

40 Under 40: Young Artist National Showcase



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mfa @ Maryland Hall



Celebrating 40 years of arts experiences and education at Maryland Hall, we are dedicating an exhibit to showcase 40 talented artists, 40 years of age or under, from around the country.

MFA and MD Hall invite all artists (ages 40 and under) residing in the United States to enter any 2-D or 3-D work to be considered by juror Jose Ruiz. Work selected by the juror will hang in the Chaney

ENTRY

40 Under 40 may be entered by uploading JPEG images through MFA's online entry system at www.mfedart.org.

- Entries: Works previously exhibited in a juried show at Circle Gallery are not eligible. • **Maximum size of entry, including edges of frame/work cannot exceed 72"** in any direction. Please measure prior to entry then state size
 - All work must be visibly signed by artist (front or back) with edition numbers (1/1, 2/50, e.g.)
- for hand-pulled prints, as allowed. Works must be priced for sale or marked POR (price on request). **Work meant to be installed from the ceiling cannot be accepted. 3d work may require installation help from the artist depending on level of difficulty.**
- Submit one JPEG per piece entered, or as allowed. To provide best image for juror set pixel dimension to around 2000 pixels on longest side. File size may be no more than 2 MB. Images submitted to the juror must correspond with delivered work.
 - Note for video or projected submissions: Please contact MFA for specific instructions at info@mfedart.org.
 - Entry Fees: A maximum of 4 original works created within the past 3 years may be entered. 1 or 2 entries \$40 (MFA members \$25). Additional 2 entries \$5 each. Entry fees are non-refundable. Membership, if desired, may be processed immediately prior to entry. Note Juror can accept up to 3 of 4 submitted works by each artist with the size limitations listed above.

AWARDS:

Cash awards of \$500 are determined by the juror.

NOTIFICATION

All entrants are sent notice by email. It is important to check website if you do not receive notice. Please set your email account to recognize this address: info@mfedart.org. The notice to accepted artists will include specific details and may vary from prospectus. A list of accepted artists and artwork will also be posted on MFA's website.

Online Sales Gallery: The MFA site is available during the dates of the exhibition. Images of the artwork are by the artists at time of entry.

SCHEDULE

Sept. 6 - Online entry open for submissions.

Oct. 20 - Deadline for entries.

Nov. 15 - Check MFA website if you do not receive notice. All entrants are notified by email.

Dec 18-20 - Shipped work must arrive at Maryland Hall, 801 Chase St., Annapolis, MD 21401.

Noon-4pm. Hand Delivery must arrive at MD Hall, 801 Chase St., Annapolis, MD 21401.

Please Note Maryland Hall will be CLOSED From December 21 through January 1 and CANNOT accept shipments or drop-offs during that time.

Jan. 2-3 - Shipped work must arrive at Maryland Hall, 801 Chase St., Annapolis, MD 21401.

Jan. 4 - First day of exhibition.

Jan. 16 - 5:30 - 7pm. Reception at Maryland Hall. Awards presented at 6pm.

Mar. 2-3 - Pick up noon-4pm. A \$10 fine will be imposed for work not picked up.

Mar. 4 - Shipped work will be sent.

EXHIBITION AND DELIVERY

Entering this exhibition shall constitute understanding and agreement on the part of the artist with the conditions stated.

1. Measure to ensure work meets any size limitations before delivery, include outer edges of frames. Work not in compliance will not be exhibited. No exceptions.
 2. Attach label to back with name, title, medium and price.
 3. No clip frames or taped edges accepted. Work must be presented in a manner appropriate to the artwork and be equipped for installation. Works requiring a barrier must use Plexiglas on all shipped work. For complete guidelines go to www.mfedart.org.
 4. Unless a bar-coded return label is included with shipped work or we have your credit card number on file, we'll be unable to install your work. Contact shipper online to download label or purchase at time of shipping. No hand-written return forms allowed. Do not send by USPS. We prefer UPS but accept FedEx. Please inform your shipper: NO SHIPPING PEANUTS ALLOWED.
 5. Please affix any packing/repacking instructions to OUTSIDE of shipping box.
 6. Work arriving late may not be installed. To be considered for award, work must meet delivery and exhibit guidelines.
- Images of accepted works may be used at the sole discretion of MFA for promotional purposes including but not limited to the invitation, catalog, web site, or on subsequent years' prospectus. Image will include attribution wherever possible.
 - Artist will retain 70% from sales.
 - Work cannot be withdrawn before end of exhibit.

LIABILITY

Artwork and entry materials will be handled with all possible care. MFA and Maryland Hall will not be responsible or liable for loss or damage from any cause whatsoever. Insurance, if desired, must be carried by the artist.