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NEW AMAG EXHIBIT FEATURES 'EAT DRAW PLAY' BY TATTFOO TAN

(SPARKILL, NY –January 2, 2008) – St. Thomas Aquinas College's Azarian-McCullough Art Gallery will display Tattfoo Tan's show, titled "Eat Draw Play", from January 22 through February 17. The Gallery will host an Artist's Reception on Thursday, January 31 from 4:30-7:30 p.m., announced Dr. Carl Rattner, the A.M.A.G. Director. The show is open free to the community.

Tan creates what he refers to as "cultural hybrids" - amalgams of the old and new. For example, he has explored his Chinese roots with reference to traditional symbols, but has employed unusual media and methods; in one case, a hair dryer to create calligraphic patterns onto heat sensitive paper.

His interactive installation at the Gallery, "Eat, Draw, Play", will use food as a catalyst for creative activity. Viewers will be invited to participate in the creation of this installation.

For regular hours, more information, or for other times for groups, call the Azarian-McCullough Art Gallery at 845-398-4195.