



# AKILLIAN GALLERY PRESS RELEASE

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## **AIGA BoNE Show Speakers draw a crowd**

Students and guests filled the Akillian Gallery at Massasoit's Canton Campus to hear Tracy Swyst, AIGA Boston, Director of Operations, and Andrew Dunn, Graphic Designer at Boston University speak about the field of Graphic Design and how the AIGA serves the profession. This Gallery Talk and Reception held on Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> highlighted the BoNE Show on the Road, on exhibit through November 16<sup>th</sup>. The AIGA BoNE Show, (Best of New England), started as a graphic design competition opened to all graphic arts students and professionals in the New England area. Later the AIGA, American Institute of Graphic Arts, collected all the award winning pieces from this biennial venue followed by a traveling show. This prestigious competition includes some of the great creative designers in New England. After its opening this past June at Boston University, Massasoit is the second stop for BoNE Show on the Road, next stop Connecticut. This is the third time in six years Massasoit was selected by the AIGA to host the BoNE Show. The Akillian Gallery is located at Massasoit Community College, 900 Randolph St. in Canton. Hours: Monday – Friday, 10:00 to 2:00pm, or by appointment. Restrictions may occur due to campus events scheduled in the gallery. For more information call 781-821-2222, Ext. 2124 or visit [www.massasoit.mass.edu](http://www.massasoit.mass.edu)