## Sculptures explore Mexico

Two sculptures exploring differing aspects of 20th Century Mexico will be unveiled at Thomas & Sons Gallery of Latin American Folk Art during the weekend of Sept. 28 and 29.

A bright red steel sculpture by famed Mexico City artist Sebastian is reminiscent of his abstract pieces that can be found in public places in Dallas, Denver, Brazil, Japan and Belize.

Sebastian is considered one of the leading contemporary sculptors of Latin America. The sculpture was secured with the help of Cheryl Natzmer, special events coordinator at Schuler Books in Okemos, who is a personal friend of the artist.

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The 21-inch case with molded doors explores Lawrence's travels — especially his Mexican adventures — his relationship to women and his feelings about his own sexuality.

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## **East Lansing**

Mexican sculptures displayed this weekend

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Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

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## From the artist's corner . . .

Susan Hensel has won a place in a new juried art collection of works by artists being exhibited on CD-ROM.

The publisher, Art Communication International, is a Philadelphiabased company that would like to change the way people acquire art by making it available on a computer CD-ROM drive and/or the Internet.

Susan, an East Lansing artist, has two entries on the compact disk: "George's Banana" and "Letters of Obsession," both of which are original limited edition artist's books on handmade paper.

Susan has her work in galleries and collections from New York to California.

Her next scheduled Michigan show will be in South Haven next year.