



**Culver-Stockton College Art & Design Department and The Best of Missouri Hands** are soliciting entries for an exhibition of handmade fine arts and crafts created by Midwest artists and artisans

## **CALL FOR ARTISTS**

Midwest artists and artisans, you are invited to submit an application for our upcoming juried exhibition at the Mabee Art Gallery at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Missouri from November 8th to December 14th 2018. This exhibition is part of the ***BOMH On The Road*** series.

### **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

This exhibition was developed by The Missouri Artisans Association, d.b.a. The Best of Missouri Hands, and the Mabee Art Gallery to provide a forum to demonstrate the creativity and diversity of the artists and artisans of Missouri and the Midwest region. We encourage artists to submit works that exemplify Missouri's traditions of handmade arts and crafts.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

This exhibition is open to anyone aged 18 and older living in Missouri or any of the contiguous surrounding states. Entries must be original and not previously exhibited at the Mabee Art Gallery. Maximum size 48" x 72", including frame. Maximum weight: 75 lbs. Hanging works must be wired for installation, no sawtooth hangers are allowed. Three-dimensional pieces must fit through doorway, including frame or stand. Artists are welcome to handle their own transactions during the artists' reception, there is no commission charged on any sales. Works not for sale may be designated NFS.

## **ENTRY SUBMITTAL – Deadline October 3, 2018**

Entries will be accepted in the form of an emailed JPEG image.

Entries will be also accepted by the submission of a website where the artist's work may be viewed.

- Artists are invited to submit up to three works in any medium
- Required: 1 image per each entry with title, medium, and size
- Include name, address, email address, and phone
- There is no entry fee for this exhibition

Emailed entries may be sent to [doncrozier@gmail.com](mailto:doncrozier@gmail.com)

Artists will be notified by October 9th as to acceptance into the show.

If an artist wishes to include an artist statement, they should be displayed in a frame and hung near their own work. Pedestals may be available upon request but participants are encouraged to make advanced arrangements.

### **SHIPMENT, RETURN OF WORK, AND LIABILITY**

Shipping artwork to and from the exhibit is the responsibility of the artist. Works must be labeled with artist's name, title of work, media, and price. Shipping cartons must be reusable and within shipping guidelines. It is the responsibility of the artist to provide postage and insurance to and from the exhibit and to schedule delivery and pick-up of the work. Receipt of the completed form constitutes your agreement with all conditions established in the prospectus. It is the responsibility of the artist to provide all shipping costs and insurance on works during shipment. Consent to reproduce works photographically, for publicity purposes, is assumed to be granted. All reasonable care will be taken with your works, but neither the Mabee Art Gallery nor Best of Missouri Hands will be responsible for theft or damage incurred at the location. We recommend artists provide their own insurance coverage for each submission.

## CALENDAR

Oct 3rd	Deadline for Entries
Oct 9th	Artists Notified
Nov 1st	Deadline to Drop Off Accepted Entries at Mabee Art Gallery
Nov 8th	Exhibit Opening & Reception, 5:30pm at the Mabee Art Gallery
Dec 14th	Exhibit Closes

Participating artists are strongly encouraged to advertise this event. If each artist brings a few guests; the show will be a success for all. Feel welcome to post this call for artists, or forward it to other artists that may be interested.

Free & Open to the Public Artist Reception Thursday, November 8th, 5:30 pm

The show is open Monday through Friday from 10 am - 4 pm and other times by appointment. The exhibit is free and open to the public. For further information call 573-288-6346 or visit [www.culver.edu](http://www.culver.edu)

Mabee Art Gallery Hours:

Monday through Friday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Mabee Art Gallery is located in Herrick Center on Hilltop Drive near College Hill

Mabee Art Gallery at Culver-Stockton College

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