

Tips for applying to the Call for Art



Tip 1: Read the [Call for Art](#) all the way through. It has important information in it.

Tip 2: You will have to fill out the online application all in one go. There is no way to save it and come back to it later.

Tip 3: Make sure your images are formatted and labeled correctly. This makes it easier for us to match each image with the information on your application.

Tip 4: Send as many images as you are allowed (i.e. 10 for an individual artist and up to 20 for a group show of two or more artists). Sending fewer images can raise questions about whether you have enough art to fill the space or if you have a cohesive body of work.

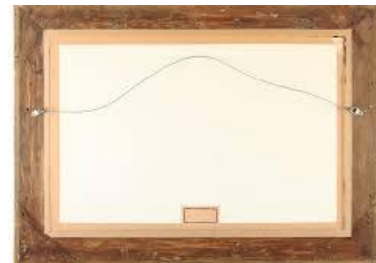
Tip 5: Make sure you send images that show your art on a neutral background in good light. We really want to see your work. Here's an article about how to take photos of your work: www.callforentry.org/photographing-artwork.

Tip 6: Think ahead about how your work is going to be installed.

Sawtooth hangers don't work in either gallery:



Pieces that hang on the wall should have a wire hanger across the back that looks like this:



Tip 7: If you have a question, email gallery@multnomahartscenter.org. For instance, sometimes people need help coming up with ideas about how their work can be installed, or they need help figuring out how to resize an image for the application.

Tip 8: Go for it. Apply! If you've applied before and weren't offered a show, apply again this year. The selection committee changes every year. The number and types of other artists who apply changes each year too.