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Art Exhibit Opens at NCAR

Boulder, Colorado---Paintings and prints by a Denver artist, Gayle Nichols, have been selected as the first in a series of one-person shows to be exhibited by the National Center for Atmospheric Research under its new community art exhibit program.

Ms. Nichols' work will be shown through February 28 in the second-floor lobby of the NCAR Mesa Laboratory, which is located at the west end of Table Mesa Drive in southwest Boulder.

A graduate of the University of Kansas, Ms. Nichols has also studied painting and printmaking at the University of Colorado Denver Center and is currently doing graduate work at the University of Denver. She is represented by the Brena Gallery in Denver and the Miller Gallery in Cincinnati, Ohio. Her work has been shown at the Denver Art Museum and at various shows in the Denver area.

The NCAR show includes large-scale acrylic and oil paintings and silk-screen prints, but Ms. Nichols also works in a variety of other media. She says that the paintings exhibited at NCAR "represent an attempt to create strong sensory images through the use of intense colors, large scale and bold design elements."

Other artists whose work will be shown at NCAR over the next five months are Howard Crosslen, Sybil Moschetti, David Fox, and Sibylla Mathews, all of Boulder. Their work was selected by an NCAR jury in January. NCAR will announce plans for its community art exhibit program for the last half of 1975 in the spring.

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