaging exhibitions and experiences for visitors of all ages, SAM inspires life-long learning and community building, both within the walls of the museum and throughout the community. Located at 1401 N. 3rd Street in Harrisburg. SAM is open Tues. through Sat. from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., and Sun. from 12 p.m. – 5 p.m.

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