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PATRICK CROUCH IN CONCERT

Showing at the Eisemann Center's Green Mezzanine Gallery Jun. 3-Aug. 2, 2010

RICHARDSON – Artist Patrick Crouch of Dallas, Texas will be exhibiting his paintings through August 2, 2010 in the Green Mezzanine-Gallery at the Charles W. Eisemann Center for Performing Arts. The art of Patrick Crouch embellishes and articulates the rich visual heritage of the African American culture. With a unique voice and utilization of various styles, this artist surrenders his love for creating, which allows his audience to experience his passion.

Patrick Crouch was born in 1975 in Dallas, Texas. He received his undergraduate BFA degree in Painting from Texas A&M University in Commerce, Texas. Mr. Crouch has continued to take extensive studio art courses and art history classes to widen his range of interests and abilities in addition to attending graduate school. Currently teaching advanced placement art at Skyline High School in Dallas, Patrick often donates his work and provides workshops and lectures to raise money for various not-for-profit organizations.

Patrick Crouch prefers a simple style of painting that conveys innocence and honesty through the use of vibrant colors, stylized patterns, unique shapes and the addition of fabric and other raw materials. His work has been greatly influenced by the creations of master artist Romare Bearden.

The art of Patrick Crouch has been exhibited throughout the major markets in the United States. His work has gone beyond painting into ceramics, painted pottery, book illustration, clothing design, residential and commercial murals and furniture.

Patrick Crouch in Concert will be on exhibit at the Eisemann Center's Green Mezzanine Gallery from June 3 through August 2, 2010. The exhibit is free and open to the public. Gallery hours are 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Monday through Saturday and during all public events. The Charles W. Eisemann Center is located at 2351 Performance Drive, Richardson, Texas 75082 in the Galatyn Park Urban Center adjacent to the Galatyn Park DART rail station. For more information on exhibits and events, visit the website at **www.eisemanncenter.com**.

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