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The ROCK

Tricia Bishop

Job: Instructor of art.

Joined SRU: Fall 2010.

Background: I was reared in the southern Caribbean Island of Grenada. I moved to the U.S. in 1995 to attend Howard University, where my artistic focus changed from graphic design and painting to sculpture and ceramics. I received my master's degree from Syracuse University.

Person(s) I would most like to have dinner with: Elizabeth Catlett, African-American sculptor and printmaker. She recently passed away at age 92.

Why I work at The Rock: I was hired at SRU in a temporary instructor position in fall 2010 and will begin a tenure tract assistant professor position in fall 2012. The Slippery Rock University and surrounding community, students and my colleagues at the art department are the major contributing factors in my decision to accept a tenure tract position at SRU. I feel very fortunate to have a supportive work environment, opportunities to continue producing my personal artwork and a community that is comfortable for my family.

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