## THE WESTERN GALLERY

Fine Arts Complex, Western Washington University

\*FALL 1998\*
Wednesday, September 30 - Wednesday, November 18, 1998

REVIEW/PREVIEW: FACULTY/DEPARTMENT OF ART
Faculty in the Department of Art present a wide range of work
representing concepts which they have been pursuing in their own
studios and/or exhibiting beyond Western.

\*WINTER 1999\*
Tuesday, January 5 - Wednesday, February 10

FOCUS ON WWU COLLECTIONS I: THE LAST FIVE DECADES
As a founding member of the Washington Art Consortium, Western owns with six other institutions an extraordinary group of American works on paper 1945-1975. Recent gifts from Richard Aiken and the Estate of Mary Margaret Aiken expand this Consortium collection into the eighties and nineties. International designers from Western's well known chair collection amplify this review of art of the last half of the 20th century. [Holiday, closed Jan. 18]

Monday, February 22 - Saturday, March 20

FOCUS ON WWU COLLECTIONS II: THE CLOSE-UP
With the opportunity to borrow a large collection of
documentary photographs by Weegee (Arthur Fellig), the Western
Gallery reviews its own collections to find a similar theme of "the
close-up."

## \*SPRING 1999\*

ARTIST/AUTHOR: CONTEMPORARY ARTISTS' BOOKS
Section I: Northwest Artist/Authors
Monday, March 29 - Friday, May 28
Section II: International Artist/Authors, an exhibition of The American Federation of Arts, NYC Friday, April 30 - Saturday, June 26

Once the exclusive province of writers, designers, and curators, the book format has become, at the end of the 20th century, a medium for the artistic intent of many contemporary artists. This spring exhibition was initiated by The American Federation of Arts, New York. In a different section, the Western Gallery will also be highlighting Northwest artists who work in this format. [Holidays, closed May 29-31]

\*GALLERY HOURS\*

Monday through Friday, 10am-4pm

Saturday, 12-4pm

Gallery open while WWU in session; closed holidays

Information: 650-3963