

Call For Entries



87th Annual Spring Show

Erie Art Museum

Juror : Roger Shimomura
Deadline April 3, 2010

Graphics Data: For Prints and Photographs

Artists entering prints and photographs complete this section:

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87th Annual Spring Show

April 24 – July 3, 2010

All artists residing within 250 miles of the City of Erie are invited to enter works not previously exhibited in the Erie area.

Prizes

A total of \$10,000: cash awards of \$2,500, including the Northwestern Pennsylvania Artists Association Award, and \$7,500 in guaranteed purchases. The cash awards will be divided among the juror's selections of the best works in the show. There may also be juror's mentions. Purchase selections will be made by the firms and individuals offering purchase awards.

Juror



Roger Shimomura will serve as Juror of Selection and Awards. Shimomura's paintings, prints, and theatre pieces address sociopolitical issues of Asian American communities and have often been inspired by diaries kept by his late immigrant grandmother for 56 years of her life.

He has had over 125 solo exhibitions of paintings and prints, as well as presenting his experimental theater pieces at such

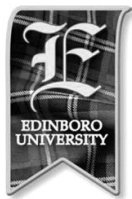
venues as the Franklin Furnace, New York City, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, and the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC. He is the recipient of more than 30 grants, of which four are National Endowment for the Arts Fellowships in Painting and Performance Art. A past winner of the Kansas Governor's Arts Award, in 2008, he was designated the first Kansas Master Artist and the same year was honored by the Asian American Arts Alliance, NYC, as "Exceptional People in Fashion, Food & the Arts."

Shimomura's work is in the permanent collections of over 80 museums nationwide. His personal papers and letters are being collected by the Archives of American Art, Smithsonian Institution in Washington, DC. He is represented by The Flomenhaft Gallery, New York City; Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle; and Jan Weiner Gallery, Kansas City.

Shimomura received his BA from the University of Washington, Seattle, and his MFA from Syracuse University, New York. A retired Fine Arts faculty member in the School of Fine Arts at the University of Kansas and the recipient of numerous distinguished honors from KU, Shimomura started the Shimomura Faculty Research Support Fund, an endowment to foster faculty research in the Department of Art at KU.

To learn more, visit www.rshim.com.

Roger Shimomura's visit is made possible through a collaboration between the Museum and Edinboro University of Pennsylvania.



Shimomura will give a free public lecture at Edinboro University's Pogue Center Multi-Purpose Room on April 8, 2010 at 7 p.m.

Sponsored by Edinboro University of Pennsylvania

How To Enter

Fees

Each entrant may submit up to 3 works. Entry fee is \$5 per entry for members of the Erie Art Museum and \$10 per entry for all others. Fees are not refundable. Fees for those works not hand-delivered must be paid by check or money order made payable to the Erie Art Museum. There is a \$15 handling fee for out-of-town works entered by shipment and the return shipping cost must also be included.

Labels

Attached labels should be completely filled out and fixed securely to the upper left corner of the back of each two-dimensional work, and to the underside in the case of sculpture or structure. If a work is not for sale, this should be indicated on both entry blank and label. For graphics, artists should indicate on back of entry form the size of the edition, the number of prints available for sale, and the price for matted, unframed prints, as well as the price of the framed print entered in the show.

Framing

All works, including graphics, drawings, photographs, etc., must be properly framed, wired, and ready for hanging. Corner clips and similar non-frame mounts are not acceptable.

Media

Works in all media may be entered, including painting, photography, graphics, sculpture, etc. Works should not exceed 72 inches in any dimension or weigh more than 100 pounds. Artists proposing to submit works requiring specialized installation should confer with Museum staff well before entry deadline.

Delivery

Calendar

Work will be accepted at the **Erie Art Museum Frame Shop**, 423 State Street, on Saturday, March 20, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, March 27, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, April 1, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday, April 2, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday, April 3, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Out-of-town works may be submitted by prepaid shipment. Entry form and appropriate fees, including handling and return shipping fee, should be enclosed with works. **Deadline for entries is Saturday, April 3 at 5 p.m.** (Shipped works must be received by Saturday, April 3, 2010.) Works arriving after that time will not be considered. Ship works to Erie Art Museum Frame Shop, 423 State Street, Erie PA 16501.

Judging

Notification of acceptance or rejection will be mailed to each entrant upon completion of the judging.

Opening

A private preview and reception for the artists and members of the Erie Art Museum will be held on **Saturday, April 24, from 7 to 9:30 p.m.** Prizes will be awarded at this time. The Spring Show will be open to the public on Sunday, April 25, at 1 p.m. The exhibition will close Saturday, July 3, 2010.

Closing

Works not accepted for the exhibition **MUST** be picked up at the Erie Art Museum Annex on Saturday, April 10, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, April 11, 1 to 5 p.m., Saturday, April 17, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, April 18, 1 to 5 p.m. Last day to pick up will be Saturday, April 24, 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. **The Erie Art Museum will not be responsible for rejected works not picked up by April 24.** All works accepted for the exhibit must remain until the close of the show Saturday, July 3, 2010. Works may then be picked up Tuesday, July 6 through Saturday, July 10, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, July 11, 1 to 5 p.m.

Conditions & Instructions

Although due caution will be taken to guard works and frames from injury, all entries must be exhibited at the artist's own risk. No accepted work may be withdrawn before the close of the show. If an artist indicates that a work is not for sale, it may still qualify for an award. Sales are encouraged. The standard commission of 25% will be charged on all sales, including patron purchases. The Erie Art Museum reserves the right to photographically reproduce any accepted work for publicity or educational purposes.

For further information and entry forms visit www.erieartmuseum.org or call (814) 459-5477, or visit the Museum during gallery hours.

Hours: Tuesday through Saturday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Directions

From South - Follow I-79 North until it turns into the Bayfront Parkway. Continue on the Bayfront Parkway to State Street. Turn right onto State Street.

From West - Take I-90 East to Exit 22, follow I-79 North as above.

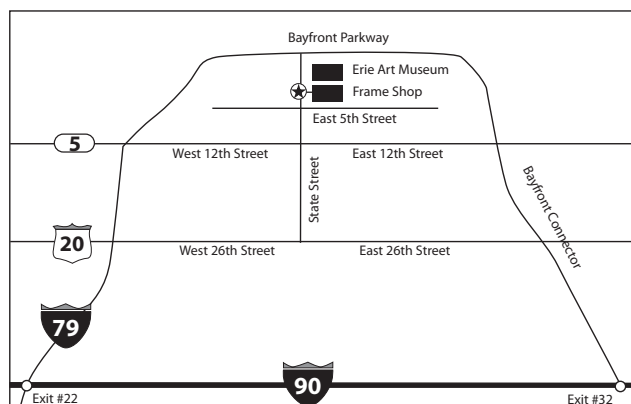
From East - Take I-90 West to Exit 32. Follow the Bayfront Connector to State Street. Turn left onto State Street.

On State Street, the Erie Art Museum Frame Shop is located on your left between 4th and 5th Streets.

Parking

Parking is available along State Street.

Entries are received at the Erie Art Museum Frame Shop located at 423 State St.



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Name _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (day)(evening) _____

Email: _____

1. Title _____ A - M - R

Medium _____

Price _____ Fee Rec'd. _____

Date of Work _____ Dimensions _____

2. Title _____ A - M - R

Medium _____

Price _____ Fee Rec'd. _____

Date of Work _____ Dimensions _____

3. Title _____ A - M - R

Medium _____

Price _____ Fee Rec'd. _____

Date of Work _____ Dimensions _____

Total Fees \$ _____

\$15 Crate Handling Fee (for works entered by shipment) \$ _____

Erie Art Museum Membership Dues: Green Membership (any level + \$10) _____

_____ \$20 Student/Senior Citizen _____ \$35 Individual _____ \$65 Family

Membership \$ _____ Fee \$ _____ Total Enclosed \$ _____

Paid by Check/Cash (circle) _____ Check # _____

I accept all conditions of entering the Erie Art Museum's 87th Annual Spring Show.

(Signature and date)

1. 87th ANNUAL SPRING SHOW of the ERIE ART MUSEUM

Name _____

City, State _____

Title _____

Medium _____

Price _____

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