



Call for Independently-Curated Group (ICG) Exhibitions

Gallery 220 announces a call for curatorial project or artist-curated group exhibition proposals by for the next phase of our 2023-2024 exhibition season:

- ICG Exhibition #1: Friday, November 10 – Saturday, December 23, 2023
- ICG Exhibition #2: Friday, January 12 – Sunday, February 25, 2024
- ICG Exhibition #3: Friday, March 1 – Sunday, April 14, 2024

Proposals should be for exhibitions showcasing a minimum of (3) to (5) regional artists. There should be a strong concept behind each exhibition idea. Special consideration may be given to proposals which include artists who reside in Harford County.

The MSAC artist registry <https://msac.org/directory#/artists> and the Baker Artist Awards <https://bakerartist.org/> websites are both great resources for finding local and regional artists. The Harford Artists Association website <https://www.artinharford.org/artist-directory/4/> also has links to many active Harford County artists. While we encourage potential curators to review these sites, it is not a requirement to feature artists from these groups specifically.

All participating artists must be able to hand-deliver work to the gallery and attend both an opening reception and a smaller closing reception for arts professionals. Curatorial proposals with additional programming ideas are also encouraged.

Gallery 220 will provide installation assistance for exhibitions, send out promotional materials, and host two receptions per exhibition (opening and closing).

Curators will be responsible for communicating and coordinating with the artists, overseeing install and de-install, submitting the images and show information to Gallery 220 as required, and writing the press release for their show with the assistance of the Gallery 220 Executive Director.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Submission Deadline for all ICG Exhibitions: Tuesday, August 1, 2023
- Notification Date: EOD Friday, September 1, 2023
- Exhibition Dates:
 - Friday, November 10 – Saturday, December 23, 2023
 - Friday, January 12 – Sunday, February 25, 2024
 - Friday, March 1 – Sunday, April 7, 2024



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SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Artists/curators must submit:

- A 500-750 word curatorial statement carefully and clearly outlining the overall concept for the exhibition
- 3-5 images for each included artist representative of their work
- Image List including Title, Media, Dimensions, and date
- Artist bios for all included artists

***Failure to include any of the above details in an artist's proposal may result in exclusion of that artist from the review process.*

Please send your proposal to havredegraceartscollective@gmail.com with the subject header: "CALL FOR ICGE_[Your Name]" by **Tuesday, August 1, 2023**.

All curators will be notified of selection by Friday, September 1, 2023.

Work will be installed by the artists with assistance from gallery staff the week prior and must remain installed for the entire duration of each exhibit. Artists will also be expected to attend opening and closing receptions tentatively scheduled for the first Friday and last Sunday of each exhibition.

ABOUT GALLERY 220

Gallery 220 is presented by the Havre de Grace Arts Collective, a 501(c)3 nonprofit, and serves as a fine art gallery and true destination experience for all art lovers and patrons.

Gallery 220 not only serves as the new headquarters for the Arts Collective. Through a combination of curated art exhibitions and arts programming that educates, empowers, and entertains our community, Gallery 220 aims to become *the* creative hub within Havre de Grace's entire Arts & Entertainment District.

Learn more about the Havre de Grace Arts Collective, our mission, and upcoming events and programming by visiting HdGArtsCollective.org.