



## **COLLECTOR'S CHOICE 2024 DONATING ARTIST TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Maryland Federation of Art, Inc. (MFA) is asking our national membership of talented artists to donate their original art for Collector's Choice, MFA's premier fundraiser. This event draws collectors new and old from all over the Mid-Atlantic to add art to their walls and support MFA. Member artists working in all mediums are invited to donate. We are excited to be in person at Volvo Cars Annapolis and online. Each donating artist is invited to attend the event free of charge. If a donating artist wishes to participate in the art lottery to take a piece of work home with them at the end of the event, donating artists may purchase a discounted ticket for \$150. Each ticket admits two people for food, drinks and one amazing piece of art!

### **DONATION TERMS**

- Entry is open to MFA Member Artists residing in any of the states or territories of the US.
- Donating for this event indicates an understanding and agreement on the part of the Member Artist with the conditions stated herein, MFA's approved [Statement of Equality and Diversity](#), and MFA's [General Guidelines](#).
- This is not a juried exhibition. All donated work shall be accepted.
- Each artist who submits a piece of work through the entry system for this event is deemed to have donated the piece to MFA to be used in the art lottery at the Collector's Choice event to help raise funds to support MFA.
- Images of works may be used at the sole discretion of MFA for promotional purposes. Images will include attribution wherever possible.
- Work may not be withdrawn after the donation deadline.

### **DONATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Member Artists may donate up to two (2) pieces of their own original artwork.
- Please enter your work by uploading JPEG images through MFA's online entry system. Set pixel dimensions to between 1,500 and 3,000 pixels on the longest side. File size may be no more than 5 MB. Visit <https://mdfedart.com/portfolio/cc/> to submit your work.
- Images entered online must correspond with the actual work delivered for the event.

- Work must be of equal or greater value to the regular price of the Collector's Choice ticket of \$225. Work may not be set to Price on Request (POR).
- Donations are recognized as a gift-in-kind to MFA, a 501(c)(3) organization, and are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. Please consult your own tax professional for advice.

#### **LIABILITY**

- MFA shall not be liable for any special or consequential damages that result from the use of, or inability to use, MFA's online exhibition gallery.

#### **PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD**

- MFA will host an online People's Choice Award as part of Collector's Choice. The winner will be announced at the event.
- The artist with the highest number of votes in the People's Choice Voting Gallery will receive the People's Choice Award and will receive one year of MFA Membership at the basic level no cost.

#### **MÉLANGE ELIGIBILITY**

- Member Artists who donate at least one (1) piece to Collector's Choice this year, volunteer their time to MFA before December 31, 2024, and enter at least one juried show (the artist does not need to be accepted to such show) will be entered into the lottery for the Circle Gallery small group show, Mélangé 2025.

#### **SCHEDULE**

<b>Aug 1</b>	Online Entry Opens for Donations
<b>Sept 1</b>	General and VIP Tickets on Sale at <a href="http://www.mdfedart.org">www.mdfedart.org</a>
<b>Sept 25</b>	Deadline to Enter Donated Work Online
<b>Oct 1 – 12</b>	Donated Work Must Arrive at Circle Gallery
<b>Oct 15</b>	Exhibitions Open In Person Exhibition Opens Online Exhibition Opens 2 PM, People's Choice Voting Opens
<b>Oct 26</b>	People's Choice Voting Closes at Midnight
<b>Oct 27</b>	Collector's Choice @ Volvo Cars Annapolis from 6 – 9 PM

Thank you for considering donating your work to Collector's Choice to support MFA!

*Maryland Federation of Art is a 501(c)(3) organization (EIN 52-0895806) and gifts are tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. A copy of the current financial statement is available on our website, by writing 18 State Circle, Annapolis, MD 21401, or by calling 410-268-4566. Documents and information submitted under the Maryland Solicitations Act are also available, for the cost of postage and copies, from the Maryland Secretary of State, Statehouse, Annapolis, MD 21401 410-974-5534.*