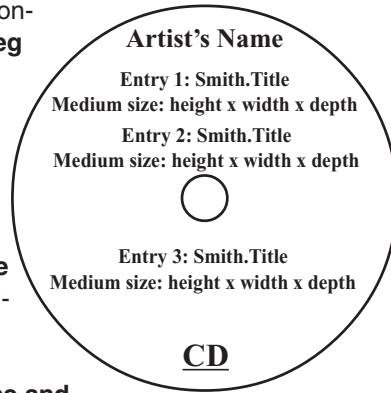


RULES OF ENTRY : 81ST NATIONAL MIDYEAR SHOW

1. Entrants must reside in the USA or one of its territories, and must be 18 years of age or older.
2. You may enter **up to three works of art** created in any **two-dimensional media**; enter by CD. **YOU MUST FILL OUT AND SIGN THE ENTRY FORM.**
3. Works may be paintings, drawings, pastels, photographs or digital works that were created after January 1, 2015.
4. Works must be no more than 6 feet in any direction and less than 125 pounds.
5. You must enter on a **CD with jpeg images** of your work. Entries must accurately depict your work. Details of works will not be considered. **CD's must be labeled**, and **each jpeg must be titled** with your last name and title of entry (example *Smith.flowers.jpg*). **CD's will not be returned. All accepted works may be published and properly credited in materials pertaining to the Midyear.**
6. Mail the form with credit card information or check made payable to The Butler Institute of American Art to cover the \$50.00 nonrefundable entry fee, **along with a self-addressed stamped envelope** to receive notification.



Without the self-addressed stamped envelope and payment, your entry will not be processed. DO NOT CALL. You will receive acceptance via mail.

INSURANCE LIABILITY

ARTISTS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN INSURANCE.

The Butler Institute cannot assume any liability for loss or damage, however caused. Submission of an entry to this exhibition and/or the signature of the artist on the entry blank provided constitutes agreement by the artist to all the terms and conditions which are contained herein.

CASH AWARDS

Cash awards will be announced Sunday, July 9, 2017. Winners not present at the exhibition opening will be contacted by mail after that date.

DELIVERY/RETURN OF ACCEPTED WORKS

Hand deliveries will be accepted Tues.-Fri., May 23-June 2, 2017 from 11 am to 3 pm.

Hand deliveries must be picked up Tues.-Fri., August 22-September 5, 2017, from 11 am to 3 pm.

No delivery or pick up on Saturday, Sunday or Monday unless scheduled.

All shipping arrangements and costs to and from the Butler are the responsibility of the artist. Do not use peanuts as packing materials. Include a check payable to BIAA or prepaid return shipping form to cover costs of return shipping. For shipping information, e-mail Zach Repphun at ztrepphun@gmail.com.

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Friday, June 2, 2017 • Deadline for Receipt of all Accepted Works

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August 22 - *September 5, 2017 • Deadline for Pickup of Works

(*Works left after this date are subject to disposal)

EXHIBITION JUROR

This year's exhibition will be judged by
**Sean P. McConnor, Professor of Painting,
Curator of Art at Thiel College in
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Mail Entries to: Midyear • The Butler Institute of American Art
524 Wick Avenue • Youngstown, Ohio 44502

NAME: _____
(please print clearly)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ *E-MAIL: _____

TITLE of ENTRY #1: _____

MEDIUM: _____

SIZE in INCHES (H X W): _____

TITLE of ENTRY #2: _____

MEDIUM: _____

SIZE in INCHES (H X W): _____

TITLE of ENTRY #3: _____

MEDIUM: _____

SIZE in INCHES (H X W): _____

I grant permission of the reproduction of my art in press releases, invitations, newsletters, publications and website to The Butler Institute of American Art.

Signature Date

SALE OF WORK

* No sales will be handled by the Butler. If you would like to be contacted directly by interested buyers, provide an email address (above).

- Yes, I would like to be contacted regarding sale of my work.
 No, I do not want to be contacted regarding sale of my work.

Method of Payment for Non-Refundable \$50.00 Entry Fee

(select one)

- CHECK (enclosed) made payable to
The Butler Institute of American Art
- VISA
 MASTERCARD

16 DIGIT CREDIT CARD NUMBER

PRINT NAME ON CREDIT CARD

CARD HOLDER SIGNATURE EXPIRATION DATE

Stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed for notification.

I understand the art I have submitted on CD is entirely my own work and that the CD will not be returned. Also, the images may be published and properly credited in printed materials pertaining to the Midyear. My signature below constitutes agreement to all terms stated on this form.

ARTIST'S SIGNATURE DATE

JURY NOTIFICATION CARD (List the titles of your entries here.)

Works packed in peanuts will not be accepted.

ARTISTS NAME _____

TITLE of ENTRY #1: _____
 Accepted Not Accepted

TITLE of ENTRY #2: _____
 Accepted Not Accepted

TITLE of ENTRY #3: _____
 Accepted Not Accepted

Please send accepted works with PREPAID RETURN SHIPPING CHARGES
PRIOR TO JUNE 2, 2017 TO: Attn: MIDYEAR

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CUT COMPLETED FORM AND MAIL WITH PAYMENT