



Call For Art- Fair in Art 451

The Las Cruces Arts and Cultural District is hosting an Art Show at the Rio Grande Theatre Gallery.

Show Dates: June 3- July 7, 2022.

Submission dates April 5- May 5, 2022

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About the Show:

Fair in Art 451 is a gallery show designed to be a visual art component of the ACD Literary Arts Festival. The show's name is a play on the classic novel and meant to bring awareness to the intersectionality of literary and visual arts while promoting the payment of fair market value for artistic works. All pieces in the show will be literary in theme and no work will be priced over \$451.00.

What Type of Work Will Be Considered?

Artists may submit up to 5 works that speak to the proprieties above. Works from different mediums will be considered such drawing, painting, and photography. How the work meets the show criteria is also broad in scope, works such as but not limited to visually enhanced poetry, illustration, and works inspired by literature will be considered. All submitted works must be wall hangable. All work must be delivered framed and wired, or otherwise prepared for presentation (ex. clips and pins), and 100% ready to hand. It is the artists discretion to list their piece(s) for sale.

All work submitted must be original to the artist and under no outside licensing or copyright.

How will work be considered?

A jury of local artists and stakeholders will evaluate submissions and select 10- 20 pieces for the show. The jury will consider the composition and quality of work, adherence to theme, and subtlety for space. Preference will be given to local artists with extra consideration given to artists who live/work in district. Decisions of the jury are final and not subject to review.

How do I deliver my work?

Work will be delivered to and picked-up from the Rio Grande Theatre. Directions will be provided to selected artists. Work that is left 30 days after pick-up date will be disposed of by gallery.



Sales and Entry Fees:

There are no sales or entry fees for the show.

Submission Requirements:

To submit an email with the stated information below must be sent to assistant@dlcp.org

- Image of work must be attached as a jpeg file. Maximum size for any image is 2MB
- Size of work in inches. For vertical and horizontal work format size as height before width
- Title of work

Image File Labeling:

- Your Last name_First name_title of piece
 - Example: Smith_Tim_Reflections.jpeg

Liability:

Great care will be taken of your artwork, but artists are responsible for insuring their own pieces if they wish. The Arts and Cultural District, Downtown Las Cruces Partnership, and the Rio Grande Theatre will not be responsible for any loss or damage to work while on the premises or transit to or from the gallery. Submission of any entry to this exhibition shall be understood to constitute an agreement on the part of the artist to the terms and conditions stated in this call.

Event Schedule

April 5	Call Opens
May 5	Call Closes
May 12	Notifications sent out by this date
May 18	Delivery of Work 12-5PM
May TBA	Installation
June 3	Exhibition Opens
June 3	Reception 6-8PM
July 7	Exhibition Closes
July 10	Pick- up work 12-5PM
August 10	Final Day to Pick up work (by appointment)