ART WALL

Broward College and Florida Atlantic University are collaborating on a free public street art exhibition that aims to bring more public art to downtown. The exhibition, “This is a Canvas,” will showcase different artists’ work throughout the year on a 90-foot-wide wall at the Willis Holcombe Center, 111 E. Las Olas Blvd.

“The idea is to bring more public art into the heart of downtown Fort Lauderdale in a dynamic way that reflects the changing identity of the city, as well as create a dialogue between the creators and public,” says Jonathan Morgan, liaison and adjunct professor in Broward College’s Visual and Performing Arts Department.

Henning Haupt, Luis A. Gutierrez, Tyler K. Smith, Charlotte Malone and Naghmeh Goorazari will set the stage as the exhibition’s first cycle of contributors. Visitors are welcome to stop by the site to speak with and see the artists as they work.

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IMAX, YOU MAX, WE ALL MAX

Since the addition of a new digital projection system, the Museum of Discovery and Science’s AutoNation IMAX 3D Theater is able to show more Hollywood films. The summer’s recently announced lineup includes Furius 7, Avengers: Age of Ultron and Jurassic World.

About $2 million went into renovating IMAX 3D Theater last year. Educational documentaries and current blockbusters are now being projected from a new 60-by-80 screen — and it’s not just the screen that’s gotten an update. The museum installed new luxury seats, a new sound system with additional speakers and a digital projector in addition to replacing the screen and redoing the acoustic baffles.

“I characterize [the AutoNation IMAX 3D Theater] in some ways as our biggest exhibit in a sense, because we can put things on the screen that can give you a wonderful educational experience and at the same time a fantastic entertainment experience,” says Kim Cavendish, the museum’s president and CEO.

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