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In addition to teaching, Mrs. Ivchenko is a professional artist, with shows in galleries, and has had museum installations. Some of her displays include work at Trenton Art Works, Johnson and Johnson World Headquarters and the Historic Speedwell Village Museum.