

DEPARTMENT OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES PRESENTS  
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# REVERBERATIONS



**ROOTS OF  
ROCK AND ROLL**  
Rock and roll is rooted in the blues of Mississippi. The Mississippi Jook Band (brothers Roosevelt and Uaroy Graves and pianist Cooney Vaughan) earned a niche in the annals of rock after they recorded in Hattiesburg in 1936, nearly two decades before rock and roll exploded in the 1950s. *The Roots*, Steve *Illustrated History of Rock & Roll* features their blues recordings "featuring" rock and roll guitar.

**AN EXPLORATION OF  
ACOUSTICS IN THE SOCIAL  
AND NATURAL ENVIRONMENT**

**AN INTERACTIVE EXHIBIT  
IN COOK GALLERY  
APRIL 1 – APRIL 30**

**Opening reception Friday, April 1, 4-6 p.m.  
Cook Gallery in Cook Library, Southern Miss**

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