

Call for Art -- ALL Members -- A Juried Exhibit!

The Society has been accepted by Maryland Hall for Creative Arts to exhibit in the Chaney Gallery from May 27 - July 3, 2014.

This juried exhibition is open to all active members, accredited and general. Juror: Kerry Dunn, Best of Show, 2013 International Portrait Competition, Portrait Society of America

Title:

A Moment Expressed - The Figure and Portrait

Nature of Work:

The Society asks artists to envision their subjects in a moment in time described by an emotion or in an environment, whether outdoor in the landscape or in an interior setting. Art will be of the figure and portrait, but not of a traditional pose (head and shoulders, etc). Figurative work will be draped or partially draped and will exclude completely nude frontal poses, but may depict the back view. MHCA is a community-based art center.

Submission Guidelines

Members may submit up to 3 original works completed within the last 3 years including drawings, paintings, sculpture and prints using traditional mediums.

Entries

Artists may submit three (3) works for consideration by March 19, 2014

1. 2-D works may not be larger than 60" in any direction. Include outside edges of frame. *Work must be framed* and ready to hang with wire and sturdy enough for normal handling. Wet canvases, wet frames and entries mounted behind glass without frames will not be accepted. 3-D works must fit 15" square pedestal. Artist's name, title and contact information must attached to back of work.

2. *All work must be priced for sale; no POR.* Works previously exhibited in an MSPP show are not eligible.

Submission Format

1. Email your images to Andrée Tullier at: *info.at.mspp@* gmail.com with "**A Moment Expressed**" in the subject line. OR you may mail a CD of images AND email the required submission info to *info.at.mspp@gmail.com* Mail CD to: Maryland Society of Portrait Painters, c/o Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, 801 Chase Street, Annapolis, MD 21401

2. Submit one JPEG image per work entered. File should be between 3-4 megs with the longest dimension 2500 pixels.3. Label files as:

Last Name - First Inital - Title - Size - Price.jpg Example: degas.e_dancer20x30\$500.jpeg

4. Include in the body of your email:

a. Your full name, mailing address, email address and cell

phone (for day of delivery)

b. Identify each piece on *separate lines*:

Name, Title, Size, Medium, Price

Please exclude the words, Name, Title, Size, Medium, Price.

Entry Fees

Fee is \$10 for 1, \$15 for 2 or \$20 for 3 works. Entry fees are nonrefundable. *You must be an active member (2014 dues paid)* in order to submit your work from *January 10 to March 10*. Make check payable to: MSPP. Send to: Atten: Andrée Tullier, MSPP, c/o Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, 801 Chase Street, Annapolis, MD 21401

Terms for Exhibition

1. <u>Entering</u> this exhibiton shall constitute understanding and agreement on the part of the artist with the conditions stated.

2. All work must be professionally presented and ready to be

installed. A 2-D work *must have a frame* with a secure wire or hooks on the back to accommodate the gallery's hanging system. *No clip-on or poster frames. No painted canvas sides. Work not in compliance may be turned away and not allowed into exhibit.*

3. <u>Delivery and pick-up</u> of work is the responsibility of the artist. The artist is responsible for all shipping paperwork, costs, and arrangements. This includes the packing and handling, and delivery for returned works.

 <u>Measure</u> each work to ensure that it meets size limitations before delivery, include outer edges of frames.
<u>Attach</u> label to back with name, title, medium and price. Also include your mailing address, phone and email address.
<u>Arrival of work</u> must be on scheduled delivery date.

Sales

MHCA will retain a 35% commission on all sales with 65% going to the artist. All works **MUST** be available for sale and all sales must go through MHCA. All sold works must remain on exhibit until the end of the show.

Liability

Your work will be insured through Maryland Hall's fine art policy. For detailed information please inquire with Andrée Tullier at *info.at.mspp@gmail.com*.

Schedule

Submissions Accepted starting: January 10, 2014 DEADLINE EXTENDED: March 19, 2014

Email Notification of Accepted Work: April 1, 2014 *Drop off for Accepted Work:* Monday, May 19, 2014, 10:00am - 4:30pm

Show Opens: May 27, 2014

Opening Reception: May 29, 5:30-7:00 pm Closes: July 3, 2014

Pick Up: Monday, July 7, 2014, 10:00am - 4:30pm

Exhibition Contact - All questions to be sent to:

Andrée Tullier, Exhibition Chair: *info.at.mspp@gmail.com* Make entry fee payable to: MSPP. Send to: Atten: Andrée Tullier, MSPP, c/o Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, 801 Chase Street, Annapolis, MD 21401

To be eligible to enter the exhibit you must be a member. To Join as a General Member, go to the website: http://www.mdspp.com/join.html

(OR send in your dues with your submission.) Make \$20 check payable to Maryland Society of Portrait Painters and send to: MSPP, Atten: Andrée Tullier, c/o Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, 801 Chase Street, Annapolis, MD 21401