

# d'ART CENTER 22nd ANNUAL Mid-ATLANTIC art EXHIBITION Works on PAPER and of CLAY

PROSPECTUS

A National Competition

APRIL 27- JUNE 29, 2012

d'ART Center @ Selden Arcade

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## JUROR

**Sondra N. Arkin**, is an artist and curator who works in printmaking, sculpture, assemblage and encaustic. She is a Founding Director of Mid City Arts and Board Chair of Art Enables, organizations that promote art and artists in the Washington DC area. As curator of the District of Columbia City Hall Art Collection she assembled the largest collection of regional art on display in Washington DC. Her work is held in private, corporate and public collections including the U. S. State Department's Art in Embassies Program, the District of Columbia Art Bank and national museums. She is represented by Long View Gallery in Washington, DC and Ward Ellinger Gallery in Rehoboth Beach, DE.

## AWARDS ~ \$3,200

The Juror will select the work for the exhibition from images and determine award winners when art is installed.

**\$1500 Best-in-Show**, Purchase

Award for d'ART collection;

**\$600** Award of Excellence;

**\$300** Award of Distinction;

**\$200** Award of Merit (2);

**\$200** Memorial Awards (2).

**AWARD RECEPTION: April 27, 2012**

Friday, 6-8 pm at d'ART ~ FREE.

## ELIGIBILITY

Artists over the age of 18 are eligible to enter. Artwork must

be original, completed within the last two years, and not previously shown at d'ART Center. d'ART reserves the right to refuse entry of works with unusual installation or works otherwise judged unsuitable.

**All Artwork must be for sale.**

## ENTRY Application

Artists should complete attached **Entry & Notification Form** giving all information requested and send a S.A.S.E., Self Addressed Stamped Envelope, (business-size) for notification. A non-refundable fee of **\$30** for up to **5 images** must accompany form, **Payable to the d'ART Center.**

**Entry DEADLINE: March 6, 2012**

## ARTWORK IMAGES

**DIGITAL** - Submit PC readable CD containing JPEGs no larger than 3 MB per image at 300 dpi. Title files with **Artist Name & Title of work**. Please label CD with Artist's name. **CDs will be returned in provided S.A.S.E.**

**ACCEPTANCE NOTIFICATION**  
mailed to Artists: **APRIL 2, 2012**

## DELIVERY of Work

Accepted work may be hand delivered or shipped to d'ART Center. All shipped work must arrive **prepaid by UPS in reinforced, reusable cartons**. Shipped work must be framed under Plexiglas; **GLASS is NOT acceptable.**

**DELIVER ART: April 20-22, 2012**

## RETURN of Work

Return shipping fees, **by UPS only**, must be sent under separate cover. Insurance is the responsibility of the artist.

**PICK UP Artwork: JULY 7, 2012**

## SALES

**ALL works submitted must be for sale.** A **commission of 40%** will be retained by d'ART Center on all sales. Work will be sold at the price listed on the entry form. Artists will receive payment for work sold within one month of the close of exhibition. The sale price of the work must be reasonable and in line with artist's previous sales.

## PREPARATION of Work

All work should be labeled and ready for installation with proper hanging devices attached and any special instructions included. If special display cases or devices are needed, the artist must supply them. Two dimensional work must not exceed 50" in any dimension, including frame. Sculpture should not exceed 72" including base, and must not exceed 100 lbs.

## LIABILITY

d'ART Center insurance covers work only while on d'ART Center premises. Work is covered for the percentage due artist. d'ART Center will not accept responsibility for loss or damage in transit. Submission of the entry form constitutes agreement by the artist to the conditions in this prospectus.

## 2012 Mid-Atlantic CALENDAR

**MARCH 6, 2012**

**Entry DEADLINE: 4 pm.**

**APRIL 2, 2012**

**ACCEPTANCE**

Notification mailed to Artists.

**APRIL 20 -22, 2012**

**DELIVER** selected works to d'ART by 4 pm.

**APRIL 27, 2012, Friday**  
**AWARD RECEPTION,**  
6-8 pm @ d'ART ~ FREE

**APRIL 27- JUNE 29, '12**  
**Artwork on EXHIBIT**  
**FREE ADMISSION:**

*Exhibit open* Tues. - Sat.  
10-5 pm & Sundays 1-5 pm

**JULY 7, 2012**

**PICK UP Artwork**

Please pick up hand delivered work by or before **JULY 7, 2012** by 4:00 pm.

**Shipped artwork** will be returned by UPS at Artist's expense.

Work remaining at Center beyond pick up date is subject to a \$10 storage fee. Work not picked up within 30 days becomes property of d'ART Center.

**JULY 31, 2012**

Artists **PAID** for sold work.

**d'ART ENTRY & NOTIFICATION FORM** for the 22nd Annual Mid Atlantic Art Exhibition on page 2.

**Deadline for Entry: March 6, 2012**