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**BOCA RATON PUBLIC LIBRARY – DOWNTOWN  
PRESENTS “STUDENT VIEWS OF SOUTH FLORIDA AND THE WORLD:  
PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BOCA RATON COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL”  
MAY 1–31, 2017**

(Boca Raton, FL) – The Boca Raton Public Library is pleased to announce a new photographic exhibit, “Student Views of South Florida and the World: Photography from Boca Raton Community High School.” Visitors to the Art in Public Places area of the Downtown Library will be able to view a variety of photographs taken by the students in Boca High’s esteemed photography program.

Boca Raton Community High School has more than 500 students taking photography for college credit through the College Board in the United States and Cambridge University in England. Students learn the elements and principles of art; how to properly use cameras and photographic techniques; and how to process their images using Photoshop. The program is a 3-year course of study taught by five instructors, which also includes industry certification in Photoshop. The students compete in—and frequently win—numerous photo contests. They also serve the school’s yearbook, newspaper and athletic programs.

“The high caliber of the artwork created by Boca High’s photography students will impress visitors with its depth and creativity,” notes Oyuki Poletz, Program Services Librarian. “Kudos to photography teacher Rob Sweeten for his leadership in bringing these exceptional pictures to our community.”

This is the fourth year the library has showcased the work of our local photography students. This free exhibit will run from May 1–31 at the Downtown Library, 400 NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, during regular library hours.



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