

FRIENDS OF YUKON PERMANENT ART COLLECTION CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE YUKON PERMANENT ART COLLECTION

GUIDELINES

The Yukon Permanent Art Collection provides Yukoners and visitors with an opportunity to experience our cultural legacy as it is expressed through the visual arts, and contributes to the professional development and economic well-being of Yukon artists.

We are looking for work that demonstrates exceptional skill, innovation, originality and vision.

Artists at any stage of their careers and from all communities are invited to apply. Please spread the word and help to build a Yukon Permanent Art Collection representative of the art practice here!

Deadline for Submissions: February 1, 2018

Please note: submissions must be received by 4:30 pm on the deadline. Please allow time to mail your submission if required.

Please keep in mind the following when considering work to submit:

- Work will be juried in March 2018
- Results will be mailed promptly

Submissions

- Up to three (3) works per artist.
- Artwork must be original.
- Artwork should be complete; artists interested in submitting work in progress should contact the Art Curator to consult.
- **This year, the Call for Submissions is focused on relief and three-dimensional artwork. Storage space for the Yukon Permanent Art Collection is limited, particularly with regards to 2D works and large 3D works. Artists considering submitting 3D artwork exceeding 36"x36"x24" should consult with the Art Curator.**
- The work must be suitable for display in a public building.
- Work that requires special equipment for exhibition will not be considered, unless the equipment is included as part of the work.
- Shipping costs (if necessary) are the responsibility of the artist.
- Prices should include 5% GST, if applicable.
- If work submitted is already sold, alternate work will not be accepted.
- Do not send the original work; please send images (see below).
- Artwork submitted by non-Yukon artists must have a clear relevance to the North.

Artist Eligibility

- Work will be considered from all artists; however, preference will be as follows:
 1. Yukon artists – an artist with 12 months residence on the closing date of the call for submissions. A resident is an individual who has, as their primary place of living, a Yukon address
 2. Expatriate artists – an artist who was previously a Yukon resident but no longer has a Yukon address
 3. Non-Yukon artists – an artist who does not and never has lived in the Yukon whose work has a resonance in the north
- Work will not be acquired from artists whose work has been purchased for the collection within the last two (2) years

Images

- Slides, prints, or digital images are acceptable; please submit only one format. Multiple images of each work will be accepted; details are encouraged.
- Images submitted should be of the highest possible quality. Applicants requiring assistance can contact the Art Curator (see contact information below).
- Slides or prints:
 - Slides and prints should be clearly labeled with artist's name and title of work, and marked with an arrow in the upper right hand corner to indicate the top and correct viewing side of the slide. If submitting details, number images in order of viewing, e.g. 01, 02, 03 etc.
 - Submit with completed Yukon Permanent Art Collection Submission form
- Digital images:
 - Digital images should be either jpg or tif files at a resolution of 300 dpi with a suggested size of 1024 x 768 pixels in RGB or greyscale colour mode. Equivalent physical size should be approximately 5x7".
 - Images must be PC compatible
 - Label each file (image) with the artist's name and the title or the work in the following format: last_name_first name_title of work (e.g. doe_jane_untitled.jpg)
 - If detail images are included, label each file (image) with the artist's last name, first name, title and sequential number (e.g. doe_jane_untitled01.jpg, doe_jane_untitled02.jpg)
 - Submit on a single CD-ROM, DVD or USB with completed Yukon Permanent Art Submission form. Images in jpg format may also be emailed.

Submission forms are available from the Arts Section website: www.tc.gov.yk.ca/ypac

Hard copy forms are available from the Arts Section, Department of Tourism and Culture, 100 Hanson Street, and from the Yukon Arts Centre.

Submissions may be mailed to:

Friends of Yukon Permanent Art Collection Acquisition Committee
c/o Geneviève Gagnon, Art Curator
Dept. of Tourism and Culture
Box 2703 (L-3)
Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 2C6

Submissions may also be emailed to: genevieve.gagnon@gov.yk.ca

For more information, contact:

Geneviève Gagnon, Art Curator, Arts Section:
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