



2020 National Fine Art Show

Lincoln Gallery
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429 N. Lincoln Ave.
Loveland, CO 80537

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Call Type: Exhibitions

Eligibility: National

State: Colorado

Event Dates: 9/4/20 - 10/2/20

Entry Deadline: 7/26/20

Days remaining to deadline: 124

REQUIREMENTS:

Media

Images - Minimum: 3, Maximum: 6

Total Media - Minimum: 3, Maximum: 6

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The Lincoln Gallery and the Thompson Valley Art League invite you to enter the **2020 NATIONAL FINE ART SHOW**. Open to all U.S. artists working in the 6 categories listed below. All entries must be for sale. Cash awards of almost \$2,500 will be awarded as follows:

Best of Show - \$1,000

Silver Award - \$500

Bronze Award - \$300

Honors Awards in each of the 6 categories of \$100

plus \$50 for People's Choice Award..

Please Note: For those of you who have previously viewed or already entered this show, out of respect for the health and safety of our artists, our gallery staff and our patrons, the Lincoln Gallery has chosen to delay the opening of the National Fine Arts Show until September. The Loveland Museum/Gallery has also delayed their National Governor's Show until then so we will still have the wonderful foot traffic that both of our shows generate.

The exhibition will run from Sep 4 - Oct 2, with the Artists' Reception and Awards Presentation on Friday, Sep 11. The nationally acclaimed **Governor's Art Show** at the Loveland Museum Gallery, located across the street from the Lincoln Gallery will overlap the tail end of our National Fine Art Show.

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ELIGIBILITY:

Open to all US artists working in the listed categories. Work must be original art, not copied from published photos or works by other artists. No installations or sets of works to make one entry will be accepted. The jury reserves the right to disqualify any work which it considers to be in poor taste or inappropriate.

Entries must have been completed within the last 3 years and must not have been accepted to previous Lincoln Gallery or Thompson Valley Art League juried shows.

CATEGORIES:

1. Oil
2. Mixed Media & Acrylic
3. Pastel & Drawing
4. Watercolor
5. 3D & Sculpture
6. Photography

Artists may enter multiple categories but total entries may not exceed 6. Artwork not meeting any of the above criteria will be rejected.

ENTRIES:

Only entries received online through CaFE[®] (callforentry.org) will be considered. Deadline for entry is midnight, July 26, 2020. All artists will be notified by email of the juror's decisions by Aug 12. While the Lincoln Gallery will undertake the utmost care in handling all entries, the Gallery will not be held liable for damage occurring either while in the gallery or during shipping. Insuring the artwork is the responsibility of the artist.

FEES:

\$45 entry fee includes up to 3 entries. Additional entries are \$10 each for a maximum of six (6) entries total. Fees are non-refundable. Your email address will be our primary contact source. Only works selected by the juror will be displayed and eligible for awards from the show.

DELIVERIES:

Hand delivered work will be accepted at Lincoln Gallery, Aug 25-27. Shipped work will be received between Aug 21-27, at the Lincoln Gallery. Any artwork not received by Aug 27, may not be exhibited. Shipping containers will be stored and reused for return shipment. If a piece is sold and the artist wishes the shipping container returned, the Lincoln Gallery must be notified by email. **A prepaid return-shipping label must be included with all shipped artwork.** Return shipments will be shipped by Oct 7. Please deliver or ship to:

Lincoln Gallery
429 North Lincoln Avenue
Loveland, CO 80537
Phone: 970 663-2407

DETAILS:

Delivered artwork must match image juried into show. No substitutions will be allowed. Flat work (including frame) shall not exceed a linear measurement of **75 inches** (*height + width*) and must be wired for hanging. Works exceeding these dimensions or with saw-tooth hangers may not be accepted. Plaques will be accepted if they are properly wired. Frames and matting must be in new or like new condition.

Gallery-wrapped photographs and paintings are acceptable as long as all sides are painted or finished with no visible staples. Gallery-wrapped canvas must be secured on stretcher bars of at least 1" in thickness.

All work to be hung must weigh no more than 25 lbs. Any work deemed to be less than represented in entry or with presentation/appearance deemed to be unacceptable will not be exhibited.

Three-dimensional art must be completed works; no more than 36 inches in any one dimension and weigh no more than 50 pounds. Artists may be required to provide a display stand. Relief works are considered 3-D and must be wired for hanging and weigh no more than 25 lbs. All work must be labeled with an Artist/Art label. *Multiple entries of the same 3D piece are not acceptable and must be entered as a split image on a single entry image.* Please pay special attention to weight and size limitations.

Artist/Art label(s) will be included with the acceptance letters and should be attached to the back of the work. The price(s) we will show on your display labels and the catalogue will be based on the information you indicate on your CaFE[®] entry form. No changes will be allowed.

To facilitate sales, all accepted artists are requested to email their bio to Gallery Director, Jill Atchison (lincolngallery@lincolngallery.com) upon receipt of their confirmation. This information will greatly increase the chances of selling your art when the gallery staff can provide personal information about you and your art.

We also encourage all accepted artists to submit one miniature piece in their accepted category that will be displayed and available for purchase during the show. Wall hung miniatures may not exceed 12" on the longest side including frame and 3D miniatures will be limited to 8" on longest side. Framed Prints are acceptable. All miniatures must sell for \$150 or less.

SALES:

All works must be for sale and preferably remain on display until the close of the exhibit except for miniatures, which may go home with the purchaser. Sales will be encouraged to further the efforts of the artists and to stimulate acquisition of original art by patrons and the public. The Lincoln Gallery will collect a 35% commission on all sales. Payment for sold items will be mailed to the artists on the 20TH of the month following the close of the show.

AWARDS:

Cash awards and prizes of \$2,500. Cash awards will be presented for Best of Show, 2nd Place and 3rd Place. Plus Honors Awards in each Category and the People's Choice Award. The Awards Ceremony will take place during the Opening Reception to be held on May 8th, from 6:00-8:30pm at the **Lincoln Gallery, 429 North Lincoln Ave, Loveland, CO, 80537.**

CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT EVENTS:

July 26 - Entry deadline

Aug 12 - Notification by email

Aug 25-27 - Hand Delivery of accepted work to gallery from 12:00-4:00pm.

Sep 11 - Opening Reception 6:00-8:30 pm. Awards Presentation at 6:30pm

Oct 2 - Show closes.

Oct 3-4 - Pickup unsold work between 12:00-5:00pm (Arrangements must be made for alternate pickup times. (970 663-2407)

Oct 7 - Unsold work will be shipped