

## The Passaic County Cultural & Heritage Council at PASSAIC COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

**Presents** 

## FOX TALK An Exhibition of Drawings and Paintings by Ashley Kesling

May 5 – June 30, 2010 Broadway & LRC Galleries PCCC - Broadway at Memorial Drive Paterson, NJ

Gallery Hours\*
Mon-Fri 9:00 am – 9:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Admission Free

Artist's Reception – May 6 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Free and Open to the Public



Fox Talk, acrylic and marker on wood. Ashley Kesling

**Ashley Kesling** believes that humans have lost their ability to see the true nature of their surroundings. Her work is primarily about the communication between animals. Using color, line, and pattern she presents animals the way they see one another and the world around them. She says, "My intense connection with animals stems from my childhood. My mother, who has Cherokee ancestry, instilled in me a great respect for fur and feather alike with beautiful Native American folk stories, and the patterns I use in my work are influenced by traditional Native American pattern work." See more of the artist's drawings and paintings at <a href="https://www.ashleykesling.com">www.ashleykesling.com</a>.

Kesling has exhibited her work at Flux Factory, Long Island City, NY; Heidi Cho Gallery, NYC; Artists Space, NYC, and is currently participating in *Emerging Patterns* at 14 Maple Gallery, Morristown, NJ. She holds a B.A. in Studio Art from Wake Forest University and M.F.A. in Painting from Parsons School of Design. Kesling is currently the Local Arts Development Coordinator of the Passaic County Cultural & Heritage Council at Passaic County Community College in Paterson, NJ.

## Information:

Jane Haw Gallery Curator 973-684-5448

www.pccc.edu/art/gallery

\*The PCCC Art Galleries strive to maintain a barrier-free facility including complete access for patrons using wheelchairs.

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