



The 621 Gallery, Inc.

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THE 621 GALLERY ALL-MEDIA NATIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS

2009 Dates and Deadlines

May 7	Application, fee and slide postmark deadline
May 14	Notification of juror selections
June 30	Deadline for delivery of accepted work (ready to hang)
June 5 - August 16	Exhibition
June 5	Opening Reception, awards announced 6:00 – 9:00 pm
August 17 - 21	Return of work

ABOUT THE GALLERY

The 621 Gallery is a non-profit contemporary art exhibition and gathering space offering diverse experiences in Tallahassee, providing access to quality art and interactive opportunities. The 621 Gallery will be a unique leader and innovator in contemporary progressive art for all. The organization was established in 1981 by a group of local artists who needed a space to showcase their experimental and large scale works. Housed in a World War II era sawmill with bay doors and a high open ceiling, this space was the perfect place for their works. Exhibits in The 621 Gallery have always been and will continue to be free to the public.

JUROR – **Aja Roache**

A Tallahassee native and lifetime art enthusiast, Ms. Aja Roache attended the Fine Arts program at Florida A&M University. After receiving her bachelors degree she moved to New York where she gained experience working with Lower Manhattan Cultural Council as well as other small art nonprofits throughout the city. Ms. Roache received her graduate degree from New York University's Draper School of Interdisciplinary Studies, Humanities and Social Thought with an emphasis on Museum Studies. She has since returned to Tallahassee as a Visiting Professor at her alma matter Florida A & M University where she also coordinates the Foster Tanner Fine Arts Gallery.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to artists ages 18 and older living in the United States. There are no restrictions on size or media, however, video artists selected must provide a projector or other means of display. Installation of new media is encouraged. Work should have been completed in the past four years.

AWARDS

The exhibition will award \$1,000 in prizes. In addition to merit and cash awards, the best in show will receive a solo exhibition in the 2010-2011 Exhibition Season and an image of the winner's piece will become The 621 Gallery Image of the Year used on numerous Gallery publications.

DELIVERY OF ACCEPTED WORK

Accepted entries must be delivered by June 30, 2009. Shipped items are solely the artist's responsibility. 621 Gallery prefers UPS to handle shipping responsibilities. All shipped work must include pre-paid shipping labels to ensure its return. The 621 Gallery is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged work during shipping.

PRESENTATION

Artwork must arrive ready to display. If display requires special instructions please include them with your artwork.

EXHIBITION

The All-Media National Juried Exhibition will run from June 5 – August 16, 2009.

SALES AND REPRODUCTION

Artwork not for sale should be listed as such. The 621 Gallery receives a 40% commission on sales. The gallery reserves the right to reproduce accepted entries for publicity purposes.

LIABILITY/INSURANCE

All reasonable care will be given to artwork in the custody of The 621 Gallery. However, the gallery will not assume responsibility for theft, damage or deterioration of artwork at any time. The 621 Gallery does not insure artwork. Artists are strongly encouraged to insure their own work.

RETURN OF WORK

Accepted entries can be picked up during gallery hours beginning Monday, August 4th and must be picked up before August 21, 2009. Work to be shipped is the artist's responsibility. Shipped packages must arrive with a pre-paid shipping label. Work must be picked up by the artist or a shipping company by August 21, 2009. Any remaining work becomes the property of the gallery

2009 ENTRY PROCEDURES & FORMS

Submission Application, Images, and Pay Entry Fee by Mail:

___ CD with up to 3 works, 1-3 views of each work. Images must be in a .jpg, .tiff, or .pdf format with a 72DPI and a maximum of 800 pixels in height or width. Please format the file name as follows: "LastName_Title_ImageNumber.jpg".
Do not send images imbedded in a Word document or PowerPoint presentation. Video artists whose work is chosen must provide projectors or other means of viewing works for the exhibition.

___ Current professional resume and a one-paragraph artist's statement.

___ If you wish to have you CD returned to you, include a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE) for the return of the CD or other materials.

___ Non-refundable entry fee of \$30 in the form of check or money order made payable to **The 621 Gallery** or credit card to the address listed below.

___ Send your completed entry form and CD or DVD to the address listed below:

621 Gallery All-Media National Juried Exhibition
621 Industrial Ave.
Tallahassee, Florida 32310

___ Entries must be delivered by May 7th, 2009.

Artist's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Artist's Signature: _____ Date: _____

This signature and the completion of the entry process constitute understanding and acceptance of the conditions set forth in this document.

PAYMENT INFORMATION: CHECK OR CREDIT CARD

Make checks payable to **The 621 Gallery**.

CC# _____ EXPIRATION DATE ___/___

SIGNATURE _____

Please tell us how you became aware of The 621 Gallery All-Media National Juried Exhibition.

2009 ENTRY FORM

ENTRY # 1

TITLE: _____ CREATION DATE: _____

MEDIA: _____

DIMENSIONS: _____ h x _____ w x _____ d (in feet and inches)

SALE PRICE \$ _____ (Please reflect 40% Gallery Commission. If works are not for sale, please NFS)

ENTRY # 2

TITLE: _____ CREATION DATE: _____

MEDIA: _____

DIMENSIONS: _____ h x _____ w x _____ d (in feet and inches)

SALE PRICE \$ _____ (Please reflect 40% Gallery Commission. If works are not for sale, please NFS)

ENTRY # 3

TITLE: _____ CREATION DATE: _____

MEDIA: _____

DIMENSIONS: _____ h x _____ w x _____ d (in feet and inches)

SALE PRICE \$ _____ (Please reflect 40% Gallery Commission. If works are not for sale, please NFS)

If you are paying for additional entries, please list on back.

Mail completed entry form, \$30 entry fee, CD and SASE to:

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