OPENING TODAY in Hodson Gallery | Chronic Mutations by Brian Truesdale @brian\_truesdale\_

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Exhibition: Chronic Mutations, artwork by Brian Truesdale Venue: The Hodson Gallery at Hood College Location: Tatem Arts Center, 401 Rosemont Avenue, Frederick, MD Date: November 13, 2023, through January 5, 2024 Reception: December 1st, from 4-6 pm

(October 30, 2023) Hood College presents Chronic Mutations by Brian Truesdale. The exhibition runs from November 13, 2023, through January 5th, 2024, with a reception to be held on Friday, December 1st from 4-6 pm and an artist talk at 5pm at the Hodson Gallery.

The intensity and rhythm of Brian's abstract art expresses a unique visual language. His work has been featured in eleven solo exhibitions in the past seven years, as well as several group and juried exhibitions throughout the country. Brian was featured in national juried exhibits at the First Street Gallery and Prince Street Gallery in New York as well as the Delaware Contemporary. Brian's solo exhibits have been featured at the Arts Club of Washington in DC and the Susquehanna Art Museum in Harrisburg, PA.

"My art has a conscious process, but it's not just an intellectual exercise. It's about the feeling or emotional response you get from viewing the work. The great rewards of art are the sharing of the human spirit and the experience of sensation and discovery. So much in this life is so distant and disconnected that if a piece is compelling, if it can elicit a visceral response in a viewer, then it has succeeded." – Brian Truesdale. This exhibition was supported by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC).

Brian's work can be viewed here: <u>https://www.briantruesdale.com/portfolio</u>.

Hood College's Hodson and Whitaker Galleries regularly present exhibitions of contemporary and historical art, including the work of students, faculty, and nationally and internationally recognized artists. The Hodson Gallery at Tatem Arts Center is open daily from 9 am to 7 pm.