

ALLENTOWN ART MUSEUM'S

30th Juried Show



This show offers a refreshing look at the best of emerging and established artists from the mid-Atlantic region and beyond. A dynamic and eclectic display of art in all media promises something for everyone.

Cash awards totaling \$2,250 will be presented at the preview party on Saturday, January 31, 2009.

> FEBRUARY 1 – APRIL 26, 2009

JURORS

- Chakaia Booker, sculptor, Allentown, Pennsylvania
- James Carroll, Director of the New Arts Program, Kutztown, Pennsylvania
- Michiko Okaya, Director of the Williams Art Center Gallery and College Art Collections, Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania

ELIGIBILITY

Artworks in all media are eligible for consideration. All work must be original and made within the past two years. Works previously exhibited at the Allentown Art Museum are not eligible.

Elevator size limitations: 9' H x 5' W x 6' D

Weight limitation per object: 300 lbs.

Full- and part-time museum staff, volunteers, interns, student teachers, trustees and their families are not eligible.

SELECTION

Works will be selected from photographic reproductions submitted by the artists. Color digital images submitted on a CD are the preferred format, but 35mm color slides will be accepted as well. Artists may submit digital or slide images of a maximum of four works: one image per two-dimensional work; up to three images of views and details for each three-dimensional work.

PRESENTATION OF CDS:

Only Windows-compatible .jpg images between 1200 and 2000 pixels in the longest dimension will be accepted. CD must be marked with the artist's name. Each .jpg image must be accompanied by the following information:

- An entry number (1,2,3,4) that corresponds with the number of each object on the entry form. If a detail of a 3-D work, note "a, b, c" after number.
- Framed size in inches (H x W x D)
- Medium
- Title and date of work

PRESENTATION OF SLIDES:

Only 35mm color slides in 2" x 2" non-glass mounts will be accepted. Slides must be clearly marked with the following information:

- Top of work indicated on viewing side
- An entry number (1,2,3,4) that corresponds with the number of each object on the entry form. If a detail of a 3-D work, note "a, b, c" after number
- Artist's last name and initials
- Framed size in inches (H x W x D)
- Medium
- Title and date of work



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SUBMISSION DEADLINE/ENTRY FEE

Digital image CDs or 35mm color slides, accompanied by completed entry and notification forms and fee, must be received by mail or hand-delivered to the museum on or before November 3, 2008. Include an appropriately sized, self-addressed stamped envelope for return of 35mm slides. Slides will be returned by the end of December to artists not selected by the jurors. Slides from artists who have one or more works accepted will be returned at the close of the exhibition. Digital image CDs will not be returned. The non-refundable fee is \$30.00 for up to four entries per artist. A check or money order made out to the Allentown Art Museum must accompany all forms and images.

ACCEPTED WORKS

Presentation of selected work: Works selected for exhibition must be suitably mounted, including glass protection when appropriate. Clip frames are not acceptable. Metal frames must have hanging hardware and securely cushioned glass. Indicate the top of each work. Firmly affix a completed label to the upper left corner on two-dimensional works and on the base of sculptures. Labels will be sent with the selection notification.

Delivery: Accepted work should be delivered, ready to display, to the museum's rear door at the corner of Court and Penn Streets, Friday, January 16 and Saturday, January 17, 2009, between 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. Hand delivery is preferred; if it is not feasible, prepaid shipped works will be accepted no later than January 16. Artists are responsible for all shipping costs. Shipped works must be sent directly to Allentown Art Museum, 31 N. 5th St., Allentown, PA 18101. Shipped works must be insured in transit and packed carefully in sturdy, reusable containers. Shipped works will be returned by UPS collect in the same wrappings, unless otherwise notified. C.O.D. deliveries will not be accepted.

Sales: The museum will not act as a sales agent, but will supply artists' information to those who inquire about a purchase.

REPRODUCTION

The museum reserves the right to photograph accepted works and use submitted CDs/slides for publicity and educational purposes connected with the exhibition.

LIABILITY

The Allentown Art Museum cannot assume responsibility for loss or damage to submitted artwork from any cause prior to date of delivery at the museum. All reasonable care and security measures will be taken at the museum in handling and displaying the works submitted. Accepted works will be insured on the museum's premises from the date of delivery (January 16 or 17) to the return date (April 27) for a maximum of \$5,000. The museum assumes no responsibility for works left beyond May 4. The museum will not insure works in transit. Works shipped to the museum will be returned the week of May 4.

INQUIRIES/MAILINGS

30th Juried Show, Allentown Art Museum,
31 N. 5th Street, Allentown, PA 18101
Further inquiries may be made directly to
Sofia Bakis at SBakis@allentownartmuseum.org.

CALENDAR

November 3, 2008

Deadline for submission of CDs or slides, entry and notification forms, and fee

December 22, 2008

Notification of jurors' decision mailed

**Friday January 16 and
Saturday, January 17, 2009**

Hand deliver artworks, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. at Penn Street entrance

Friday, January 16, 2009

Deadline for shipped works

Saturday, January 31, 2009

Preview party and awards, 6 to 8 P.M.

Monday, April 27, 2009

Artist pick-up of exhibited works, 12 to 8 P.M.



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ENTRY FORM

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Home Phone _____
 Business Phone _____

ENTRY 1:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

ENTRY 2:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

ENTRY 3:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

ENTRY 4:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

*HxWxD in inches

➤ Please print legibly as information will be used for exhibition and promotion labels if work is accepted.

My artworks are submitted in agreement with the conditions stated in prospectus.

Artist's Signature _____

How did you hear about the 30th Juried Show?

For museum use only:

Slides received by _____ Date _____

No. of slides—full view _____

No. of slides—detail _____

Accepted artworks:

Received by _____ Date _____

Slides returned by _____ Date _____



NOTIFICATION FORM

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Home Phone _____
 Business Phone _____

ENTRY 1:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

ENTRY 2:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

➤ Please submit a three- to four-sentence artist's statement for each accepted work by January 9, 2009.

ENTRY 3:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

ENTRY 4:

ACCEPTED Title _____
 NOT ACCEPTED Medium _____ Size* _____
 Date _____ Insurance Value _____

*HxWxD in inches