



Inspire's on Fire!

Inspired Artists Juried Art Show

September 7, 2013

Find your category! Are you a

{ } Amateur Artist, blazing a trail? 18 and up

{ } Professional Artist (has sold and/or sells work), been around the block and scorching hot? 18 and up

- ❖ **Open to artists who live in San Antonio and adjacent counties**
- ❖ **Both 2D and 3D works accepted**

2D: Artwork must be original works that have not previously won awards. **Must be wired and ready for hanging** and not exceed 48 inches in any direction. Drawings, paintings, mixed media/collage, giclee, watercolor. No digitally altered work for 2D submissions allowed.

3D: Artwork must be an original that has not previously won any awards. All works are limited to 60 inches in height and 40 inches in width/depth and cannot exceed 125 lbs. Artists must provide their own stands for display and will be responsible for moving their work to the exhibition space

All applications must include a digital representation of entered work. Submit no more than two images per piece in JPG format.

All works must have been completed within the past two years and cannot be copies of works by persons other than the artist. **The images must be labeled with name, title of artwork, size, medium and price.**

Name _____ **Phone** _____

E-mail _____ **Website** _____

Mailing Address _____ **City** _____ **Zip** _____

Artwork Title #1: _____ **Artwork Title #2:** _____

Medium: _____ **Medium:** _____

Size: _____ **Price:** _____ **Size:** _____ **Price:** _____

Entry Fee (non-refundable): No more than two pieces may be submitted.

\$20 for one entry; \$30 for two entries. All checks payable to Inspire Fine Art Center. Please include a self-addressed, stamped #10 envelope for notification of acceptance. All accepted work must be hand delivered.

Sale of artwork is optional. Inspire will retain 30% commission of all work sold during the opening and exhibitions. Please clearly mark your work with a price or "NFS".

Calendar: **August 2:** Applications with digital image due by 5pm
August 9: Notification of Selected Work
August 16 & 17 Deliver selected art, 11am – 5pm
September 7: "Inspire's on Fire" Celebration.
September 14-17: Pick-Up Artwork.

Awards:

Best in Show winner receives: \$1,000
Each 1st place winner (Amateur and Professional categories) receives: \$500.00
Each runner up (Amateur and Professional categories) receives: \$100.00 gift certificate.
People's Choice Award receives: One half of the pot or \$100, whichever is greater, up to \$300.
Votes (dots) are one dollar each, friends/family can vote as often as they like!
Winning work will be on display in area businesses for the month of October!

JUROR: James Hendricks, artist and metal specialist with twenty-eight years of experience in his craft. In addition to designing and fabricating ornamental and functional components, James also works with forged steel, cast bronze, and computer generated images of design projects.

Digital Entry Submission: Submit no more than two images per piece in JPG format. The image size cannot exceed 800 x 600 px and format the file size as close to 1 MB for entry. The images must be labeled with your name, followed by the title of the artwork, medium, size of image, and price.

Or mail a CD in 5x7 padded envelope, labeled as per application details (see reverse). All entries must be accompanied by the entry fee.

Liability Disclaimer: Work is submitted at Artist's risk. Inspire will not be held liable for lost or damaged artwork. Artists are responsible for insuring their work from delivery to pickup. If sold, payment of sales tax is the responsibility of the artist. Art not picked up by September 17, 2013 will become the property of Inspire Fine Art Center.

Signature _____ Date _____

Art for Sale:

- I would like to donate my submission for the Silent Auction
- I would like to donate another piece of work for the Silent Auction
- I wish to sell my work for \$ _____

I, the artist, agree to all the rules and regulations set forth on this application. Inspire reserves the right to reproduce accepted artwork for promotional purposes.

Inspire's Mission – *“To advocate and celebrate the arts as a force for education and healing across our diverse cultural communities.”*

Inspire Staff, Instructors, Board members, and family members of any of the aforementioned, may not participate in the Juried Art Competition. Participation by Inspire Staff, Instructors & Board members is limited to the People's Choice award competition only.

Contact us at 210-829-5592 if you have any questions. Inspire Fine Art Center, 200 Queen Ann Ct., San Antonio, TX 78209 www.inspirefineart.org