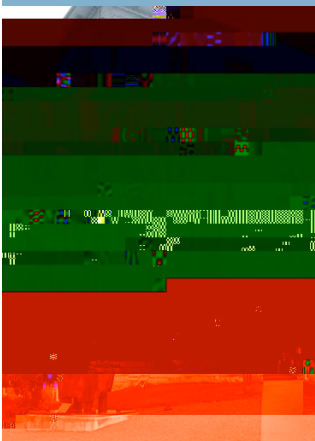




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ENTERING THE HOME of retired faculty artist Robert Hamilton in November 2014 was like opening an early holiday present. On the

walls and around the floor of one room were 31 works of art that Mr. Hamilton has donated to the University Museum from his personal collection, including several of his own mixed media sculptures and pieces of sculptural jewelry.

Paintings, drawings, and original prints by past IUP faculty artists Robert Cronauer, James Innes, Orval Kipp, Joanne Lovett, Jean Slenker, and Ned Wert were included in this and other gifts to the museum since July 2013 – a total of 48 art works donated.

Also among the works in the Hamilton gift were six drawings by Milton Bancroft, an American artist who was active early in the

20th century. Bancroft made these drawings in France at the end of World War I, where he sketched the devastated landscapes of the battle zone and the activities of French citizens and American soldiers at the war's end.

The other gifts to the museum included a gouache painting of the exotic **Horned Guan, Mexico**, donated by bird artist and preserva-
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