



Kansas Artist Craftsmen Association

KACA Members and Material Mastery Exhibitions

Moss-Thorns Gallery of Art
Fort Hays State University
600 Park Street
Hays, KS 67601

October 19 to November 7, 2009

OVERVIEW & ELIGIBILITY

Two exhibitions are open to regular and student members who renew (or begin) their KACA membership for 2009-10 (the membership period from the 2009 conference to the 2010 conference). Payment of 2009-10 membership dues need to accompany all entries to the KACA exhibitions.

All members may submit **up to 6 works from which one piece is guaranteed to be selected for the KACA Members Exhibition**. In addition, an additional selected show, "Material Mastery," will be exhibited in conjunction with the Members Exhibition. Both exhibitions will be selected from the digital images submitted. Each participant is asked to submit up to 6 images of their work by May 15, 2009.

All craft mediums are acceptable and the entries must be original artwork completed within the last four years and not displayed in past KACA exhibitions or in the Moss-Thorns Gallery.

Artists are responsible for the insurance of their work while in transit and on display at the Moss-Thorns Gallery. Every effort will be made to carefully handle and re-pack the work, but the Moss-Thorns Gallery will not have an insurance rider for the exhibition.

ENTRY MATERIALS

To enter the exhibition, please send Glen Brown:

1. Completed **entry form** and the digital images of the artwork on a CD.
2. Completed **membership form** and payment of 2009-10 membership dues.

Works for both exhibitions will be selected from the submitted digital images. The images need to be JPEG or Tiff formatted files with 300 pixels per inch resolution and a width and/or height maximum of 1800 pixels (6 inches). The CD should only contain the images being entered.

***Digital files should be named using the following format:

(LastName)_(FirstName).jpg (.tif)

Example: smith_john.jpg (.tif)

Three-dimensional works may be represented by two images (label *a* and *b*) from different views. CDs will not be returned.

Entry materials must be received by **May 15, 2009**

Please ensure that artwork will be available for the exhibition when submitting materials.

Works will be selected by:

Linda Ganstrom, Professor of Ceramics, Fort Hays State University
Glen R. Brown, Professor of Art History at Kansas State University.

NOTIFICATION OF SELECTED WORKS

Email notification of acceptance into the exhibitions will be sent on or before September 15, 2009.

SALES

All sales are the responsibility of the artist and an interested party. FHSU Moss-Thorns Gallery can facilitate sales, but will not charge a percentage.

DELIVERY AND RETURN OF ARTWORK

Artwork will be received at the **Moss-Thorns Gallery**, first floor of Rarick Hall on the Fort Hays State University campus, from **October 12** through **October 16, 2009**. Hand-delivered artwork can be brought to the gallery during normal hours of operation (Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 4 p.m.). Shipped artwork can be sent using the UPS or FedEx. Please use this information on the shipping label:

KACA Exhibition
Linda Ganstrom
Department of Art and Design, Rarick 102
Fort Hays State University
711 Park Street
Hays, KS 67601

Shipping containers need to be **sturdy** and **reusable**. Please read the packing instructions from the carrier, work not double boxed may be ineligible for insurance claims. Artwork must be easily accessed and placed back into the original box. Please send pictures of how the work was packed. Work will be returned in the same container and manner as received.

Work will be returned C.O.D. to the artist. Works will be returned using the same shipper.

Hand-delivered artwork may be picked up at the end of the conference on Saturday, November 7, 2009. Following this, work may be picked up during normal Gallery hours (Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.) from Nov. 9 – 13. If not picked up by Nov. 20, 2009, FHSU will dispose of the work.

For additional information contact **Linda Ganstrom** at (785) 628-4273 or lganstro@fhsu.edu

CALENDAR

May 15, 2009. Submission deadline for Membership Form, Entry Form and Images on CD.

September 15, 2009. Approximate date of Exhibition notification.

October 12 - 16, 2009. Artwork is due at the Moss-Thorns Gallery.

October 19, 2009. Exhibition OPENS.

Moss-Thorns Gallery, Fort Hays State University – Rarick Hall, first floor
Hours: 8:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

November 6, 2009. Reception from 7 to 9 p.m.

November 7, 2009. Exhibition ENDS and artwork may be picked up.

November 9 – 13. Hand delivered work may be picked up.

November 9 to 20, 2009. . . Shipped works returned C.O. D.

November 20, 2009. Unclaimed work will be disposed of.

KACA Members Exhibition and "Material Mastery" ENTRY FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

ENTRY:

1. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

2. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

3. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

4. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

5. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

6. Title: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price (or N.F.S.): _____

KACA Membership Form

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone (h): _____ (w): _____ (cell): _____

Briefly – if a new member, your affiliation (faculty, studio artist, student, etc) and medium:

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Please note, that there will not be a separate Student Exhibition and that students are welcome and encouraged to enter these exhibitions.

Dues Schedule:

Single Membership - \$30

Family Membership - \$35

Student Membership - \$25

Mail Forms, CD and Membership fees to:

Glen Brown

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