

WE, the Women's Caucus

FotoFocus2020 Biennial CALL FOR ENTRY

Eligibility: NATIONAL, SPEWomen's Caucus members

Entry Deadline: Thursday April 30, 2020 midnight PST

WE, The Women's Caucus is a juried exhibition of photographers that are members of the Women's Caucus within the Society for Photographic Education. This exhibition is a participating venue in the FotoFocus 2020 Light & Biennial.

WE, The Women's Caucus exhibition will investigate the experiences of women (today), considering the intersection of cultural, social, political, economic, spiritual, sexual, gender-based, and environmental forces within our country's election year 2020. The photographic works should be responsive pieces that illuminate, question, and challenge societal notions through our individual expression, discussing the relationship of power and gender, and the societal intersections. Are gender differences just power differences in disguise from private relationships within the home to social groups to our country's leadership? WE, The Women's Caucus exhibition stands to celebrate women and our diversity during this pivitol year.

Artist Honorariums and Awards will be presented at the opening of the exhibition.

*Applicants must be a member of the SPE Women's Caucus.

Entries:

Each artist is limited to 5 pieces of photographic art, professionally presented, and ready to be displayed. **must be a member of SPE's women's caucus**

Please visit: www.spenational.org/shop to pay the entry fee. *Applicants must include a screenshot of entry payment receipt, along with images, image list, and artist statement.*

Entry Fee: \$20 for up to 5 images submitted as JPG files.

Eligible Work: Must be a current SPE member and Women's Caucus member.

From traditional to digital to alternative processes to video, all photographic techniques and approaches are welcome. Fine Art photography, documentary, commercial, mixed media incorporating photography, photo books & sculptures, and digital imaging and collages – are all eligible for consideration by the jury, but must fit the dialogue of the exhitibition theme.

Installation type work should be tested prior to submission, and easy to install.

Submission Instructions:

- 1. visit www.spenational.org/shop to pay the entry fee
- 2. screenshot receipt of entry payment, label as: First InitialLast Name receipt
- **3**. submit required materials: up to 5 images in the correct format, image list (including: title, medium, size, price), artist statement (500 words max), and receipt of payment.

Files must be labeled as First InitialLast Name_image #.jpg (example: JRenner_01.jpg), First InitialLast Name_image list.pdf, First InitialLast Name_statement.pdf, etc.

Images must not exceed 3MB, 3,000 pixels on the longest dimension. Save as Adobe RGB.

Please note: Improperly titled jpegs and/or missing information will result in your submission not being reviewed by the jury.

4. send all appropriately sized and labeled files to aJnRstudio@gmail.com via www.wetransfer.com You will receive an email confirmation once the submission is successfully downloaded.

Deadline for Submission:

Thursday, April 30, 2020, by Midnight (PST)

Date of Notification:

Monday, June 15, 2020

Selected artists will also be featured in a printed catalog that is for sale.

More information regarding the selected artist honorariums, artist responsibilities, and exhibition catalog will come with the acceptance letters. Any additional Artist Awards will be announced at the opening. All honoariums and awards will be presented at the exhibition opening.

Accepted Artwork - Shipping & Delivery:

Must be shipped in a reusable container with bubble wrap, no styrofoam peanuts. Artwork must be shipped ready to hang and arrive to Contemporary Art Matters gallery in Columbus, OH no later than Tuesday, September 1, 2020. Enclose your return shipping label, this must be printed and available upon opening of the artwork. Selected artists will be responsible for the cost of shipping of accepted artwork to and from the exhibition venue.

Questions? Concerns? Contact the exhibition curator, Jordanne at aJnRstudio@gmail.com