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Celebration of the Arts

Entry Form

The Kentucky Museum Friends
invite you to enter the



Open Art Exhibition
March 2 -April 5, 2019

This competitive exhibition is open to all residents 18 years of age or older, living in a Kentucky county which falls within a 65-mile radius of Bowling Green. The exhibition is located at the Kentucky Museum on the Western Kentucky University campus in Bowling Green.

Additional Sponsors Include:
Dorothy Grider Art Exhibition Fund

Opening Reception & Awards Ceremony
For artists, their families, friends, and the community

Friday, March 1

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Remarks and Awards

7:00 p.m.

Kentucky Museum Hours:
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

For additional information, contact
Charles Hurst (270) 745-6084
charles.hurst@wku.edu

Enter online at wku.edu/kentuckymuseum/celebration.php.
Entry forms are also available at the Kentucky Museum
and at US Bank locations.

Autumn Minor, *Resistant Tear*, 2017
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WKU Kentucky Museum
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Bowling Green, KY 42101-1092

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The logo features the "usbank" name in a bold, sans-serif font, with "us" in red and "bank" in blue. Below it, the words "CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS" are written in a large, bold, sans-serif font. At the bottom, the words "the Kentucky Museum" are written in a smaller, sans-serif font.

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ENTRIES DUE
February 8, 2019

EXHIBITION DATES
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ELIGIBILITY

All residents 18 years of age or older, living in a Kentucky county within a 65-mile radius of Bowling Green.
***ONE ENTRY PER ARTIST.** One may enter as a Professional or Amateur artist.

- Professional Artists include college students, persons with significant art training, and persons who regularly sell their work.
- Amateur Artists include persons with limited art training who enjoy art as a hobby.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ORIGINAL (NO COPIES OF OTHER ARTISTS' WORK) AND COMPLETED DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS. Greenware, utilitarian kits, and craft items are not eligible. Exhibit organizers reserve the right to determine appropriate categories and to disqualify work from consideration that does not meet acceptable standards or poses installation issues. Artwork substantially based on existing media such as characters in graphic novels, movies, television, and novels will not be accepted. No promotional materials accepted. No wrapping or packaging materials may be left at the museum.

CATEGORIES
Only one entry per artist permitted.

- PAINTING
- CERAMICS and GLASS
- WATERCOLOR
- SCULPTURE
- WORKS ON PAPER
- MIXED MEDIA
- FIBER ARTS
- PHOTOGRAPHY

Video, Slide, and CD presentations will not be accepted.

LIABILITY

Reasonable precautions will be taken in handling entries, but the Kentucky Museum is not responsible for the loss of or damage to submitted works. Artists should arrange for their own insurance. Unclaimed artwork becomes the property of the Kentucky Museum 30 days after the exhibition closes.

HANGING SPECIFICATIONS

All framed entries must be prepared for hanging with properly-sized eyelets and wire. Other works intended to hang must have appropriate hanging devices. Entries not properly prepared or those presenting handling or installation issues will not be accepted. Please inquire for works with special installation requirements.

**NOTE: Plexiglass is strongly recommended for works larger than 24 inches.*

AGREEMENT

Accepted work must remain on exhibition between March 2 - April 5, 2019. The exhibition committee reserves the right to reject any work that does not meet the criteria set forth in the brochure. Organizers reserve the right to reproduce any work submitted for educational or promotional purposes. Submission of any entry to the 2019 Open Art Exhibition will be understood to indicate agreement on the part of the artist with all conditions set forth within this brochure.

DELIVERY AND RETURN

All works must be hand delivered and picked up by the artist on the dates listed on the *Celebration of the Arts* Calendar. No work will be released to anyone other than the artist without permission from the artist.

SALES POLICY

The Kentucky Museum is working towards accreditation by the American Alliance of Museums and is therefore unable to sell artwork at the exhibition.

ENTRY FORM AND FEE

Please complete the Entry Form and return it with a non-refundable Entry Fee of \$20.00 to:

WKU Foundation c/o
Kentucky Museum
1906 College Heights Blvd. #11092
Bowling Green, KY 42101-1092

- Entries must be received no later than Friday, February 8, 2019.
ABSOLUTELY NO CORRECTIONS OR SUBSTITUTIONS

ART SHOW CALENDAR

Friday, February 8	Deadline for receiving entry forms and payment
Friday, February 15	Hand deliver artwork to Kentucky Museum 9:00 a.m - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 16	Judge selects awards
Friday, March 1	Opening Reception 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Awards at 7:00 p.m.
March 2-April 5	Exhibition Dates (see Museum Hours)
April 6	Pick up artwork 10:00 - 4:00 p.m.

AWARDS & PRIZES

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- 2019 Kentucky Museum Purchase Award
- Best of Show: \$250.00
- World's Greatest Studio Tour Merit Award

PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded within each category (Painting, Watercolor, Works on Paper, Fiber Arts, Ceramics and Glass, Sculpture, Photography, and Mixed Media) for Professional as well as Amateur artists in the following dollar amounts:

- 1st Place: \$175.00 (Professional)
\$75.00 (Amateur)
- 2nd Place: \$125.00 (Professional)
\$50.00 (Amateur)
- 3rd Place: \$100.00 (Professional)
\$25.00 (Amateur)

JUDGE

An experienced art professional outside of the region will judge the works in all categories listed above.

2019 ENTRY FORM

☐ Professional ☐ Amateur

**Specialty Majors check Professional*

I am a ☐ WKU Student ID#: _____
☐ WKU Faculty/Staff Dept: _____
☐ WKU Alumnus
☐ Community Member

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Email: _____

Entry Fee: \$20.00
Please make check or money order payable to WKU Foundation.

ARTWORK INFORMATION

Title: _____

Category: _____

Medium: _____

Dimensions: _____

LABEL *(Attach to back of work in upper right corner)*

☐ Professional ☐ Amateur

Name: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Title: _____

Category: _____

Medium: _____

Purchase Award: _____