

The 2023 AAG Winter Exhibition is open to all members of Arizona Artists Guild.

Be sure to read through the entire prospectus.

contact Exhibition VP Melanie Harman with any questions, aagimages3@gmail.com or 602-751-8549

Important Dates

Exhibition Dates: November 14 – December 19, 2023 Entry Dates: September 17 – October 17, 2023 | midnight

Notification of accepted/non-accepted work to artist: Wednesday November 1, 2023

Drop Off Accepted Artwork:

Sunday November 12, $2023 \mid 11-2pm$. Other times available by prior appointment.

All artwork **must** be at AAG by 2pm Sunday November 12, 2023

Opening Reception and Award Ceremony: Sunday, November 19, 2023 | 2:00-4:00 pm

Pick up artwork:

Tuesday, December 19, 2023 | 4-6pm

Wednesday, December 20, 2023 | 11 -1pm before open studio

Awards

A total of \$900 in prize money will be awarded!

\$500 – Best in Show

\$250 – Award of Excellence

\$150 – Award of Merit

Accepted works will be chosen based on quality and the individual artist's mastery of the medium and expression, without preference toward any particular school, style, or technique.

Requirements for Submission:

- 1. Applicants **must** be a current Member of AAG, either Associate or Juried.
- 2. Entries must be the original (no giclées) work of the applicant and created within the last two years.
- 3. Artwork must not have been accepted into any previous AAG juried exhibitions.
- 4. Members may submit a maximum of 3 works of art.
- 5. All media are acceptable. Artwork must be created of quality materials. **All materials must be completely dry including varnish** if used. Clay must be fired. Dried, unfired paper-clay is acceptable.
- 6. Two-dimensional art must be wired substantially for hanging (**No saw-tooth hangers**). The wire should be no more than 1/3 of the way from the top. Gallery-wrap canvas must be a **minimum** of 1.5" deep, painted on all sides and stapled on the back only. Mats must be neutral in color, clean, and professional in presentation, under glass or Plexi.
- 7. There is no minimum required dimension for artwork. The **maximum width** for two-dimensional artwork must not exceed 40" including the frame. The maximum height is 72". Two-dimensional artwork must not exceed 30 lbs., three-dimensional works must not exceed 50 lbs.
- 8. Any accepted artwork that is sold during this exhibition is subject to a 15% contribution to AAG.
- 9. Artwork will not be released before the conclusion of the exhibition.
- 10. Each piece **must** be labeled with the artist's name, title, medium, and price on the back of the piece.
- 11. All entries are submitted online.
- 12. Applicants **may** submit a brief bio and/or artist statement with their entry. 200 word maximum.

Images:

Maximum of 2 MB file size per image, please save your image as Name Title.jpg or jpeg file, e.g., Melanie Harman Daisies.jpg or as .jpeg.

The quality of the photograph reflects the quality of your work.

Be sure to crop all backgrounds.

Do not include the framing in the photograph.

Entry Fees:

One Work: \$30, Two Works: \$35, Three Works: \$40

Prospectus and Entry forms are available online at ArizonaArtistsGuild.net, printed prospectus available at Arizona Artists Guild.

Entrants must apply and pay online. Entry fees are non-refundable.

Jurors: Britt Steinmann, Ellen Nemetz, David Bradley

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