

KATHARINE BUTLER GALLERY

NATIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS

2009 Dates and Deadlines

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| February 14 | Application, fee and slide/CD deadline |
| March 14 | Notification of jury results |
| April 7-11 | Delivery of accepted work |
| April 15-May 9 | Group exhibition |
| April 17 | Reception for artists, 6:00 – 10:00 pm |
| May 12-16 | Return of work |

About the Gallery

The Katharine Butler Gallery is one of Sarasota's most respected art galleries. Located in beautiful Towles Court, the gallery exhibits work in a wide range of mediums by local and national artists. Clientele includes Florida residents as well as visitors from around the world.

Juror

Roy Slade, Director Emeritus, Cranbrook Art Museum and former director Corcoran Gallery of Art.

Awards

Cash prizes for 1st and 2nd place.

Eligibility

Open to artists 18 years or older living in the United States. Original 2D and 3D artwork in any traditional medium, including fiber, ceramics, metal, and glass, except video. Work must have been completed within the last three years. Each artist may submit up to three entries, not to exceed 42" in any dimension, including frame. **NO GICLEE COPIES OF ANY KIND.**

Entry Fee

A non-refundable entry fee of \$25 is charged to each artist. Payment may be made by check (made payable to the Katharine Butler Gallery) or by credit card and is due with application. We accept Visa, American Express, Discover, and Mastercard.

Slides or CDs Accepted

Submit up to three 35mm slides in standard cardboard or plastic mounts. No taped slides. Label slides with your name, title, medium and dimensions. Indicate top with arrow or dot. Images on CDs must be jpeg format, 6 x 9 inches, 72 dpi. **Please name the files with your full name and Entry number 1, 2, 3.** Slides or CDs of accepted work will be retained by the gallery until the exhibition is over for publicity purposes. Slides or CDs of unaccepted work will be returned

only if a SASE is provided. Any accepted work that differs from the slide or CD may be disqualified.

Delivery of Accepted Work

Accepted entries must be delivered on Tues –Sat., April 7 – 11, 2009 between 11:00 am. and 4:00 pm. Any work received after that time will be disqualified. Shipped items are the artist's responsibility, and all accepted work must be shipped in a reusable sturdy carton and include pre-paid shipping labels to ensure its return. The Katharine Butler Gallery is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged work during shipping. **DO NOT USE PACKING PEANUTS IN YOUR SHIPMENT.**

Presentation

Accepted 2D work should be suitably framed and ready for hanging with picture wire only. Museum wrapped pieces are also acceptable. Works that are not properly framed will be disqualified.

Exhibition

The exhibition will open Wed., April 15 and continue through Sat., May 9, 2009. A reception will be held Fri., April 17 from 6:00 – 10:00 pm. The artists and the public are invited to attend. All accepted work must remain in the Katharine Butler Gallery until the close of the exhibition.

Sales and Reproduction

All work must be for sale. The Katharine Butler Gallery receives a 50% commission on sales. The gallery reserves the right to reproduce accepted entries for publicity purposes.

Liability

All reasonable care will be given to work in the custody of the Katharine Butler Gallery. However, the gallery cannot assume responsibility for theft, damage or deterioration of work at any time.

Return of Work

Accepted entries must be picked up between May 12 – May 16, 2009 between 11:00 am. and 4:00 pm. Work to be shipped must have a pre-paid shipping label and will be sent out by May 16. Any remaining work will incur a \$5.00/day storage fee.

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