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Ralph L. Wickiser, A Retrospective at Georgetown University’s Spagnuolo Gallery

WASHINGTON–The Spagnuolo Art Gallery is proud to present a retrospective exhibition of paintings by Ralph L. Wickiser, on view from January 20th – April 3rd, 2016. There will be a Gallery Talk with Walter Wickiser followed by a reception from 6:00 – 8:00 pm on Thursday, February 4th.

Ralph L. Wickiser (1910-1998) gained renown for his ever-evolving style of symbolic art drawn from nature. He was included in numerous solo and group exhibitions during his lifetime including the 1953 Whitney Museum of American Art Annual. Wickiser was Director of Pratt Institute’s Masters of Fine Art program from 1962-75 and held many of New York’s leading artists as friends and colleagues. This retrospective includes fourteen paintings that examine his progression from representational to abstract landscape painting.

About the Gallery
The Spagnuolo Art Gallery is the primary exhibition space for the Department of Art and Art History at Georgetown University. Our mission is to exhibit art by working artists, provide a space for student exhibitions, and sponsor educational arts programming in a setting accessible to the university community. We are located in the Walsh Building, 1221 36th St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20057. Hours are from Wednesday – Friday 12-7, Saturday 12-5, and Sunday 11-4. The gallery is free and open to the public. For additional information, visit us online at http://art.georgetown.edu/galleries.

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