

Alliance for the Arts - Call for Artists

Member's Exhibition - Challenging Stereotypes

Exhibiting: January 7 – January 29, 2022



Stereotypes, oversimplified assumptions leading to prejudice, affect everyone. They can be based on race, nationality, gender, ability, and sexual orientation. The use of stereotypes to make sweeping generalizations leads to a loss of individuality by grouping together everyone who shares a certain trait or characteristic.

Running alongside Theater Conspiracy's production of *The Colored Museum*, this exhibition encourages our members to examine the ways stereotypes have negatively affected their lives and find ways to celebrate their culture and identity through art. Together, we can challenge the labels and limitations placed on us by others and reclaim our identities and individuality. Art for this exhibition should be evocative and allow the viewers to see each piece through the unique eyes of the artist. We invite artists to submit art that confronts and undermines stereotypes they have faced and reframe the narrative to celebrate the things that make us each unique.

ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY FEE:

There is no entry fee, however only one entry per current Alliance member will be accepted. Accepted mediums: Only 2-D work will be accepted. Artwork must be wired and ready to hang, Artists are responsible for all delivery or shipping costs. Open to all current [Alliance for the Arts members](#), Non-members wishing to enter may do so by purchasing a membership onsite, online or by calling 239-939-2787 or visiting www.ArtInLee.org/Join. Individual memberships are \$55 and are good for one year.

AWARDS:

There will be no awards for this exhibition.

SPECIFICATIONS:

We are asking artists to submit 2D artwork. Only original artwork will be accepted. No giclée. Please include a short artist statement with your work explaining how your piece fits the theme.

All 2D artwork must be wired and ready to hang and not exceed six feet in any direction. The work will be hung in both the Theatre Lobby and Member Galleries.

LIABILITY

Artists are responsible for all shipping costs. Every effort will be made to handle with care, including protection from loss. Alliance for the Arts will not be liable for loss or damage caused or occurring while work is exhibited or during

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shipping. Submission of any artwork constitutes an agreement to all conditions of this entry form, including schedule and permission to photograph for publicity purposes. Signature on the entry form is an agreement to these conditions.

SALES

All submitted works selected for inclusion and display during this exhibition must be offered for sale to the public at a labeled price set by the artist. A 40% commission will be retained by the Alliance for the Arts on all work sold during the exhibition.

Important Dates

Artwork Drop Off: Monday, January 3, 2022 9am-5pm

Onsite Opening Reception: Friday, January 7, 6-8pm

Artwork Pickup: Monday, January 31, 9am-5pm

Please fill out the entry form on the back and the identification card for the back of the artwork.

Identification Card: (Place on back of artwork)
Artist: _____
Title: _____
Medium: _____
Price: _____
Phone: _____

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Please fill this form out for our records:

Name _____ Email _____ Day Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

TITLE	MEDIUM	SIZE	PRICE/NFS

_____ SIGNATURE _____ DATE

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VISA/MC/AMX # _____ EXP _____ V-CODE _____ OR CHECK # _____

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