Inspired Women!

THE UAHUNTSVILLE RUTH HINDMAN WOMEN'S STUDIES ART AWARD 2011









Students in grades 10-12 are invited to enter a **Tournament-Day** art contest occurring at the same time as the regular competition. The prize is a \$100 award for a work of art honoring a contemporary or historical woman, or that deals with the experiences of girls or women. In addition to submitting the artwork at **Tournament Day**, entrants for this prize must provide a brief written artist's statement (250-500 words) about why they chose their subject and how it relates to an inspiring woman, or to the experiences of girls or women. It would be helpful to the judges to have the artist's statement e-mailed ahead of time to: art@uah.edu. Be sure to include the name of the student, teacher, and school in the e-mail, as well as the **title** of the artwork to be brought on **Tournament Day**. If you cannot e-mail your artist's statement, please bring a copy with you on Wednesday, April 13, to be handed in with your artwork at Wilson Hall on the UAHuntsville campus.

For those competing at **Tournament Day**, this entry will count as the student's **ONE** artwork, and will be eligible for some of the other prizes, too, depending on the medium. The entry will be judged on both content and artistic merit. The judges will be looking for a truly outstanding work of art. Works by all students, male and female, will be considered for this award as long as they deal with women's history, women who inspire, or women's/girls' experiences, and are accompanied by an artist's statement.

All entries will be juried and exhibited during UAHuntsville's Liberal Arts **Tournament Day** in Wilson Hall on <u>April 13, 2011</u>.

PLEASE CALL THE UAH DEPT. OF ART & ART HISTORY AT 256.824.6114 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE RUTH HINDMAN WOMEN'S STUDIES ART AWARD.