### About the Jurors

A panel of jurors will review all entries and sculptures will be chosen that are colorful and artful. The sculptures in this exhibition will be chosen to complement and contrast one another in a variety of designs that are visually stimulating and that incorporate both traditional and contemporary media.

#### ENTRY FEES

Shemer Member:

\$75 for one entry, \$85 for two entries, \$95 for three. Non-Member:

\$90 for one entry, \$95 for two entries, \$100 for three.

Entry fees are non-refundable. The entry fee may be paid online via credit card at the time of submission, or you may mail a check to: Shemer Art Center 5005 East Camelback Road, Phoenix, AZ 85018

#### SALES

All entries submitted must be available for purchase with 30% of the proceeds benefiting the Shemer Art Center. Pricing must be set at the time of entry.

#### **Membership**

- Individual \$40/year
- Artist \$40/year, includes a \$10 discount on one entry fee
- Student (21& Under with ID) \$20/year
- Family Supporter \$75/year

For more information call 602.262.4727 or email info@shemerartcenter.org

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The Shemer does not carry accident insurance to cover participants. Involvement AND any activity is done at the participant's own risk.



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Radial Joy by Shelby Larson

# **PROSPECTUS**

# Color in Play

A Juried Exhibition of Outdoor Sculpture that Combines Color and Whimsy with a Touch of Sophistication

MARCH 21, 2019 – MARCH 31, 2021

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#### ABOUT THE EXHIBITION

The Shemer Art Center is now accepting submissions from sculptors from all across Arizona interested in entering work(s) of art for an outdoor exhibition at the Shemer Art Center titled "Color in Play."

This two-year exhibition will open the day before the 2019 Southwest MicroLiving (tiny homes) event. It will reflect current art trends that incorporate color and playfulness in outdoor art. Selected sculptures will be featured for two years in our sculpture garden. An unveiling reception will be held March 21, 2019 at the Shemer Art Center.

#### MEDIA

Multi-media entries in all styles and traditions will be encouraged for this varied display of outdoor art. All works must be suitable for outdoor installation and long-term exhibition on our grounds. They must be maintenance free and structurally secure, capable of withstanding heat, sun, wind, sprinklers, rain, children, crowds, and high traffic areas. Works deemed unsafe, overly fragile or otherwise unsuitable will not be considered.

#### Exhibition Details

- All artist submissions must be original and created by an Arizona resident at least 18 years of age.
- Works submitted for consideration cannot exceed 12 feet in height or 1000 pounds.
- Works of art must be complete by installation date to be installed.
- Installation equipment will be on hand at the Shemer during installation days. A forklift can be scheduled to be on hand at the Shemer during installation days to unload and place sculptures. However, installation details specific to each accepted work of art must be made in advance.
- Selected artists are invited to submit at least three photographs, drawings, sketches or other material suitable for display (as approved by Shemer staff) depicting the creative process or the work in progress.

#### Mark Your Calendar

- OCTOBER 26, 2018
   Entry form, images (conceptual or completed) and fees due
- NOVEMBER 9, 2018 Notification of acceptance
- MARCH 15 & 16, 2019 Sculpture installation (equipment on-site)
- MARCH 21, 2019
  Unveiling reception, 4-6 p.m., at the Shemer Art Center
- MARCH 31, 2021 Exhibition ends

#### Additional Information

Insurance to cover loss or damage of sculptures during installation, exhibition, and removal will not be provided. We encourage you to arrange your own loss or damage coverage. All reasonabyle care and precaution will be taken to ensure the safety of the sculptures. Prior arrangements for the installation of all outdoor sculptures must be made with Shemer staff.

#### SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Each artist must submit:

- description of the work(s): size, composition, and how it will be installed to be stable and safe for the viewing public
- up to three digital photographs (conceptual or completed). Images must be in jpeg format, 300 dpi, be over 3 MB (roughly 8" x 10") and have file name in the following format:

Lastname\_firstname\_image# (ie. smith\_jane\_1.jpg).

- numbered image files must correspond to images list.
- list of images with title, size, materials used, and price
- entry materials, e-mailed or submitted according to the directions on Shemer's website at: shemerartcenter.org under Artist Opportunities.
- notification if sculpture installation requires a forklift
- notifaction if sculpture requires a cement base

Slides, CDs, or printed images will not be accepted.

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#### ACCEPTED ARTISTS' RESPONSIBILITIES

If an artist's piece is chosen, he or she agrees to the following:

- make transportation arrangements to bring artwork to the Shemer
- be present during the installation and de-installation of large-scale sculpture.
- allow use of his or her likeness and biographical information for publicity purposes by the Shemer.
- provide a statement (approximately 100 words) about each piece of art must be submitted.
- submit a digital photograph of artist
- provide a short artist biography (100 words or less) in paragraph format, not a resume
- submit artist's contact information (email address, mailing address, and telephone number).

Selected artists are also invited to submit at least three photographs, drawings, sketches or other material suitable for display (as approved by Shemer staff) depicting the creative process or the work in progress.

#### QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about the Color in Play exhibition entry process or about the Shemer Art Center in general please contact Andie Olson, Program Manager, at andie@shemerartcenter.org or call (602) 262-4727.