

# Department R FINE ARTS

Sponsored in part by Missouri Arts Council  
Superintendent - Ashley Lewis, Sedalia, MO  
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### Judges

Missouri 50 and Missouri Junior 50 - Esme Watanabe,  
Whitney Museum of Art, Biennial Coordinator, NYC

Open Division - Diana Moxon, Executive Director  
of Columbia Art League, Columbia, MO

Photography - Joe Johnson, Assistant Professor  
of Photography at University of Missouri, Columbia

Porcelain Art - To be announced.

### ARTISTS-IN-RESIDENCE in 2010 are:

August 11 - 15 - Joleen Goff, Fibers Instructor, University of  
Central MO, Warrensburg MO

August 18 - 22 - Joshua Hoffine, Professional  
Photographer, Kansas City, MO

### PREMIUMS

Amount offered in this department by State Fair ..... \$5,960  
Amount offered by Mo. State Assn. of  
China Painters ..... \$ 275  
Total amount offered in this Department ..... \$6,235

### SECTION B - OPEN DIVISION

Amount offered in this section by State Fair ..... \$1,800  
Professionally judged competition with 15 awards of \$120 each.  
Merit awards at the discretion of the judge.  
Open to all Media.

Late entries will be accepted until 6 p.m., August 8,  
with the addition of \$10 late fee per exhibitor.

### OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All exhibitors must be eighteen years of age or older and a resident of Missouri. An entry fee of \$10.00 per artist for two (2) pieces will apply. Make checks or money orders payable to Missouri State Fair. DO NOT SEND CASH. Entries must be received by July 20. There will be no extension of deadline unless prior arrangements have been made with the Fine Arts Superintendent.
2. The Missouri State Fair does not guarantee premium money, merchandise, prizes or special awards. Because the State Fair Commission is without constitutional or statutory authority to borrow money for its operation, it reserves the right to prorate premium money because of state budget restraints.

**NEW** In response to the State of Missouri's current budgetary concerns, it has become necessary for the Missouri State Fair to reduce premiums by 20% for the 2010 Fair. Monies offered in this premium guide reflect the stated reduction.

3. Work must be original work by the artist entering and not previously shown at the Missouri State Fair and completed within the last three (3) years. Exhibitors may submit two (2) entries. Works of fine art in all media will be accepted for entry. Artists may also enter the MO 50, Photography and Porcelain Art divisions. All rules and entry fees in other divisions will apply.
4. Art work will be accepted Saturday, July 31, Saturday, August 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Sunday August 8 from 2 to 6 p.m. in the Fine Arts Building. If you cannot deliver your work at the designated times, please make arrangements to have someone else deliver your work for you. Artwork will not be accepted before July 31. Last day to deliver artwork is August 8, 6 p.m. NO EXCEPTIONS. If shipping, ship prepaid to arrive by July 31, to the Fine Arts Department, Missouri State Fair, 2503 W. 16th St., Sedalia, MO 65301. If return shipment is requested, a \$25 handling fee is due upon receipt of the work. Make checks or money orders payable to the Missouri State Fair. DO NOT SEND CASH. DO NOT USE PACKING PEANUTS.
5. All paintings, graphics, photographs and drawings requiring covering must be framed (NO PLASTIC POSTER FRAMES) and equipped with picture wire and use plexiglass. Work using glass will no longer be accepted. NO SAW TOOTH HANGERS, HOOKS OR STRING WILL BE ACCEPTED.
6. Frames and canvases must use screw eyes to secure picture wire. Canvas may be framed or unframed. Unframed canvas must have all edges painted.
7. Due to limited display space, art work may not exceed 36 square feet.
8. Artist must provide any special materials and do installation for three dimensional works requiring a special presentation.
9. Creative wall hangings and batiks must be substantially equipped with hooks and hangers.
10. The artist's signature verifies the understanding that all work submitted is at the artist's own risk. The Missouri State Fair cannot assume responsibility for lost or damaged art work. Any insurance coverage must be provided by the artist.
11. The primary audience of the Missouri State Fair consists of families and youth. The Missouri State Fair reserves the right to reject any works of art that may be considered objectionable by that audience.
12. Do not be concerned if you do not receive your exhibitor tags before delivery date. Exhibitor tags will be available at check in. If you do receive exhibitor tags before check-in date, please attach them by the string to the lower left hand corner on the back.
13. Art work may be picked up Sunday, August 22, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. or Monday, August 23, between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. at the Fine Arts Building. Last time to pickup artwork at the Fine Arts Building will be 2 p.m. Monday, August 23. If you cannot pickup your work at the designated times, please make arrangements to have someone else pickup your work for you. Work that is not picked up Sunday or Monday will be available for pick up at the Administrative Offices on Tuesday, August 24, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Any work not picked up within 10 days after the fair closes will become the property of the Missouri State Fair unless prior arrangements have been made.
14. Work that is for sale will be charged a 25% commission if sold during the Fair. Please price your piece accordingly. No changes are permitted as to price, item or title, after tags are received by the artist. Any change must be authorized by the Fine Arts Superintendent.