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**Visual Arts Faculty at Ramapo College to Exhibit Their Work**

(MAHWAH, NJ) – An exhibit of works by full-time faculty and one emeritus professor who teach studio art in the School of Contemporary Arts at Ramapo College will open September 12 in the Kresge and Pascal Galleries on campus. There will be an opening reception on September 12 from 5 to 7 p.m.; artists' talks will begin at 6 p.m. The exhibit continues through October 12.

The artists featured include Yolanda del Amo, assistant professor of Art/Digital Photography and Digital Media; David Freund, professor emeritus; Shalom Gorewitz, professor of Video Art and New Media; Ann LePore, assistant professor of Art/3D Design and Animation; Judith Peck, professor of Art; Jackie Skrzynski, assistant Professor of Art/Drawing and Painting; Warner Wada, professor of Painting; and Jay Wholley, professor of Art.

This program is made possible, in part, by funds from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State, a partner agency of the National Endowment for the Arts.

The Kresge and Pascal Galleries are located in the Berrie Center for Performing and Visual Arts at Ramapo College. Hours are Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. and Wednesday, 1 to 7 p.m. For more information call 201.684.7147

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Ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as fifth in the Best Regional Universities North category for public institutions, Ramapo College of New Jersey is sometimes mistaken for a private college. This is, in part, due to its unique interdisciplinary academic structure, its size of approximately 6,008 students and its pastoral setting in the foothills of the Ramapo Mountains on the New Jersey/New York border.

Established in 1969, Ramapo College offers bachelor's degrees in the arts, business, humanities, social sciences and the sciences, as well as in professional studies, which include nursing and social work. In addition, Ramapo College offers courses leading to teacher certification at the elementary and secondary levels. The College also offers

five graduate programs as well as articulated programs with the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, New York Chiropractic College, New York University College of Dentistry, SUNY State College of Optometry and New York College of Podiatric Medicine.