31ST Annual McNeese National

WORKS ON PAPER EXHIBITION

JUROR

Benjamin Hickey, Curator of Collections and Exhibitions Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, Louisiana

CALENDAR 2018

February 9..... Deadline for receiving all entry submissions February 23... Notification of acceptance

March 15...... Deadline for receipt of accepted works

March 22......Opening reception (6 to 8 p.m.)

May 10.....Exhibition concludes

AWARDS

\$3,000 will be available for the purchase of works for the McNeese State University Works on Paper Permanent Collection.

MEDIA SPECIFICATIONS

Work in any medium using paper as a component part is eligible. Artwork, including frame, should not exceed 40" in any dimension.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all artists living in the United States. All artwork should be original and completed in the last two years.

PRESENTATION

Accepted artwork must be suitable for formal gallery presentation as well as the rigors of packaged shipping.

ENTRIES

Artists may submit no more than three entries.

Entries are submitted using the CaFÉ™ website (callforentry.org). You may prep your materials in advance by following these specifications below.

File Format: JPEG or JPG

File dimension: 1,200 pixels or larger on the longest side.

File size: 5 MB maximum

FNTRY FFF

A non-refundable entry fee of \$35 is charged each entrant. This fee entitles the artist to a maximum of three entries.

Credit card payments are accepted using the CaFÉ™ website.

Entries will be marked complete upon receipt of payment.

The prospectus may be copied or downloaded from: www.mcneeseartonline.org

EXHIBITION

March 22 - May 10, 2018

Awards will be announced at the opening reception March 22. Accepted artworks required to remain in the Grand Gallery for the duration of the exhibition.

DELIVERY OF ACCEPTED WORK

Please ship work to:

31st Annual McNeese National Works on Paper Exhibition McNeese State University/Dept. of Visual Arts 4205 Ryan St., Lake Charles, LA 70609

- Works must be received by March 15.
- C.O.D. deliveries will not be accepted.
- All accepted works must include prepaid return shipping label.
- Late or damaged shipments will be returned collect.
- Works must be shipped in reusable packing cartons.
- NO PACKING POPCORN.
- Hand deliveries accepted March 12-15 (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

RETURN OF ACCEPTED WORKS

Return of artwork begins:.. May 14 Hand delivery pick up:...... May 17 (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)

LIABILITY

All reasonable care will be given to objects in the custody of the Department of Visual Arts. Works are insured while on exhibition in the Grand Gallery. The Department of Visual Arts cannot assume responsibility for the damage or deterioration incurred before or after exhibition, or for possible loss in transit.

SALES & REPRODUCTION

While no commission will be charged on purchase prize awards, a 40 percent commission will be charged on all other artists' sales by the Grand Gallery. The exhibition committee reserves the right to reproduce accepted entries in press releases, catalog and on the website.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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CATALOG

Each entrant will receive a copy of the exhibition catalog. Additional catalogs may be obtained at the cost of \$2.50.

The public is cordially invited to attend the 31ST Annual McNeese National

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OPENING RECEPTION

Thursday, March 22, 6 to 8 p.m. Juror's gallery talk & awards presentation, 7 p.m. in Grand Gallery, Shearman Fine Arts Annex

ID LABELS

Please print the identification labels below and attach completed form to each accepted artwork.

IDENTIFICATION LABEL
ENTRY #
Artist
Title
Medium
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