## **Cover Design Artist Statement**

## "Sunny Days"

The cover image of "Sunny Days" depicts the true beauty of FAU's "backyard." Being 1.8 miles from the coastline, students have found that the beach is their home. Whether it's to lay out and soak up the sun, meet up with friends for bonfires, surf, or for a therapeutic spot to distance themselves from the stress of the real world; college life within FAU cannot get any better. By taking a creative way of expressing the elements of the environment, one can display a jaw-dropping image. The ocean provides priceless memories that most people take for granted. Beauty is everywhere you look; all it takes is to stop for one moment and appreciate it from another perspective. As an artist, my mission is to inspire others through the memories I have lived.

## —Henry Bliss, Undergraduate Student Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Letters

