



The Arts & Culture Alliance National Juried Exhibition of 2009

Original works completed within the last two years.

Works must be for sale.

Submit digital images only for entry postmarked by [Saturday, September 26, 2009](#).

Deliver accepted work [Monday-Tuesday, December 7-8, 2009](#).

Up to \$1,000 in awards and opportunities for future exhibits will be given.

Statement of Purpose

The Arts & Culture Alliance National Juried Exhibition was developed to provide a forum for artists to compete on a national scale and display their work. The selected art features both traditional and non-traditional work and will be exhibited at the Emporium Center for Arts & Culture in downtown Knoxville.

Eligibility

Submit only work completed within the last two years. Entries must be original works in the following categories: **Painting** (oil, watercolor, acrylic, pastel, digital, and mixed media); **Graphic Arts** (pencil, charcoal, pen and ink, conte, colored pencil, and printmaking); **3-D** (sculpture, ceramic, and fibers); and **Photography** (color, black and white, digital). Works may not have previously exhibited in any Alliance exhibition at the Emporium Center or in any Alliance satellite gallery. The maximum allowed size is 120" x 120" in any direction (must fit through a 60" x 120" doorway) including frame or stand. Weight is not to exceed 100 lbs. unless special arrangements are made. **Works must be suitably framed/mounted and WIRED for installation to match the current hanging system (Walker Display, see image).** Plexiglas is recommended for all shipped and hand-delivered 2-D works. 3-D works should be sturdy and stable or otherwise secured to a base. The juror reserves the right to disqualify any work not suitably presented or that varies from the submitted image. **All work must be for sale.**



Entry Fees

The nonrefundable entry fee is \$40 for up to three works (Arts & Culture Alliance members pay \$25). Download a membership form at www.knoxalliance.com/join.html. Diptychs and triptychs are considered one work. Artists selected will be represented by no more than one work.

Entry Procedure

Works are juried by digital images only. Each 2-D work may be represented by one digital image, and each 3-D work may be represented by up to three separate digital images: two full views and one detail view. Send digital images as JPG files (no PowerPoint or slideshow formats) on CD, at least 1-3 MB in size (or at least 1600 x 1600 pixels) each, or e-mail entries to sc@knoxalliance.com (no more than 5 MB in size). Indicate artist name on CD. CDs will not be returned. Entries must be postmarked by [Saturday, September 26, 2009](#).

Assemble: CD of digital images
Completed entry form

Entry fee (payable to Arts & Culture Alliance)
Self-addressed stamped envelope
Include a SASE acknowledgment-of-receipt postcard if desired

Mail to: **Arts & Culture Alliance**
PO Box 2506
Knoxville, TN 37901
Attn: NATIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION

Artists whose works are accepted for exhibition are requested to submit a resume/biography upon notification of acceptance. The Alliance reserves the right to use artist information and images for publicizing the event and/or on the website.

Shipment and Delivery

Shipping artwork to and from the exhibit is the responsibility of the artist. All shipped work must be prepaid. A check for return shipping must be received in an amount based on the stated insurance value of the piece. Artist may use his/her own shipping company preference and is responsible for scheduling delivery and pick up of work. Works must be shipped in very sturdy cardboard boxes or crates. Up to \$50 will be charged for replacement crates and boxes not safe enough to return works. *Please be sure to include detailed packing instructions along with shipped pieces.* Works must be labeled with title and artist's name. Late or damaged work is not accepted. Deliver works by hand **Monday-Tuesday, December 7-8, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM.**

Ship/deliver artwork to: Arts & Culture Alliance
100 South Gay Street, Suite 201
Knoxville, TN 37902
Attn: NATIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION
(865) 523-7543

Liability

Receipt of the completed form constitutes your agreement with all conditions established in the prospectus. The Arts & Culture Alliance provides insurance for the exhibition. Unclaimed hand-delivered work is not insured after the posted pick-up date. It is the artist's responsibility to provide all insurance and shipping costs on works during shipment. Consent to reproduce works photographically is assumed to be granted unless stated otherwise.

Return of Work

Exhibited hand-delivered work must be picked up at the close of the exhibit on **Monday-Tuesday, February 1-2, between 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM.** Shipped works will be crated and ready for pick up by February 12.

Schedule

Postmark your CD, entry form, and fees by: **Saturday, September 26, 2009**
Notice of acceptance/rejection mailed: **Monday, October 26**
Hand delivery dates to Emporium Center: **Monday-Tuesday, December 7-8, 9:00 AM -5:00 PM**
Shipped delivery dates: **Monday-Wednesday, December 7-8**
Exhibit opens to the public: **Monday, December 14**
***Exhibit hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM*
***Please note: The Emporium will be closed Thursday, December 24, through Friday, January 1, 2010.*
Reception and Awards Ceremony: **Friday, January 8, 5:00-8:00 PM**
Last day of exhibit: **Wednesday, January 29, 2010**
Pick-up work (no work is released before end of show): **Monday-Tuesday, February 1-2, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM**
***No work is released before end of show.*

Juror

Jeffrey Morton is an accomplished painter specializing in various interpretations of the landscape over the last twenty years. Influential to his work are 17th century Japanese folding screens, American modernist and abstract painters, and the earth artists of the later part of the 20th century. His work has been exhibited regionally and nationally, including exhibits at the University of Tennessee Downtown Gallery, the Harrison Center for the Arts, Indianapolis, and at the Hunter Museum in Chattanooga. Educated at Yale University and Temple University, Tyler School of Art in Philadelphia, Morton has served as a professor of art at Covenant College for ten years. He recently served as curator for the show "Accessing the Artist's Brain: Drawing as Metaphor" at Chattanooga's Association of Visual Arts. Jeffrey Morton is a resident of Signal Mountain, Tennessee.

Awards

Up to \$1,000 in prizes/cash awards as designated by the juror, whose decision is final. Group and/or solo exhibitions may also be given. Exhibition may be offered to the winner(s) at a time to be arranged. A selection committee will decide upon opportunities for future exhibits for both individual artists and group shows.

Sales & Commission

Every effort is made to promote sales. **All exhibited work must be for sale.** All sales are handled by the Arts & Culture Alliance. Commission to be donated to the Arts & Culture Alliance of Greater Knoxville is as follows:

- + Arts & Culture Alliance members: **20%** for cash and check sales; **25%** for credit card sales.
- + Non-members: **40%** for cash and check sales; **45%** for credit card sales.

The Alliance assumes that sales tax is included in the price of every piece of artwork. The Artist is responsible for remitting applicable sales tax to the state of Tennessee Sales & Use Tax Department.

About the Arts & Culture Alliance

The Arts & Culture Alliance serves and supports a diverse community of artists, arts organizations, and cultural institutions. Visit www.knoxalliance.com or call (865) 523-7543.

The Arts & Culture Alliance National Juried Exhibition is sponsored by the Arts & Culture Alliance of Greater Knoxville and receives financial assistance from the Tennessee Arts Commission, a state agency.



Consider becoming a member to receive a discount on your entry fee!



For office use

Renewal: _____

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone 1 _____ Phone 2 _____

E-mail address _____

Web site _____

Visual Artist _____ Media _____

Performing Artist _____ Genre(s) _____

Writer _____ Genre(s) _____

Referred by (optional): _____

This information will appear in the Alliance's online membership directory. Please indicate if you do not wish certain fields to be posted by listing them here:

Membership fees for one year:

Students	\$35.00
E-mail communication	\$45.00
Postal communication	\$55.00

Please add \$2 for handling fees if you pay by credit card (Visa/MasterCard only)

Today's Date _____ Donation Amount _____

If paying by credit card: Visa or MC # _____ Exp. Date _____

CVV code (3-digits on back of card): _____ Signature _____

Please return this form and dues to:

The Arts & Culture Alliance, P. O. Box 2506, Knoxville, TN 37901 or via fax: (865) 523-7312

Membership bonus: For every friend you sign up as a new member, receive a one month free extension on your own membership!

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Please include:

- + Labeled CD of digital images
- + Entry fee (payable to Arts & Culture Alliance)
- + Self-addressed stamped envelope (size #10)



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- PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY -

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone(s): _____ E-mail: _____

I agree to any and all conditions and responsibilities specified in this application. I give my permission to use my name and images for publicity purposes. I agree that all works are original.

Artist signature: _____ Date: _____

Where did you hear about the Juried Exhibition? _____

Artwork Label Information

Title 1: _____

Medium: _____

Dimensions: _____ Price: _____ Insurance value: _____

Title 2: _____

Medium: _____

Dimensions: _____ Price: _____ Insurance value: _____

Title 3: _____

Medium: _____

Dimensions: _____ Price: _____ Insurance value: _____

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