

CALL FOR ARTISTS

On and Off the Wall

Paintings and Sculptures by Central Coast Artists

Art Center Morro Bay

Morro Bay, CA

June 15—July 30, 2017

Opening reception: Sunday, June 18, 2017, 2 to 4 pm
Art Center Morro Bay

*Juried exhibition presented by The Painters Group
and the Central Coast Sculptors Group
affiliated with the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art*

Entry Deadline: April 15, 2017

Juror: Curator Ruta Saliklis

Ruta Saliklis is the Curator and Director of Exhibitions at the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art, a position she has held since 2011. She received her Ph.D. in Textiles and Design at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, an MFA in Museum Studies from Syracuse University, and a BA in Comprehensive Studio Art with a minor in Art History from the University of Illinois at Chicago. At SLOMA, Saliklis oversees 24 exhibitions a year.

Awards: Three paintings and three sculptures will be chosen for cash prizes and Award of Excellence designations.

Eligibility: *On and Off the Wall* is open to current members of the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art or the Art Center Morro Bay.

Entry Fee: Eligible artists may enter up to three artworks via CD or thumb drive: \$30 for one or two pieces, \$45 for three pieces.

Digital Submission Requirements: Each artwork's digital image must be labeled with its title and dimensions (height x width) for example: RedBarn.20x24.jpg. No artist's name and don't number them – just title and dimensions! Resolution must be 300 dpi and sized for adequate viewing.

Entry must arrive by **Saturday, April 15th**. This is not a postmark date, but an arrive-by date. The CD or thumb drive must have your name written in permanent ink.

Entry Deadline: Hand deliver or mail your CD or thumb drive with the entry form and check made payable to SLOMA, with *On & Off the Wall* on the subject line, to:

For Hand delivery: San Luis Obispo Museum of Art
1010 Broad Street, San Luis Obispo **(To arrive by April 15)**

For Mail: San Luis Obispo Museum of Art
PO Box 813, San Luis Obispo, CA 93406 **(To arrive by April 15)**

Submission of artwork to this exhibition constitutes an agreement to the conditions stated in this Call for Entry and is a commitment to exhibit accepted artwork for the duration of the exhibition. Also, by entering this exhibition, artists agree to allow The Painters Group, Sculptors Group, Art Center Morro Bay, and San Luis Obispo Museum of Art to use submitted images for promotional purposes.

The juror, the Central Coast Sculptors Group, or The Painters Group representatives reserve the right to reject any artwork that does not meet the standards shown in the images supplied. No

substitutions are allowed. To be exhibited, entries **must** be for sale and ready for professional display.

Requirements: Artworks previously exhibited at the Art Center Morro Bay or the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art are not eligible. Wall hung artwork must not exceed 50 inches to outside of frame in any direction nor weigh more than 25 pounds. Sculptures must be no greater than 7.5 feet tall and must fit through a 30-inch wide stairwell.

Note: The exhibit gallery is up one flight of stairs. Help will be available, but artists must be responsible for installation of large or heavy works. A limited number of pedestals are available.

Artwork must be original and may be in any medium with the following exceptions: Digital images and photography will not be accepted except as small parts of mixed media artwork, and no prints or giclees will be accepted. Mixed media paintings must have a finished visible surface that is at least 50 percent paint. Artwork must have been completed after 2013.

Prices, Sales, and Commission: Art Center Morro Bay requires that all artwork **must** be for sale. Art Center Morro Bay will handle all sales and retain a 20% commission. The Sculptors and The Painters groups will retain 10%, and artists will receive 70% of the sale price. Sales prices listed on the entry form may not be changed after submission.

Insurance and Care: Art Center Morro Bay carries insurance to cover artworks while in the gallery but not in transit; artists may wish to carry additional insurance.

Art Center Morro Bay, The Painters Group, and The Central Coast Sculptors Group representatives will make every reason-

able effort to protect artwork from the time it is received until it is picked up or shipped. However, neither Art Center Morro Bay, The Painters Group, Sculptors Group, nor the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art and members of these will be held responsible for any damage or theft of artwork.

Delivery/Shipping: Accepted artwork must be hand delivered or shipped to arrive at Art Center Morro Bay, 835 Main Street, Morro Bay, CA 93442 between 10 am and 2 pm on Tuesday, June 13, 2017. For shipped art, paid UPS or FEDEX barcoded return shipping labels must be included in the shipping box. For any shipment without a barcoded return shipping labels, The Painters Group and the Sculptors Group will not be responsible for return shipping, and artists must make other arrangements for the artwork's return. Artwork left at Art Center Morro Bay for more than 30 days becomes property of Art Center Morro Bay. Accepted artists will receive detailed shipping/delivery instructions by email.

Be advised that Art Center Morro Bay will charge a handling & storage fee of \$25 per box to accepted artists who ship their art. This payment must be included in the shipment.

Pick Up / Return: Artwork must be picked up on Monday, July 31, 2017, between 10 am and 2 pm. Unsold artwork will be returned promptly. Sold artwork will be shipped at the buyer's expense.

Information: Flo Bartell at flo.bartell@gmail.com or Carl Berney at sculpto707@gmail.com.

See attached entry form.

***On and Off the Wall* Entry Form**

Print, complete, and mail this application with your CD or thumb drive and check made payable to SLOMA:

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San Luis Obispo Museum of Art
PO Box 813, San Luis Obispo, CA 93406

Please print

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Entries:

1. Title _____ **Size (h)** _____ **x (w)** _____

Medium _____ **Price \$** _____

Painting _____ **Sculpture** _____

2. Title _____ **Size (h)** _____ **x (w)** _____

Medium _____ **Price \$** _____

Painting _____ **Sculpture** _____

3. Title _____ **Size (h)** _____ **x (w)** _____

Medium _____ **Price \$** _____

Painting _____ **Sculpture** _____

Payment enclosed (\$30 for 1 or 2 paintings or sculptures, \$45 for 3 pieces) \$ _____

I agree to terms and conditions set forth in the *On and Off the Wall* Call for Entry.

Signature _____ Date _____

