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Local Artist, Angie To, Displays Work at St. James Mercy Hospital

January 24, 2014...Hornell, NY... Local artist, Angela To of Hornell, has loaned a collection of her original paintings to St. James Mercy Hospital for display in the lobby and emergency room hallway.

A professor of art at Alfred University, To has exhibited her work throughout the state and regionally including venues at Chautauqua Institution, Cazenovia College, Jamestown Community College, and various galleries in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Canada.

“We are delighted to display the work of an artist of Ms. To’s caliber for our patients and visitors,” said Sylvia Bryant, VP Mission Integration and Community Outreach. “This is the third art exhibit at SJMH in the last year, and we appreciate the local art community’s willingness to loan their work to enhance our facility.”

To’s paintings demonstrate expressive brushwork and a surreal quality of light. “The images are developed through layering riotous color with ordered pattern,” she said. “My recent work includes botanical silhouettes with lush backgrounds, created with layers of acrylic paint on birch plywood and finished with epoxy resin, producing a very durable and luminous finish.”

A native of Hong Kong, To studied fine art at Alberta College of Art and Design in Calgary, Canada, and later earned her Masters of Fine Arts from Ohio State University. She remained in the United States to pursue her burgeoning studio practice and a teaching career. Her work is collected in the U.S. and Canada, and she has a studio in Hornell. The paintings will be on display at the hospital through early spring.

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Paintings of Hornell artist Angela To are now on display at St. James Mercy Hospital.