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Birmingham Chapter Holiday Reception Invitation

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**The Birmingham Chapter of Rhodes College
invites you to a Holiday Reception
for area alumni, parents and friends**

**Thursday, December 6, 2012
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

**Birmingham Museum of Art
in the Members Room (Second Floor)
2000 Rev. Abraham Woods, Jr. Boulevard**

**As a special treat, Dr. Graham C. Boettcher,
Curator of *Norman Rockwell's America*,
will offer remarks at 6:00 p.m.**

Reception and exhibition admission is \$30 per person, \$18 for museum members. Alumni graduating between 2003-2012 pay \$25; \$13 for museum members. Exhibition tickets must be purchased in advance.

**Please register online by December 3, 2012, at
alumni.rhodes.edu/bma
or call (901) 843-3285 for more information**

Norman Rockwell's America is on display at the Birmingham Museum of Art until January 6, 2013 and offers an in-depth look at the life and work of America's favorite illustrator. Rockwell's six-decade career coincided with one of the most eventful periods in American history, spanning four wars, the Great Depression, the space race and the civil rights movement, all vividly depicted in his work. The exhibition includes 52 original paintings and drawings, and all 323 *Saturday Evening Post* covers Rockwell created between 1916 and 1963.

Graham C. Boettcher is the William Cary Hulsey Curator of American Art at the Birmingham Museum of Art. He received his Ph.D. from Yale University; M.A. from the University of Washington; and B.A. from Yale University. His area of expertise is American fine and decorative arts made before 1945.