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For Position Only – Design Studies Alumni Show

Edmonton – “For Position Only” or “FPO” is a term stamped on graphic design and commercial design layouts to indicate that the imagery is not yet confirmed or complete. As a marker of work in progress, the term represents the methods designers use to transition from an initial idea to the final product.

For Position Only features the work and processes of MacEwan University Design Studies alumni,” said Carolyn Jervis, director of the university’s John and Maggie Michell Art Gallery. “The exhibition will showcase a selection of alumni who have distinguished themselves in a variety of disciplines, and provides a behind-the-scenes look at how each designer approaches moving from process to product.”

From video game character design, to illustration, book design and photography, the exhibition showcases the ways in which these alumni designers engage in the creative process and innovation in their work.

For Position Only will feature the works of Adam Goudreau, Janet King, Jenn Kitagawa, AJA Louden, Elliot Mallon, Robyn Stuart, Jeff Sylvester, and Amanda Schutz.

When: January 12 – March 9
Where: John and Maggie Mitchell Art Gallery, Allard Hall (11110-104 Avenue)

The opening reception will be held on January 11
Time: 7 – 9 p.m.

For Position Only is a free event and open to the public.

Gallery hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 12 - 5 p.m.; closed Monday and statutory holidays.

The opening of Allard Hall in September 2017 marks the beginning of a year of celebration for MacEwan University. With the relocation of the Faculty of Fine Arts and Communications to City Centre Campus, our university community has come together in downtown Edmonton. Allard Hall features exciting new purpose-built learning spaces for students and dynamic performance and exhibition spaces for the community, including a 419-seat theatre, theatre lab, recital hall, art gallery and recording studio. MacEwan University is moving the arts downtown. MacEwan.ca/ComeTogether.

Founded in 1971, MacEwan University inspires its students with a powerful combination of academic excellence and personal learning experiences. Offering more than 65 programs including undergraduate degrees, applied degrees, diplomas, certificates, continuing education and corporate training, the university provides a transformative education in a creative, collaborative and supportive learning environment where creativity and innovation thrive. Located in Edmonton, Alberta Canada, MacEwan University offers a unique student experience that opens up diverse pathways for achievement and growth.

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