ART ARRAY - 21

Juried Exhibition Sponsored by Muscatine County Arts Council & Muscatine Art Center

Exhibition Location
Muscatine Art Center
1314 Mulberry Avenue
Muscatine, IA. 52761

Eligibility
Open to all artists within a 50 mile radius of Muscatine, Iowa.

Important Dates
January 15, 2021 Application(s) & Entry Fee(s) due
February 12, 2021 Notification of acceptance
March 4-12, 2021 Delivery of artwork to Muscatine Art Center
March 18, 2021 Opening celebration
March 18 – May 30, 2021 Exhibition
June 2-10, 2021 Pick up artwork at Muscatine Art Center

Jurying Process
2-Dimensional artwork for Art Array Exhibit 21 will be selected by a panel of jurors.
The jurors will consider each piece based upon original concept, materials, technique, and impact. Note: Not all entries are guaranteed acceptance.

Jurors
Vanessa Sage, Assistant Curator, Figge Art Museum
Joshua Johnson, Assistant Registrar, Figge Art Museum

Cash Prizes
First place $500
Second place $300
Third place $200
**Submission Procedure**

For consideration in *Art Array Exhibit 21*, please submit the following:

Completed application form(s) and jury fee(s) of $25 per entry.

A maximum of two works per artist will be considered.

1. **E-mail:** Artwork images and completed application(s) should be submitted as attached files and emailed to Artarray21@gmail.com
2. **Digital images of artwork (required) to be considered should be PC-readable, .jpg format and approximately 200 dpi.** Artwork files MUST be labeled with Artist’s Name-1, Artist’s Name-2, and Title.
3. **Mail:** Non-refundable Jury fee(s) *only* should payable to “Muscatine County Arts Council” and mailed to: Muscatine County Arts Council - Attention: Angela Woodhouse P O Box 815 Muscatine, IA 52761
4. **The phone number for Art Array Exhibit 21** is 563-263-8282 – the Muscatine Art Center.

**Important Information**

**Installation**

All 2-Dimensional artwork must be ready for hanging. If a work requires special equipment or instructions, the artist is responsible for providing these items at the time of delivery. Please use Plexiglass if possible and **attach appropriate hanging hardware - the Art Center will not add hanging hardware to any artwork.** 2D art works must weigh no more than 25 pounds. The maximum overall size of submitted works must be no larger than 40 inches. The Muscatine Art Center reserves the right not to install any piece deemed not fit for exhibition due to concern about the safety of the piece.

**Insurance**

Neither the Muscatine Art Center nor the Muscatine County Arts Council provide insurance for lost or damaged artwork.

**Delivery/Shipping**

Delivery of artwork selected for the exhibit is the artist’s responsibility. Artwork can be delivered from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. **March 4-12** in the lobby of the Muscatine Art Center, 1314 Mulberry Avenue, Muscatine, Iowa. If artworks are to be delivered on Monday, March 8th (a day the Art Center is closed to the public), please call the Art Center number and staff will allow entrance. Artworks that are shipped, must arrive at the Art Center by March 12th, 2021 and must include pre-paid return postage, for inclusion in the exhibit.

**Pickup**

Pickup of artwork selected for the exhibit is the artist’s responsibility. Artwork must be picked up between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on **June 2 – 10** in the lobby of the Muscatine Art Center. If artworks are to be picked up on Monday, June 7th (a day the Art Center is closed to the public), please call the Art Center number and staff will allow entrance.
Application for Entry to Art Array—21

Receipt and Disclaimer

Name_____________________________________________________________

Address___________________________________________________________

City____________________________  State___________________________

Phone_________________________  Date_______________________________

Email__________________________  Jury Fee $25.00____________________

Artwork #1 Title____________________________________________________

Please list dimensions, weight (if excessive), medium and date.

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Receipt and Disclaimer

Name_____________________________________________________________

Address___________________________________________________________

City____________________________ State_________________________

Phone________________________ Date______________________________

Email________________________ Jury Fee $25___________________

Artwork #2 Title____________________________________________________

Please list dimensions, weight (if excessive), medium and date.

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Checklist of Submission Requirements

_____ A maximum of 2 works will be considered.

*Email: Artwork and application emailed as attached files to:

Artarray21@gmail.com

Include with submission:

_____ Image list that includes title, medium, date, dimensions and artist name.

_____ Non-refundable check for $25.00 per entry (for jury fee) payable to Muscatine County Arts Council. Mail to: Muscatine County Arts Council, Attention: Angela Woodhouse, P O Box 815, Muscatine, IA 52761.

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I, ________________________________, have read and agree with the terms listed below which outline the expectations and responsibilities regarding my artwork submission to be juried and exhibited for Art Array –21.

1) I am responsible for submitting artwork that is appropriately prepared to be exhibited (framed and/or affixed with appropriate hanging hardware to be hung on the wall – the Art Center will not add hanging hardware to any artwork.). I certify that my artwork is in sound condition, composed of suitable materials, and able to withstand the ordinary strains of handling, movement, and display consistent with the exhibition of artwork. Artwork may be no larger than 40” wide or tall and must be less than 25 lbs. in weight.

2) I am responsible for the timely display and pickup of my artwork in accordance with the Muscatine Art Center schedule and I understand that the Muscatine Art Center will not store my artwork before or after the show except as deemed reasonable.

3) I will not hold the Muscatine Art Center responsible for any loss, damage, or repair to the artwork that has been accepted into the exhibition, and under no circumstances or conditions is my artwork insured for any purpose by the Muscatine Art Center except where applicable under the Muscatine Art Center’s Commercial General Liability policy.

4) I understand that my artwork may be listed on my artist’s vita as having been included in the Muscatine County Arts Council’s Art Array –21.

5) I understand that my selected artwork may be used as publicity, with appropriate artist acknowledgment, for the exhibition and as part of Art Array –21.

Signature____________________________________________________

Date________________________________________________________