## **ABOUT THE JUDGE**



Jasmina Jovanovic has been the director of the Art Gallery of Algoma in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario since 2011. A native of the former Yugoslavia, Jovanovic worked in conservation and as the director of museum ser-

vices at the Winnipeg Art Gallery for 19 years before coming to northern Ontario.

The Art Gallery of Algoma is a non-profit, public art gallery. Its mission is to celebrate culture, educate visitors and enrich lives through the visual arts.

Art, says Jovanovic, has made her "a happier person, a person with broader views of the world and of people. Art is an essential part of us being human beings."



Sole Mates, graphite by Sean Reilly, 2015 Artist's Choice Second Place Award Winner Sault Area Arts Council Alberta House Arts Center 217 Ferris Street Sault Sainte Marie, MI 49783 USA

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Olive M. Craig Gallery

# **Artist's Choice**

A Juried Exhibit, April 2016

\$300 Best in Show, \$200 2nd Place, \$100 3rd Place NEW Purchase Awards, sponsored by Central Savings Bank, War Memorial Hospital, and Kevin and Pam Cooper

Cabin of Tom Thompson, oil by Judy Henderson, 2015 Artist's Choice First Place Award Winner



#### **2016 SHOW SCHEDULE**

March 16th Deadline for artist submissions (via email or

delivery of artwork to Alberta House) and entry fee payment. *Any entries received after March 16th* 

will not be accepted.

March 21st Artists will be notified if their artwork has been

juried into the show by email or phone call.

March 29th Accepted artwork must be delivered to Alberta

House by 4 pm.

**April 1st** Exhibit opens.

**April 9th** Reception and awards from 1 to 3 pm.

**April 30th** Exhibit closes.

 $\boldsymbol{May\,3rd}$  -  $\boldsymbol{13th}$  Entries may be picked up at Alberta House

Tuesday through Saturday, 11 am to 4 pm. Artwork unclaimed after May 13th will become the property of the Olive M. Craig Gallery unless other arrangements have been made by the artist

in advance.

Artist's Choice is a juried exhibit open to all artists. All work must be original in composition. No reproductions, patterns, or kits will be accepted. Print-making media must have been hand-pulled by the artist. Two-dimensional artwork must be suitably framed and ready for hanging. Three-dimensional work must be self-supporting and ready to display. All artwork must have been completed within the last two years and not previously exhibited at Alberta House Arts Center.

#### **Conditions**

- Artists may submit up to three works in any media. There are no size limitations, although size may become a consideration in final judging.
- All artwork must be for sale at the price listed on the entry form. The Olive M. Craig Gallery will retain 30% commission on all works sold.
- Artwork must be identified on the reverse side (or on the base of 3D work) with the artist's name and title of the work. Please indicate which side is the top.
- Artwork may not be removed from the exhibit prior to the closing date.
- The Olive M. Craig Gallery has the right to reject any artwork that does not meet the requirements of the exhibit, is not adequately prepared to hang or display, or may be a hazard to viewers (for example, the work has sharp edges or is unstable).
- The Olive M. Craig Gallery and the Sault Area Arts Council are not responsible for loss, theft, or damage to artwork.

#### **ENTRY PROCEDURE**

Artists may submit up to 3 pieces for jurying. (Diptychs and triptychs count as one piece.) You may enter by submitting images via email or by delivering your artwork to the Alberta House Arts Center.

Entry fee: \$25 for up to 3 pieces.

## **Option 1: Digital Submissions**

You may submit up to 2 images for each 2D piece and up to 3 images for each 3D piece that you are entering.

- Each image must be saved as a JPEG file.
- Images can be no longer than 6 inches in any direction, and may be no larger than 300 dpi.
- Label each JPEG file with entry number (1a, 1b, etc. for multiple views), plus the title of the piece. DO NOT include artist's name in the file or on the image.
- Fill out entry form and scan it.
- Email form and images to judymerrillsmith@gmail.com.
- Mail entry fee with a copy of your entry form to Alberta House (address below). Checks should be made payable to the Olive M. Craig Gallery. This must be received by March 16th.

# **Option 2: Delivered Submissions**

Artists may deliver their submissions, including entry form and fee, to Alberta House **by March 16th.** Our business hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 11 to 4.

All entry fees and forms must be delivered to: Alberta House Arts Center, attn. Artist's Choice, 217 Ferris St., Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783.

Artists will be notified of acceptance by email or phone by

March 21st. Accepted works must be

delivered to Alberta House by 4 pm, March 29th.

#### **ENTRY FORM**

Olive M. Craig Gallery annual juried show Artist's Choice, April 1 through 30, 2016

# PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY and photocopy this form for your records.

Name :	
Address:	
City, State/Province:	
Zip/Postal Code:	
Phone: (day)(e	
Email:	
I have enclosed \$25 entry f	ee (in U.S. funds).
check payable to Olive M. Craig Gallery)	
Entry 1 (Label images "Image	1a," "Image 1b," etc.)
Γitle:	
Medium:	
Size:	
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Entry 2 (Label images "Image	2a," "Image 2b," etc.)
Гitle:	
Medium:	
Size:	Price:
Accepted No	t Accepted
Entry 3 (Label images "Image 3a," "Image 3b," etc.)	
Гitle:	
Medium:	
Size:	Price:
Accepted No	t Accepted
Return of artwork:	
I will pick up my work	_ Prepaid return ship-
	ping label enclosed.
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I agree to the terms and conditions of this exhibit.	

(Artist's signature required.)