2020-2021 EXHIBITION SERIES | OPEN GALLERY

Transcending Borders

For the 2020/2021 season, we invite artist to work with real or perceived restrictions, containments, rules, or labels in such a way as to push beyond their limitations. These borders could be self-imposed, cultural, societal, physical or natural divisions. This exhibition would be an opportunity to challenge, question, conform, or break these constraints.

The Department of Visual and Performing Arts is calling for exhibition proposals for the Open Gallery in The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation Arts Center that address the theme, "Transcending Borders." Four exhibitions will be scheduled for the 2020/2021 academic year.

Application Process

Eligibility: Applicants must be at least 18 years of age. Current Montgomery College students are not eligible to submit proposals.

Eligible works: The Open Gallery is primarily linear wall space that can accommodate two-dimensional works up to 54" tall. Freestanding, pedestal, and wall hung three-dimensional works up to 75lbs. will also be considered. Video and digital works that can be displayed on monitors will be considered. Video projections are not eligible. A floor plan of the Open Gallery is available on our web site, https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/academics/departments/visual-performing-arts-tpss/gallery-performance-studio-spaces.html

Deadlines: All proposals must be received by **March** 22, 2020 to be considered. Applicants will be notified by June 5.

Submission: Completed proposal form via JotForm Link: https://form.jotform.com/200486723490153

Questions can be addressed to Katherine Knight, Exhibitions Committee Coordinator, katherine.knight@montgomerycollege.edu

Application materials checklist

- ❏ Completed proposal form
- ❏ 10–20 images of artwork representative of work to be exhibited
- ❏ Corresponding image list with titles, dimensions, media, and date
- ❏ Current resume or CV for each artist to be included in the exhibition
- ❏ Statement of Exhibition Theme/Concept
- ❏ Instructions for Installation/Materials or Equipment Required

Further instructions

Portfolio: Upload 10-20 digital images as a single compressed zip file. Be sure to resize your images! The LONGEST SIDE of the image needs to be exactly 2100px at 300dpi, sRGB, jpeg format. Alternatively, you can upload a pdf with the URL that links to a shared Dropbox folder with the images.

Resume/CV: PDF format. Upload all resumes/CVs as a single compressed zip file.