

Artists Collective | Spartanburg in Spartanburg, SC invites all visual artists, 18 years and older, residing in South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, and Tennessee to apply for acceptance to the juried show.

This is the fourth regional, juried exhibition presented by the Collective: An annual event to showcase the amazing diversity of work within this southern region.

Artists Collective | Spartanburg is the only studio art collective in Spartanburg County, and art is produced and displayed throughout the 20,000 square foot building. The exhibitions, workshops, performances, and educational opportunities, along with artists' studios, create a unique environment; a one-of-a-kind facility housing individuals who share a common creative consciousness.

The nonprofit organization has 32 studios and more than 50 member artists. Visitors from across the region and beyond visit the Collective during major exhibitions.

This exhibition will take place within our main gallery. **Solomon Gallery at Artists Collective | Spartanburg**

● awards

- **First Place - \$2,500** • **Second Place - \$1,000**
- **Third Place - \$500** • **Merit Awards totaling \$1000**
- **Possibility of special awards**

● entry fee

A **non-refundable** fee of \$40 per artist for THREE (3) entries upon submission through the **Applied Arts** app at exhibitions.artistscollectivespartanburg.org.

All works will be allowed a single image per submission, plus one detail image. Entries will be accepted **Friday July 1 - Sunday July 31, 2022.**

● notification

Notification of acceptance will be emailed and displayed on our website by midnight **Monday August 15, 2022.**

exhibitions.artistscollectivespartanburg.org

● submissions

Only original works of art produced within the past three years will be accepted in the following mediums:

painting • pastel • drawing • sculpture • ceramic • glass • photography • fiber arts • original hand-pulled prints • jewelry • weaving • basketry • wood • mixed media • digital media

Artists Collective | Spartanburg reserves the right to reject any work that differs dramatically from the image submitted.

Jewelry submissions must have their own secure vitrine.

All works to be hung must have **professional quality framing and be securely wired**, and if subject to damage, must be framed under plexiglas or glass. No sawtooth or clip mounting will be accepted.

Three-dimensional work must be able to sit solidly on a flat surface or be properly mounted for hanging, and must not exceed 36 inches in width or 72 inches in height, nor weigh more than 50 lbs. If works are not adequately prepared for display, they will be withdrawn from jurying.

Two-dimensional pieces should not exceed 36 inches by 48 inches including frame, regardless of orientation. Please keep in mind that entries must be transported or shipped by the artist and be prepared for hanging in a conventional gallery.

● liability

Artists Collective | Spartanburg does not assume responsibility for insuring the works of art. All artwork will be handled with care while in our possession.

Upon physical delivery of work after acceptance by online jurying, Artists Collective | Spartanburg reserves the right to refuse any entry at its discretion if the image presented online misrepresented the work, or the work presents a danger or liability to the viewing public, and also reserves the right to photograph and reproduce for educational or marketing purposes any entry submitted.

The receipt of an entry in the juried exhibition will constitute agreement by the artist to all conditions set forth in the prospectus.

● sale of work

All entries are available for sale unless otherwise noted. A 30% commission will be charged by Artists Collective | Spartanburg. If a work is Not For Sale, "NFS" must be noted on your entry card. No "POR" (Price On Requests) will be accepted. Works for sale must have price listed and will be sold as exhibited.

You may also choose to make your artwork available for sale online. The same terms apply.

● delivery of entries

Entries may be delivered in person or shipped. **Sunday August 28 – Saturday September 3, 2022**
Delivery Hours: **10:00 am – 4:00 pm**
Artists Collective | Spartanburg
578 West Main St.,
Spartanburg, SC, 29301

IMPORTANT:
Works to be RETURN SHIPPED must have preprinted, prepaid labels

● pickup of entries

Accepted entries may be picked up **Sunday October 23 - Saturday October 29, 2022**
Pick Up Hours: **from 10 am to 4 pm each day**

Work not picked-up after October 29, 2022 will become the property of Artists Collective | Spartanburg.

● the jurors

Ryan Roth

Head - Visual Arts Department
Fine Arts Center, Greenville

... is currently teaching at the Fine Arts Center in Greenville, SC. Before joining the faculty of the Fine Arts Center in 2012, Ryan Roth taught at The Ohio State University, Denison University, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, and The University of Georgia. He also was living in New York City working as an artist and for the top antique framer in the nation, Eli Wilner & Company.

Roth earned his BFA from Valdosta State University and his MFA in Drawing and Painting at The University of Georgia. Roth has participated in various exhibitions across the United States. He has also participated in international exhibits in Europe and China.

For many years now, Ryan Roth's artwork has primarily focused on the ethical and psychological challenges of the idea of the "corporate man" and his relentless pursuit of business success - or lack thereof. <http://www.ryanrothart.com>

Reni Gower

Awarded SECAC's Award for Outstanding Artistic Achievement

... received a 2020 Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant. In 2017, she was awarded SECAC's Award for Outstanding Artistic Achievement. In 2014, she received the College Art Association's Distinguished Teacher of Art Award, as well as distinguished teaching awards from Virginia Commonwealth University and VCUarts. Her art work is represented in many prestigious collections and has been exhibited at international and national venues for over 40 years. In addition to her painting practice, she curates award winning traveling exhibitions. After 37 years, Professor Emerita Gower retired from Virginia Commonwealth University in December 2018. Gower is represented by Chroma Projects, Charlottesville, VA.

Reni Gower's artwork recognizes geometric perfection as the matrix of humanity. Since ancient times, perfect forms (circle, square, and triangle) have been thought to convey sacred and universal truths by reflecting the fractal interconnections of the natural world. <https://www.renigower.com>

● calendar of events

Submission Dates

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Friday July 1 - Sunday July 31, 2022 at
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Delivery of Work

Artists Collective | Spartanburg
578 West Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29301
(864) 804 - 6501

Shipped entries must arrive by
4pm Saturday September 3, 2022.

Hand-delivered entries must arrive between
Sunday August 28 - Saturday September 3, 2022 between **10 am - 4 pm.**

Show Opens

Tuesday September 13, 2022

Opening Reception & Awards Ceremony

Saturday September 17, 2022

Show Closes

Saturday October 22, 2022

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Artists Collective | Spartanburg
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Solomon Gallery

4th Annual Juried Exhibition

Tuesday, 13 Sep - Saturday, 22 Oct

Awards Ceremony & Reception

Saturday, 17 Sep 6 - 8p



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Annual Juried Exhibition

2022

