



Bryan Memorial Gallery
GEMS and GIANTS

November 7 – December 22, 2019

Bryan Memorial Gallery's annual members' GEMS & GIANTS exhibit returns this year: **SIZE**. In a two part installation, spanning the Gallery's Main Gallery and Middle Room, gallery members are invited to submit works to its traditional **GEMS** exhibit, and also to the returning **GIANTS**. Artists may submit to either or both exhibits.

GEMS SPECS

As with previous GEMS exhibits, 2019 GEMS will be a wonderland of small, affordable, fine artworks for holiday giving and receiving, designed to illustrate the beauty and potential of an image that does not exceed 8" x 10." Bryan Gallery members are encouraged to have fun with the concept.

- GEMS SUBMISSIONS:** All Bryan Gallery Members are eligible to submit three images to GEMS, using the Gallery's on line submissions form: www.bryangallery.org/artistsadmin/ on or after September 9. While this show is not juried, we need your online submissions to gather data and images for the website.
- GEMS SUBJECT MATTER / MEDIA:** No limits other than size. Landscapes, portraits, figures, animals, still lifes, abstracts, etc. Paintings, photographs, mixed media, small sculpture, etc.
- GEMS ELIGIBILITY:** All current Bryan Gallery Artist Members are invited to submit works. If you have not renewed your membership in the last 12 months, you may do so on line, in person or through the mail. An artist membership is \$40. <http://www.bryangallery.org/membership.php>
- GEMS SPECIFICATIONS:** You may submit a maximum of three paintings for this show which have never before been shown at the Gallery, of which you are guaranteed that one will be exhibited. Paintings must be suitably framed, with eye hooks and cable on the back. All mediums are accepted. **Maximum dimensions of the image are 8" x 10". Maximum outside dimensions of the frame are 14" x 16".** There is no minimum size. Remember, the concept for this show is small works - gems.
- GEMS SELECTION PROCESS:** The Bryan Gallery ensures that at least two works by each current artist member is on view at all times during the exhibit. Works not displayed in the initial installation will be stored at the Gallery to be available for potential buyers' viewing, at the gallery's discretion.
- GEMS ARTISTS:** See below for more information on specs for both shows

GIANTS SPECS

GIANTS is a returning to Bryan Memorial Gallery, with a focus on works from the Gallery's members, exceeding the Gallery's usual specifications. Given its practical considerations, GIANTS will be juried, with a particular emphasis on size as it pertains to space in the Main Gallery.

- GIANTS SUBMISSIONS:** All Bryan Gallery Members are eligible to submit three images to GIANTS, using the Gallery's on line submissions form: www.bryangallery.org/artistsadmin/ on or after September 9. Given the practical considerations of size and installation, a jury will determine acceptance into the show. **Deadline for submissions to GIANTS is September 29** and artists will be notified by October 13.
- GIANTS SIZE LIMITATIONS:** Artwork submissions must be at least 36" or more in one single direction, and no less than 24" on its shortest side, not including frame. Preference will be given to larger works. Limited GIANTS will be accepted due to size considerations.
- GIANTS FRAME REQUIREMENTS:** Artwork must be either framed or suitable for hanging.
- GIANTS SUBJECT MATTER / MEDIA:** No limits other than size. Landscapes, portraits, figures, animals, still lifes, abstracts, etc. Paintings, photographs, mixed media, small sculpture, etc.



SPECS FOR BOTH GEMS AND GIANTS

- GEMS AND GIANTS DATES:** All artwork must be delivered in person or shipped to the Gallery on Wednesday – Sunday between **Wednesday, 10/16 and Sunday, 10/27**. Exhibition will open to the public on Thursday, **November 7, 2019**. A reception for the artists will take place on Sunday, November 10 from 2 – 4 PM. The exhibition will run through **December 22, 2019** with pickup during the last day of the show or after January 2. You may pick up your artwork in person on Sunday, 12/22 or by arrangement in January on weekdays between 10 and 4.
- GEMS AND GIANTS RETURN OF ARTWORK:** The gallery goes into its winter hiatus through the month of January, with limited office hours and limited staffing. If you are expecting to have your paintings mailed back to you, please do not expect to receive them before the beginning of February.
- GEMS and GIANTS TAGS:** Artists must attach TAGS to the back of the work with their Name, Title of Painting, Image Dimensions (height x width; excluding mat & frame), Medium, and Price. Please have your artwork labeled in advance of bringing it into the gallery. You'll find tags on the gallery's website here: <http://www.bryangallery.org/pdfs/ArtworkTags.jpg>
- GEMS and GIANTS Jpegs and PR:** Publicity for the exhibit, wall tags for your artwork, as well as the website page for the exhibit are all made up from jpegs and information submitted by the artist to the gallery. Photos and information can be submitted through the gallery's artist administration pages at <http://www.bryangallery.org/artistsadmin/>, on or after September 9. **Work not submitted through this procedure will not be included in the website pages for the show.**
- GEMS AND GIANTS RECEIPT FORM:** When delivering the artwork to the gallery, a hardcopy of an artwork receipt form must accompany the delivery. The form can be found here: <http://www.bryangallery.org/pdfs/PaintingReceiptForm.pdf>
- ALL SALES:** All works of art must be for sale. Should your work sell, a commission of 50% will go to support the non-profit Gallery and help defray costs of the exhibition. Please price your paintings realistically, no higher than you've been receiving consistently for your work.
- GEMS AND GIANTS INSURANCE:** While all due care will be taken with the artist's work, neither the Bryan Memorial Gallery nor the Bryan Foundation assumes any liability for loss or damage however caused. Artists are encouraged to provide their own insurance on artwork in transit and during the exhibition. Submission of artwork constitutes acceptance of all conditions and terms stated in this prospectus.
- QUESTIONS?** These specs and forms are on the Gallery's website at www.bryangallery.org You may reach the Gallery via: Phone at 802-644-5100; email: info@bryangallery.org or send a letter to Bryan Gallery, PO Box 340, Jeffersonville, VT 05464



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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Delivery Deadline: October 27 at 4 PM.

Please accept my work for Bryan Memorial Gallery's GEMSAND GIANTS 2019. I certify that my entry is original, conceived and created entirely by me. I have read and fully understand the specifications for the exhibition. I allow Bryan Memorial Gallery to reproduce jpegs of my artwork for public relations purposes. Reproduction may include printed materials and/or electronic or computer-based information services.

Please fill in this form completely and clearly, including all information as this form is utilized for many parts of the exhibition process.

Signature _____

Print name _____

Address _____

City/ST/Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

The gallery will utilize your email address to communicate with you during the exhibit, so please include it.

Tracking Number Assigned by gallery	Title	Size of image Not including mat or frame Height x width	Medium	Retail Price	

Artist understands and agrees that insurance by Bryan Memorial Gallery is not available and that all risks of loss or damage must be that of the exhibiting artist. Artist agrees to leave artwork at Bryan Memorial Gallery for the duration of this exhibition.

