IAA- INDIA (Official Partner of UNESCO)

Presents

National Art Exhibition 2020

Our Motto: World Peace, Freedom of Expression, Tolerance, And Brotherhood

विश्व शांति, अभिव्यक्ति की स्वतंत्रता, सहनशीलता/ सहिष्णुता, भ्रातृत्व/ भाईचारा

About the Exhibition:

We are delighted and proud to announce that the World Art Day has been accepted by the UNESCO executive board during their 206th board meeting session in Paris. From 2020 15th April, birthday of the great legendary artist Leonardo Da Vinci, will be observed as the International Art Day, through which we would love to awaken every creative soul of our nation. To mark this international day, IAA India (the official partner of UNESCO) has organised a series of exhibitions in collaboration with Univart Foundation, all along the year across metropolitans of Mumbai, Delhi, Bangalore and spreading love, respect and awareness towards art.

Visual art has always been a prime platform for artists to express their opinions and thoughts; Univart invites all the artists to ponder upon their thoughts. Through their work, artists may wish to share their own experience about the values of visual art and how much has its presence been effective in our country.

Our Aim: To give an opportunity to all the artists who hasn’t got a chance to exhibit their talents and to share the same stage with some of the present eminent artists of our country. To share the stage with artists from all the SAARC countries, bridging the countries through their artworks. To invoke a revolutionary change in the society through visual art.
Note: The following categories of artists will get an opportunity to participate in this mega event:

- Young budding talents from colleges and universities
- Folk and tribal artists.
- Self-taught and independent artists.
- Eminent artists.
- Artists from SAARC countries

IAA India invites each and every candidate from the given categories to take part in this exhibition. Keeping the social discriminations aside the artist’s works will be the principle objective of this event. This national exhibition will give the artist his/her importance and in return as a form of respect the full amount of artistic honorarium will be given. Note: It is the only exhibition in India where artists will get the full price of their artworks fixed by the artist.

We invite artists from SAARC countries to take part in this event, keeping away the political barriers aside and uniting under one ideology, the love for art. We seek their presence and support in making this event a memorable one.

Artworks will be exhibited from 15th April 2020 until 10th April 2021 at the following States:

Bangalore, Delhi, Mumbai, Hyderabad
Important dates:

Entries close: 30 March 2020

Notification of successful applications: by 10 April 2020

Delivery of the selected artworks: please courier to us within 10 days from the confirmation mail sent by IAA India.

Inauguration: 15 April 2020 at New Delhi

Exhibition ends: 10 April 2021

Closing night: 15 April 2021 at New Delhi

Collection time: your respective artworks will be couriered back to you by 30 May 2021

How to apply: complete and send in the application form overleaf (see the conditions of entry below) or apply online. Artists of all ages, all cultural backgrounds, are encouraged to apply.

Conditions of entry:

1. Artworks can be of any in any style or medium.
2. Due to space limitations, artworks must not exceed and must (if you are willing to send your artworks be framed.
3. Your artworks will be circulating from one gallery to the other during the whole year, so we would advise you not to provide glass frames as it may create more damage. Glass frames will be provided by us, a minimum charge will be taken. If you would like to send your ones with glass frames, extra packaging charges will be taken.
4. Artists can submit up to two entries for consideration.
5. Expert Jury and the curators will take the final decision from the applicant’s artworks.
6. No exhibition fees will be taken from the artists.
7. Artists are responsible for the insurance of their artworks, delivery and collection of artworks from AIAP INDIA office (UNIVART) through courier services.

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8. As no fees will be taken from the artists, it is a humble request to the artists to provide the required delivery charges for the delivery of their artworks to our head office.

9. Artworks should be delivered in a format that is ready for display. All framed works and works on canvas must be delivered with hooks and wire installed, ready to hang.

10. A high resolution of the proposed artwork shall be sent to us via email. Only the selected ones will be asked to send their art pieces.

11. Selected artworks must be couriered or delivered to AIAP INDIA office (UNIVART) (address)
   - At the end of this mobile exhibition, artists must collect their artworks from AIAP INDIA office (UNIVART) (address) or it will be couriered back to them. Note: Artists have been given an assignment of one year for their artworks to be part of the mobile exhibition. After the exhibition it will not be AIAP India’s responsibility to look after their artworks.
   - If you are unavailable to pick up or receive your work by the given date, please notify the AIAP India Administration.
   - No commissions shall be taken from the artists.
   - We are requesting the artists to mention the exact price of their artworks.
   - As it is a mobile exhibition artist will get an opportunity to exhibit their artworks in three metropolitan cities of India
   - On the 15th April 2021, based on the exhibition, awards will be presented to the artworks judged by our expert panel. The awards will be given for each art category. A national award will be presented to a young artist selected by our jury.

Application to Exhibit Artwork

Offline

Online

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Contact Details Form:

Name of the artist: .................................................................................................................................

Artists category: self-taught or independent/ folk or tribal artist/ college student

Please attach your portfolio with this form (optional)

Address..........................................................................................................................................................

Contact number......................................................email..............................................................................

Are you submitting on behalf of an artist or an organisation? Y/n  if yes please list

The name of the organisation: ..................................................................................................................

Your name and position.................................................................................................................................

Contact number and email of the organisation..........................................................................................

About the Artworks

1) Title..............................................................................................................year work was made.............. Size( no
more than 4ft/3ft ).................................artist price.................................

Medium: (acrylic/oil/mixed media/pen and ink/sketch/dry pastel) on (board/canvas/paper)

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**Artist Statement(s)**

Please write and attach a short paragraph (max 70 words) about your paintings which you are submitting. If your works are selected, this will be used you as an artist as your artwork statement. You could send it to us via mail with your high-resolution images of your works.

**Self-acknowledgment**

Please note: all works will be submitted at the artist’s own risk. If your work is selected, a letter of acceptance with the exhibition details will be sent to you by the date of selection.

As per the agreement, the total tenure will start from 15 April 2020 and end on 10 April 2021.

I have read and understood the terms and conditions and I hereby acknowledge that during the total tenure of the exhibition, my artwork will be sold in any of these four major cities.

Signed ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….. Date………………………….

*Please ensure to include self-images and photographs of your work.

**NOTE: Applications and images will not be returned.**

*As mentioned above please provide a hard copy or an attachment of your work via mail or post. Electronic images must be jpeg files (1mb-2mb) with the title and artist’s name clearly mentioned with image file.*