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## Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art "Art of the Athlete (AofA)"

### Going Well:

This program provides engagement across campus and the community. Participation is growing.



### Project Description:

The Art of the Athlete program works with UO student-athletes throughout the year in workshops where they explore identity, culture, and race through art. These students serve as mentors working with our Art Heals program, World of Work high school internship program, and curatorial projects at JSMA.

### Lesson Learned:

By providing outreach services to the Boys and Girls Club in Seattle and Coos Bay we have seen how college athletes can mentor at risk youth through the visual arts.

### Challenge:

One challenge is coordinating the schedules of student athletes who have a variety of commitments.

